

## ANYTHING FOR SCHOOL

***Motivating pupils: In this drama, pupil Adjua is determined to go to school. What is motivating Adjua to come to school?***

### SC.1. / M/ADJUA'S HOUSE/ EARLY MORNING

SFX: ADJUA AND EFE ARE TALKING IN LOW TONES

M/ADJUA: (off to on) Adjua! Adjua! Where is this girl?

Adjua Efe, my mama don dey come...(chuckles) let us start making noise o

SFX: FOOTSTEPS OFF AS MAMA ADJUA APPROACHES.

ADJUA: (shouting) Efe, you see. It's me she will give! I can do it better than you

M/ADJUA: (off to on) Adjua, Efe, what are you doing?

EFE: good morning, Ma.

M/ADJUA: Adjua! What is this I'm seeing? Where you dey go to with school uniform?

ADJUA; mama I want to go sch....

- M/ADJUA: Adjua! You know say you no well. Why don't you get well before going to school?
- ADJUA: (gently) I am fine mama; nothing wrong with me. See!
- SFX: SCREAMS AND JUMPS.
- M/ADJUA: (Laughs) okay. There is no need for you to scream or jump to tell me you are well. If you say you are well, that means you are well.
- ADJUA: thank you mama.
- M/ADJUA: Let me help you with your uniform. Efe wait for her you hear?

MUSIC BRIDGE

## SC.2 / CLASSROOM/ MID MORNING

- FLORENCE: So the dog comes out saying (mimicking the dog) 'gboo! I am the fastest.'" Who will act dog for us?
- SFX: CHILDREN REACT SHOUTING ME, ME
- FLORENCE: Alright! All of you can't play dog. Adjua has been quiet today, Adjua come and play dog.
- ADJUA: (OFF TO ON) yes Aunty Florence



school

MAMA ADJUA

Hey God! But why you do that kind thing  
Adjua, eh?

ADJUA

Sorry Mama...it is because I no wan miss Aunty  
Florence stories...she always tell us stories every  
Friday

MAMA ADJUA

So that is how powerful story be? Na wa o!

***In some schools, children are absent from classes at the end of the week. What different activities could you use to motivate your pupils to come to school on Fridays?***

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