

# **The Selfish Giant (Part 1)**

## **Questions And Answers:**

**1. What are the major characters in the play?**

**Answer:** The major characters in the play are The Old Giant or The Selfish Giant and The Child.

**2. Why do you think children have been named as 'tall girl', 'round boy', 'square girl' etc.?**

**Answer:** The Children have been named as 'tall girl', 'round boy', 'square girl' etc . probably because the author wants to identify them as they look like.

**3. How can you say that The Giant is selfish?**

**Answer:** We can say that the Giant is selfish as he had never allowed any children to play in the garden. Whenever he saw any children playing in his garden. He used to say his garden was his own and thus no one could play in his garden. He built a high wall all around and put up a notice-board stating 'Trespassers will be Prosecuted'.

**4. Who were the Giant? What did their names suggest?**

**Answer:** The Selfish Giant was the younger giant who was selfish and only thought about himself. The Old Giant was the same selfish Giant who grew old and transformed after the gentle touch of the child.