



AMINA THE ACCEPTING!

Meandering towards the bus stop, Amina was in deep conversation with her two best friends Josie and Sammy. Soon they would be home, so time was precious catching up with the events of their first day back after half term.

Whilst Josie was sharing her frustration of being fouled yet again by Eddie, Amina's eyes were drawn towards a lonely figure slumped against the bus shelter wall. Amina's heart instantly told her to go over as she knew who the figure belonged to.

Amadullah had only begun school that day and from what Amina had guessed, he only knew a little bit of English. Amina cast her mind back to when she had first moved here, how lonely she felt and how scary it was not knowing how to speak the same language as everybody else in her class. Leaving Josie and Sammy, she walked up to Amadullah and shared the biggest smile she knew how before introducing herself. Once Josie and Sammy had caught up, she introduced the inquisitive pair before explaining that Amadullah was new to school and loves football too!

Unnoticed and watching on, an elderly lady had witnessed the entirety of Amina's kindness towards Amadullah and was filled with happiness that someone not only noticed the lonely boy but had time to talk and listen. She knew that Amina was the right person to carry on the legacy of the **ring of acceptance**.

Shuffling towards Amina, the elderly lady burrowed her hand deep into her pocket to touch the **yellow-stoned ring** for the last time before passing it to its new owner. The old lady explained that only those with a fair heart were worthy of the ring of acceptance and after decades of being its bearer, it was now time for someone else to continue the legacy.

Amina placed the ring on her finger, the yellow gem lighting up her face, and promised the elderly lady she would spread the importance of acceptance to everyone. It was now her mission to make the world a fairer and kinder place. Tiger Team soon heard about Amina the accepting and flew her out to their secret base to meet the rest of the team. Amina spread the power of acceptance to everyone, teaching people that no matter a person's race, religion, age, gender, ability, opinions or ideologies everybody should be

accepted and celebrated. Diversity strengthens friendships, classes and communities and as Amina the accepting's message spread, tolerance and acceptance made the world a much better place.