

# 6-8

## Fairy Tales!

Q. Why do dragons sleep all day?

- ✓ Try to **read** with a family member or on your own, for at least **30 minutes each day!**
- ✓ Spend **30 minutes** of your day being **physically active!**

### Literacy



- Five Minute Fairy Tale  
Put 5 minutes on the clock. Beginning with the traditional "Once Upon a Time..." start your own fairy tale. Complete this as a quick write - don't stop writing until the time is up.

If you like what you have started, continue past the 5 minutes to finish your story. Not happy with it? Change it or start something new! Try a fractured fairy tale if you need an idea.

**HOW TO FRACTURE A FAIRY TALE**

1. Change the **CHARACTERS**.
2. Change the **SETTING**.
3. Change the **CONFLICT**.
4. Change the **PLOT**.
5. Change the **ENDING**.
6. Change the **POINT OF VIEW**.
7. Create a **MIX-&-MATCH**.

## NUMERACY

- [Fairy Tale Word Problems!](#)

Give these three a try, and then follow the link for more.

**#1.** In "Jack and the Beanstalk", Jack sold his cow for Magic Beans. If someone offered to pay you one-fifth of a million dollars for your cow, how much money are they offering you? Would you trade your cow?

**#2.** Little Red Riding Hood went through the woods to get to her grandmother's house. She said it took her 45 minutes to walk there but she was 3 times faster on her bicycle. How long would it take her to get there on her bicycle?



**#3.** Cinderella did not like doing the dishes and other chores in the house, but she loved cleaning the barn and spending time with the horses. There are 24 hours in one day. Most days she spent 8 hours sleeping, 4 hours cleaning inside the house, 2 hours cleaning windows, 2 hours mowing the lawn and 6 hours cleaning the barn so she could see the animals. How many hours did she have to herself? What fraction of the day was spent on each activity?

- Follow the instructions below to make a mini book from just one piece of paper. Write your 5 minute fairy tale in your book! (Illustrate it too!)

- Read your mini book to someone, or gift it to someone you know would enjoy it. 😊

**HOW TO MAKE A MINI BOOKLET FROM A SHEET OF PAPER**

1. Fold a sheet of paper in half lengthwise.
2. Unfold, then fold the paper in half widthwise.
3. Unfold, then fold the edges up to the center fold.
4. Unfold, then fold widthwise and cut a slit only half way down the center.
5. Unfold, then fold lengthwise and push the ends in towards the center.
6. Fold all the pages together into a mini booklet.

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- Complete activities from this Math Choice Board!

Would You Rather . . .

*Earn a salary of \$30 000 per year*

Or

*Earn \$15 per hour while working 40 hours each week?*

Source: wouldyourather



A. So they can fight knights!

## Social Studies

Fairy tales are often told to children to teach valuable lessons about safety or acceptable social behaviour, but are also very violent! Do you agree or disagree with telling young children violent tales in order to encourage “good” behaviour or even?

Analyze two different fairy tales by drawing a similar graphic organizer: what is the tale about, what are the pros and cons of telling a child each tale? Finally, are violent fairy tales acceptable in 2020? Craft a written response.

Pros & Cons	
Topic:	
PROS:	CONS:

## Science

In the three little pigs, various building materials are used to build a sturdy structure - hay, sticks, and brick. Only the brick survives the mighty gusts of the wolf. Hay, sticks and mud are ancient building materials and were often mixed together to make a type of cement. But have you even wondered how bricks were made? Come up with three theories. Watch the following video to find the answer!

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=GEvoXuFKSA0>

Try to build your own sturdy structures by following the directions @ <https://www.science-sparks.com/three-little->



## Did You Know?

Fairy Tale Trivia: How well do you know your fairy tales??? Take this on-line quiz to find out!!

<https://www.funtrivia.com/playquiz/quiz2787711fea6f0.html>



## 7 Habits of Highly Effective Teens

It may be a challenge with the changes to routine and day-to-day life, but try remember your 7 Habits!  
Here are the first three:

### Habit #1

**BE PROACTIVE**

### Habit #2

**BEGIN WITH THE END IN MIND**

### Habit #3

**PUT FIRST THINGS FIRST**

## ART

1. Choose your favourite fairy tale (Little Red Riding Hood, Cinderella, Hansel and Gretel, Jack and the Beanstalk...).

← You can read several online here.



2. Pick a setting or character(s) in the fairy tale to depict for your artwork.

3. Choose how you will create it → options include, but are not limited to: a cardboard/recycled material/Lego model, a drawing, a painting, create a costume for yourself and take a picture wearing it, build it in Minecraft, turn it into a zen doodle, build it with Play-Doh or clay. Use your creativity!