

At first Gappu did not know her right hand or her left hand.





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## Gappu Saves the Day

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Today is dance class. Gappu is happy!



If the teacher says put your right hand up, Gappu knows the hand to put up.



The teacher tells the class to do what Gappu and Datiz do. "Everyone dance."



The teacher starts the music, and Datiz looks like he is going to cry.



Gappu asks Datiz to stand with her. She shows him her red band. She tells him that the red band stands for right.

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Now Datiz is smiling.



Her friend,
Rani, made a
red band for
her right hand. Right and red
begin with the letter r.



Gappu and Datiz do what the teacher says.



Today a new boy comes to dance class. He looks sad. His name is Datiz.

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