



Task 4 Script (Goldilocks and the Three Bears)

Title

Task 4: Story Retelling

Purpose

This task assesses listening comprehension and oral fluency through asking students to describe actions in the past using paragraph-level speech.

Language Functions

Narrating

Proficiency Level(s)

Intermediate High (IH) – Advanced Mid (AM)

Language Expectations

Connected sentences or paragraph-level language

Materials

A book of at least 8 pages with pictures that illustrate a story

Length of Time

Approximately 7-10 minutes

Administration Tips

- Select a picture book that is familiar to students. If the book is too simple, it will not be appropriate for this task, so it is important to select a book that will elicit responses with connected sentences.
- Choose 8 pages from the book that you would like students to talk about during this task. Cover any text on these pages so the text cannot be read.





Instructions

Show the students the cover of the book.

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好的。现在这里有本故事书,你们知道这是什么故事吗? 好的,我想请你们轮流跟我讲一讲,这个故事里发生了什么。
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Alternate between the students by asking Student A to tell what happened on one page and then asking Student B to tell what happened on the next page.

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[Student A], 这里发生了什么? [Show first page.]
[Student B], 这里发生了什么? [Show second page.]
[Student A], 这里发生了什么? [Show third page.]
[Student B], 这里发生了什么? [Show fourth page.]
[Student A], 这里发生了什么? [Show fifth page.]
[Student B], 这里发生了什么? [Show sixth page.]
[Student A], 这里发生了什么? [Show seventh page.]
[Student B], 这里发生了什么? [Show eighth page.]
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If a student responds to a question with single sentences or less, ask follow-up questions to elicit additional language.

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这是谁? [Point to character] 这里他/她/他们做了什么?
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If a student narrates easily but does not meet language expectations for the task, ask follow-up questions to elicit paragraph-level speech.

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_____的时候,小女孩是怎么想的?她看起来感觉怎么样?你觉得她为什么会觉得_____呢?
_____的时候,熊怎么想的?你怎么知道的?
你觉得 [character's action] 做的对吗?为什么?
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Transition to the next task:

谢谢你们跟我讲了这个故事。我们接下去玩下一个游戏。





Next Task

If students are in Grade 1 or below, go on to Wind Down.

If one or both students (Grade 2 or above) had difficulty narrating the story or responded with single sentences or less, go on to Wind Down.

If both students (Grade 2 or above) easily narrated the story using connected sentences, go on to Task 5: School Rules.