




RETELLING FAIRYTALES

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The Frog Prince

Directions: Recount the story by moving the pictures in sequence. Write a retelling of the story

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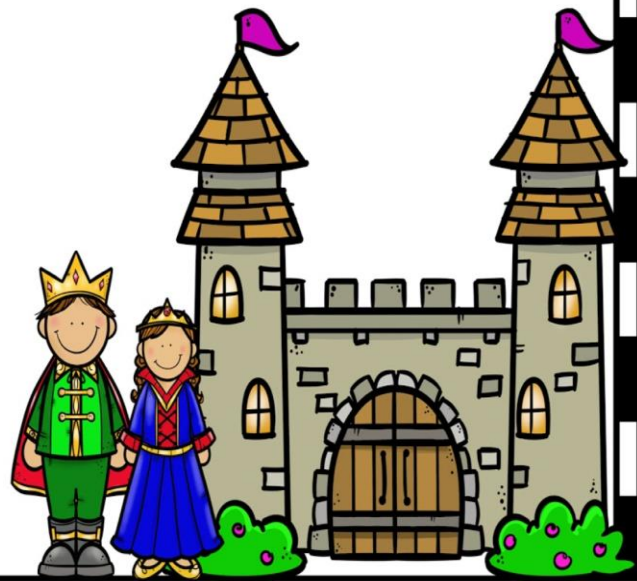
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Ten fairytales leveled for 2nd-3rd Grade

The Frog Prince

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directions

Drag the shapes to
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Characters



Setting



Beginning



Middle



End



Lesson/Moral

Every hot summer day you could find the kingdom's youngest princess cooling off by the well in the forest. There she would pick flowers, tell stories, and play with her precious royal ball. One day, she practiced tossing and catching the ball, seeing how high she could throw it in the air. However, as the ball came down it went down into the well. It seemed to be gone forever. The princess was so upset that tears began to roll down her cheeks. Her sobs came to a stop when she heard a small voice ask if she was okay. The princess quickly glanced around but could see no one. Suddenly, a frog jumped out of the well and into the puddle right by her feet.

"Why are you crying, princess?" the frog asked. She told him about her royal ball and how it was deep inside the well now. The frog offered to retrieve the ball for her, but he wanted something in return for such a good deed.

"You can have anything of mine you want!" said the princess excitedly. "How about my sparkly gold bracelet? What about my jeweled crown? I have plenty more gold and jewels back at the castle. You can have anything you want. I just really want my royal ball back."

"No, I have no desire to have gold and jewels," the frog responded. "What I want is a friend. If I go down to get your ball, will you spend the rest of the day with me?"

"No problem!" the princess replied. The frog jumped back in the well and returned with her royal ball. The princess quickly grabbed the ball from his hands and ran back towards the castle. The frog called after her, but she kept running.

Later that day, there was a knock on the castle door. On the doorstep sat the frog. "You promised to be my friend today, so here I am."

The princess started to close the door on the frog, but the king came forward. "Did you make a promise to the frog, princess?" She silently nodded her head. The king motioned to the frog to come inside. "Welcome to our castle!" he told the frog.

Although the princess did not want to, she obeyed her father and stayed true to her promise. That afternoon, the princess and the frog had a picnic, played hide and seek, and played a game of checkers. As the sun started to set the frog said, "Thank you for today princess, I had a lot of fun."

"Why are you leaving so soon?" she asked. "I had more fun than I expected to. Sorry I ran away at first."

"How about we meet at my well tomorrow?" asked the frog. The princess nodded her head in agreement and bent down to kiss him on the cheek. As she did, a cloud of smoke rose in the air around the frog. When the air cleared, a handsome prince stood in the frog's place. The prince explained that an evil spell had turned him into a frog and a kiss from a princess was the only thing that could break it. The princess giggled and promised to remain his friend forever after.

Interactive with movable pieces

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