

This Workbook

belongs to

Sensory Storyteller



Part One

Sensory Training

- 1. Why Tell Sensory Stories?
- 2. How to make a story sensory
- 3. Touch
- 4. Taste
- 5. Smell
- 6. Sound
- 7. Sight

Why Tell Sensory Stories?

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Watch the first video - Why Tell Sensory Stories.



Discuss with your partner

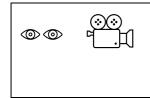
What was your favourite story?

King Midas	The Stonecutter	
Luck Is Everywhere	A Coat Made of Hair	
Star Wolf	Three Heads in a Well	
The Little Apple Tree	A Woman's Work	
Jaz and Jorinda	The Singing Bones	

What has been your favourite moment from the sensory storytelling?

Can you think of anyone you know that would enjoy a sensory story?

How to Make a Sensory Story



Watch the video – How To Make A Sensory Story



Discuss with your partner

What sensory elements did you enjoy the most in the storytelling?

Touch	Materials. Hand cream/	
	massage. Props.	
Taste	Sweets. Savoury.	
Sight	Lights. Colours. Storyteller.	
Sound	Music. Voices. Instruments.	
	Sound effects.	
Smell	Sprays. Herbs. Flowers. Soap	

Were there any others not listed above?

Touch

Watch the video – Touch

Activity

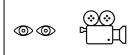
Explore the sensations of touch, do you like or dislike the below?

Water	(° °)	Fur	
Ice	() () () () () () () () () () () () () () () (Hairbrush	
Heat	() () () () () () () () () () () () () () () (Scarf	
Grass	(o o	Tap arms	
Bubble Wrap	(o o	Tap head	

What TOUCH sensation could you use for the below?

The Sea	
A Garden	
An animal	
Sadness/ Crying	
A dress	
Rain	
Running	

Taste



Watch the video - Taste

Activity

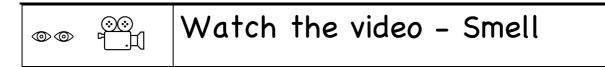
What foods or tastes could you use for the following?

A forest	
A beach	
Love	
Sadness	
The sun	
A Queen	

Now why not try some out?



Smell

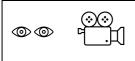


Activity

What smells could you use for the below story elements?

The Sea	
A Forest	
A Kitchen	
A Princess	
Love	

Sound



Watch the video - Sound

Have a think about how you could make the sounds below in a story – instruments? Recorded music? Make your own sound effects? (See who can do the best animal sounds!)

The Wind	Cow
A Door	Ducks
A Party	Sheep
Love	Horse
Magic	Dogs
Footsteps	Cat



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What colour could go with these feelings?

Feeling	Colour
Sadness	
Happiness	
Love	
Anger	
Jealousy	

Can you say the below and show the feeling in your face and body?

I am so sad!	I am so angry!
I am so happy!	I am so jealous.
I am in love!	I am so tired.

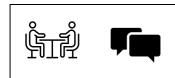
Part Two

How To Build A Story

- 1. Pick Your Story
- 2. The 5 Ws
- 3. Then What Happened?
- 4. The Bare Bones

Pick Your Story

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	Story



Discuss with your partner

What stories do you know?

What stories do you love?

What story would you like to tell?





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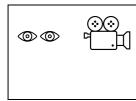
Watch the video - The 5 W's

Play the 5 W's games with stories you know and can remember.

Then play it with your own story and use the space below to record your 5 W's.

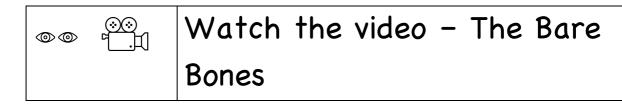
Who:	 	
When: _	 	

Then What Happened



Watch the video – Then What Happened

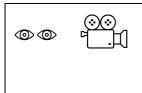
Play the Then What Happened game with your partner and record each 'what happened' below.



Use your Then What Happened to come up with your Bare Bones.

The next few pages have some examples and templates for recording your Bare Bones.

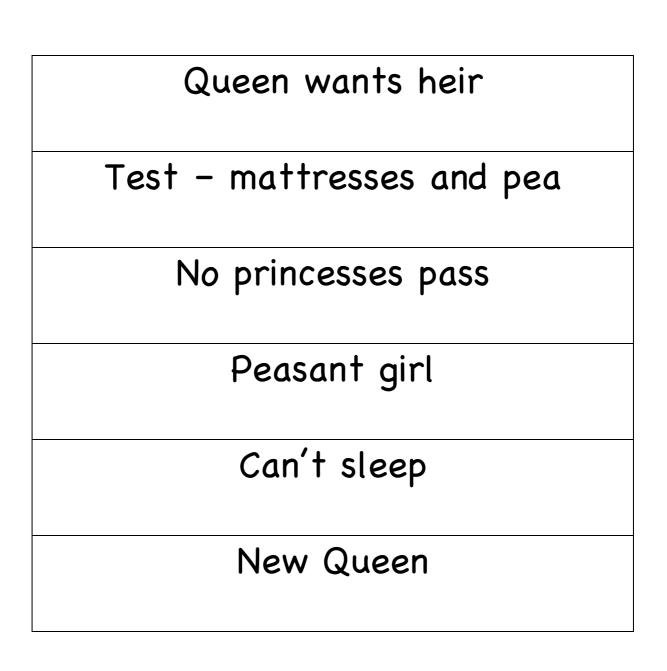
You may want to watch the example before, or after you record your Bare Bones.



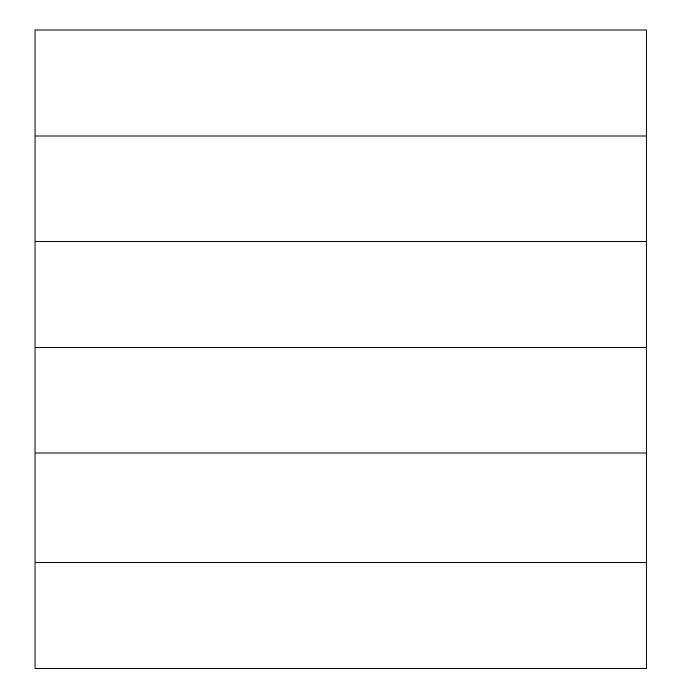
Watch the video -Vicky's Build A Story Example

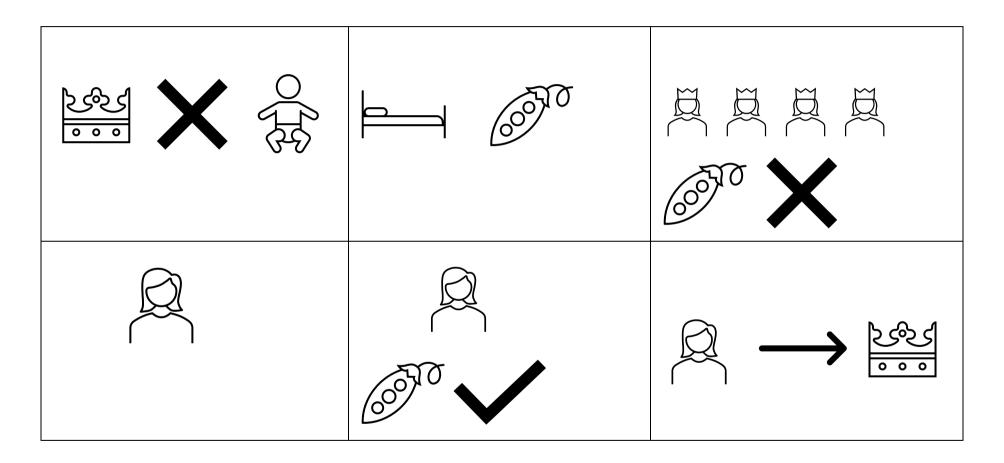


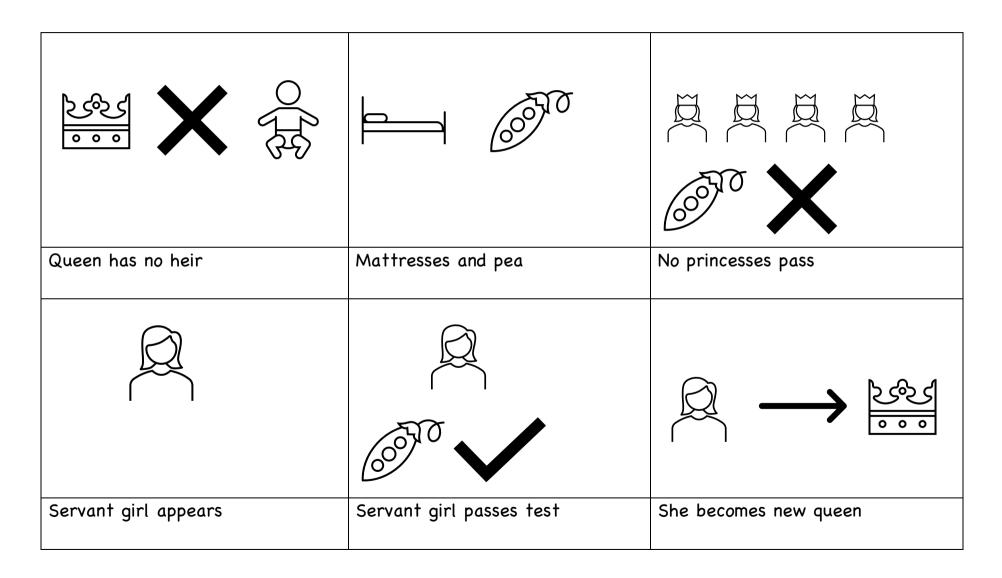
Princess and the Pea









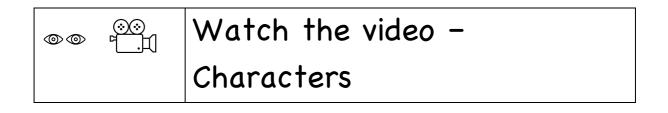


Part Three

Tell My Story

- 1. Characters
- 2. Settings
- 3. Sensorise Your Story
- 4. Tell Your Story
- 5. Top Tips







Discuss with your partner

Who are the characters in your story?

Character One









(if you have one)



(if you have one)

Description Word Bank

Here are some common adjectives to describe what people look like.

Golden	Beautiful	Tall
Brown	Twisted	Short
Jet black	Ugly	Stumpy
Red	Wise	Large
Pale	Pure	Skinny
Tanned	Handsome	Slim

You could try creating similes...

She had hair like honey.

Her eyes were as blue as the sea.



Watch the video - Settings

Have a go at playing the Where Am I? game.

Use the list below for ideas, or the pictures on the next page.

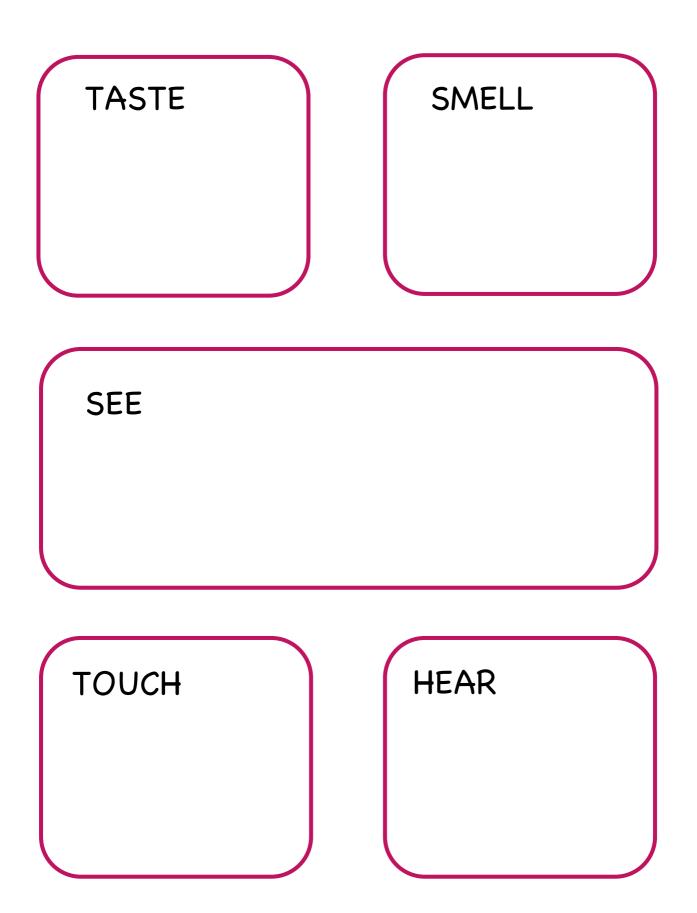
Beach	Church
Restaurant	Cave
Castle	Train
Swimming Pool	Bedroom



Draw Your Setting



Use these boxes to record your descriptions of your setting:



Sensorise Your Story

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	•	Your Story

(Use your Bare Bones to create your story elements)

Story element 1:

Touch (feel)	Taste	Smell	Sight (see)	Sound (hear)

Touch (feel)	Taste	Smell	Sight (see)	Sound (hear)

Touch (feel)	Taste	Smell	Sight (see)	Sound (hear)

Touch (feel)	Taste	Smell	Sight (see)	Sound (hear)

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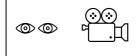
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Tell Your Story

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		Story

Now

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Watch the video - Top Tips

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And then....

Show Up and Share!

I showed up and shared my story on

I am now a Sensory Storyteller

Keep sharing stories...

