

Story Props

Enhance Readers Theater, Retelling and Shared Reading

Resources compiled with the use of little giraffes.com

These sites below feature pictures of story characters or sequencing cards for the story. They are listed in alphabetical order.

Note there are two sections: Book and Nursery Rhyme Sites.

Some suggestions for using these props are:

*Print on cardstock and glue felt or sandpaper to the back to use on a felt board

*Print on cardstock and attach magnetic tape to the back to use on a magnet board or cookie sheet.

*Print on magnetic sheets and use on a magnet board or cookie sheet.

*Print on heavy weight pella by cutting it in 8 1/2"X11" pieces and running through a printer.

Book Sites

Brown Bear, Brown Bear, What Do You See?

<http://kizclub.com/storypatterns2.html>

(story cards in color or black and white)

<http://www.dltk-kids.com/books/brownbear/index.htm>

(character cards)

http://curry.edschool.virginia.edu/go/wil/Brown_Bear_Lesson.pdf

(picture/word cards at end of lesson plan)

<http://www.kizclub.com/storypatterns3.html>

(story patterns)

Chicka Chicka Boom Boom

<http://kizclub.com/storypatterns2.html>

(story cards in color or black and white)

http://curry.edschool.virginia.edu/go/wil/Chicka_Lesson.pdf

(letter cutouts to use as puppets/tree-making instructions)

Chicken Soup with Rice

(months of the year/picture cards)

http://curry.edschool.virginia.edu/go/wil/Chicken_Soup.pdf

Cookie's Week

(days of the week cards)

http://curry.edschool.virginia.edu/go/wil/Cookies_Week_Lesson.pdf

The Cow That Went Oink

(wearable animal cards)

http://curry.edschool.virginia.edu/go/wil/The_Cow_That_Went_Oink_Lesson.pdf

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Does a Kangaroo Have a Mother Too?

<http://www.marcias-lesson-links.com/does%20kangaroomother.pdf>

Dr. Seuss's ABC

(picture cards/alphabet chart)

http://curry.edschool.virginia.edu/go/wil/Seuss_Lesson.pdf

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Feast for Ten

by Cathryn Falwell

(rhyming picture cards of items from story)

http://curry.edschool.virginia.edu/go/wil/Feast_for_10_Lesson.pdf

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Five Little Monkeys

<http://kizclub.com/storypatterns2.html>

(story patterns in color or black and white)

<http://www.preschoolprintables.com/felt/felt.shtml>

From Head to Toe

<http://www.kizclub.com/storypatterns1.html>

Gingerbread Baby

(character masks and gingerbread houses)

http://www.janbrett.com/gingerbread_baby_masks_main.htm

http://www.janbrett.com/gingerbread_baby_house.htm

http://www.janbrett.com/trim_a_jan_brett_gingerbread_baby_house.htm

The Gingerbread Man

<http://www.dltk-teach.com/rhymes/gingerbread/felt.htm>

Go Away, Big Green Monster

<http://www.kizclub.com/storypatterns1.html>

Goldilocks and the Three Bears

(retelling pieces at end of lesson plan)

http://curry.edschool.virginia.edu/go/wil/Goldilocks_Lesson.pdf

The Hat

(character masks)

http://www.janbrett.com/hat_animal_masks_main.htm

I Know an Old Lady Who Swallowed a Fly

<http://www.preschoolprintables.com/felt/felt.shtml>

It Looked Like Spilt Milk

<http://www.kizclub.com/storypatterns3.html>

It's Thanksgiving

by Jack Prelutsky

(a book of poems-pictures of what Pilgrims were grateful for)

http://curry.edschool.virginia.edu/go/wil/Its_Thanksgiving_Lesson.pdf

Jump, Frog, Jump

<http://www.marcias-lesson-links.com/jump%20frog%20jump.pdf>

The Little Red Hen

<http://www.bry-backmanor.org/actpag168.html>

(character cut-outs)

http://curry.edschool.virginia.edu/go/wil/Red_Hen_Lesson.pdf

Little Red Riding Hood

(printable masks)

<http://childcareandbeyond.tripod.com/masks.html>

The Mitten

(put the animals in the mitten or character masks)

http://www.janbrett.com/put_the_animals_in_the_mitten.htm

http://www.janbrett.com/mitten_masks_main.htm

Mouse Paint

<http://www.kizclub.com/storypatterns.html>

My First Kwanzaa Book

(Kwanzaa picture cards at end of file)

http://curry.edschool.virginia.edu/go/wil/Kwanzaa_Lesson.pdf

The Napping House

<http://www.kizclub.com/storypatterns1.html>

The Night Before Christmas

(reindeer name/picture cards)

http://curry.edschool.virginia.edu/go/wil/Night_Before_Christmas.pdf

Officer Buckle and Gloria

(four accident picture cards)

http://curry.edschool.virginia.edu/go/wil/Buckle_Lesson.pdf

One Windy Wednesday

(windy day pictures/animal-animal sound cards from story)

http://curry.edschool.virginia.edu/go/wil/Windy_Lesson.pdf

Polar Bear, Polar Bear, What Do You Hear?

<http://www.dltk-kids.com/books/brownbear/sequel.htm>

<http://www.kizclub.com/storypatterns.html>

Quick as a Cricket

(animal picture cards)

http://curry.edschool.virginia.edu/go/wil/Cricket_Lesson.pdf

<http://www.kizclub.com/storypatterns2.html>

Rain

<http://www.kizclub.com/storypatterns1.html>

Rosie's Walk

<http://www.kizclub.com/storypatterns1.html>

Silly Sally

<http://www.kizclub.com/storypatterns.html>

The Snowy Day

(pictures for retelling at end of lesson plan)

http://curry.edschool.virginia.edu/go/wil/Snowy_Day_Lesson.pdf

The Three Billy Goats Gruff

(picture cards of goats and troll)

http://curry.edschool.virginia.edu/go/wil/Billy_Goats_Lesson.pdf

Three Little Pigs

<http://www.preschoolprintables.com/felt/felt.shtml>

Today Is Monday

<http://www.kizclub.com/storypatterns2.html>

Town Mouse Country Mouse

(character masks or finger puppets)

http://www.janbrett.com/mouse_masks_main.htm

http://www.janbrett.com/puppets/puppets_town_mouse_country_mouse_main.htm

The Very Hungry Caterpillar

<http://www.kizclub.com/storypatterns3.html>

(story patterns in color or black and white)

http://www.dltk-teach.com/books/hungrycaterpillar/felt_fun.htm

(food picture cards/days of the week cards/butterfly life cycle cards)

http://curry.edschool.virginia.edu/go/wil/Caterpillar_Lesson.pdf

<http://edtech.kennesaw.edu/traci/insects/food.htm>

(food pictures)

Where's Spot?

<http://www.kizclub.com/storypatterns.html>

Whose Baby Am I?

<http://www.kizclub.com/storypatterns.html>

Nursery Rhymes/Poems Sites

Five Dinosaurs

<http://www.daycareresource.com/flannelstorydinosaurs.html>

Five Green and Speckled Frogs

<http://www.daycareresource.com/flannelstorys5frogs.html>

Five Little Ducks

<http://www.daycareresource.com/flannelstorys5ducks.html>

Five Little Pumpkins

<http://www.preschoolprintables.com/felt/felt.shtml>

<http://www.daycareresource.com/flannelstorys5ducks.html>

Hey Diddle Diddle

<http://www.niteowl.org/kids/diddle.html>

Humpty Dumpty

(sequencing cards)

<http://www.enchantedlearning.com/rhymes/seq/>

http://www.geocities.com/SEN_resources/Humpty.html

Jack and Jill

(sequencing cards)

<http://www.enchantedlearning.com/rhymes/seq/>

Little Miss Muffet

(sequencing cards)

<http://www.enchantedlearning.com/rhymes/seq/>

Once I Had a Turtle

<http://www.daycareresource.com/flannelstoryturtle.html>

What Do You See?

(Christmas)

<http://www.daycareresource.com/flannelstorywhatdoyouseexmas.html>