

Language Learning Games

Classic tales – What's my mime?

Type: Mainly reading

Family: Mime

Aim:

- To show understanding of a text by miming it.

Preparation: Display on the board a list of sentences that express actions which could be mimed.

Procedure

1. T reveals or shows the list of sentences to the Ss.
2. T invites Ss to take it in turns to mime any sentence on the list.

Examples of simple actions:

- The big bad wolf huffed and puffed and blew the house down.
- Little red riding hood realized that the person in the bed was not her Grandmother.
- Jack went outside and started to climb the beanstalk.
- Cinderella felt very sad and began to cry.
- As soon as Snow White bit the apple she fell into a deep sleep.
- Sleeping beauty touched the spindle and she fell to the floor in a deep slumber.
- On his way to school, Pinocchio stopped to see a puppet show.
- After walking for a long time, Hansel saw a cottage made of chocolate.
- The ugly duckling saw his reflection in the water and cried.