

## **PARAGRAPH MATERIALS FOR LATE BLOOMERS PROSE-1 (TWO GENTLEMEN OF VERONA)**

### **Synopsis:**

Introduction  
Development  
Conclusion

### **Introduction:**

Lesson name: Two Gentlemen of Verona  
Author name: A.J.Cronin  
Theme: Never ever give up

### **Development:**

- Nicolo and Jacopo were brothers
- War destroyed their family. Their father was killed
- Their sister Lucia was suffering from tuberculosis
- They did all kinds of jobs and earned money for Lucia's treatment
- They polished shoes, sold fruits, newspapers etc...,
- The narrator was a kind and helpful person
- He helped them by buying fruits
- He also dropped them in their village, Poleta.
- Their sister is getting treatment in Poleta.
- A nurse there told all the secrets about the boys to the narrator
- But the narrator did not want to disturb them
- They don't need any help from anyone
- They believe in their hard work
- The two boys proved to be the Two gentlemen of Verona.

### **Conclusion:**

*Hard work never fails.*

## **POEM-1 (THE CASTLE)**

### **Synopsis:**

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### **Introduction:**

Poem name: The Castle  
Author name: Edwin Muir  
Theme: Greediness kills all

### **Development:**

- The narrator was a soldier who is in the castle
- They had lots of food and army power in the castle
- The castle's gate was strong and the wall was thick
- No one could enter the castle
- Their captain was brave and the soldiers were loyal
- So the soldiers were cool and relaxed

- But there was a disloyal warder who guarded a little secret gate
- He got gold coins and let all the enemies through that little gate
- Thus, the castle was captured
- The narrator said, “Gold is our only enemy, we don’t have any weapons to fight it”

**Moral:**

*Covet all, lose all*