

LOCKDOWN WIZARD



THE ART OF STORY TELLING TEACHING VALUES



INTRODUCTION

Stories play a vital role in the growth and development of children. The stories children read, and the characters they get to know can become like friends who help in -

- Language and learning;**
- Processing feelings; and,**
- Relaxation**

In this trying time, they are also useful tools for teaching moral values such as the importance of sharing, the passage of time and compassion for others to young people.

To this end, DB YaR presents a collection of tales from around the world for children of all ages.

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THE PANCHATANTRA

Panchatantra tales are known for their morals, wit and humour.



They often depict wildlife as central characters, and provide valuable life-lessons in a light-hearted manner.



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GREEK MYTHS

In the world of Greek legend, you will find gods and mortals, love and epic battles. Grecian myths are based on a universal principle – that every action gets a reaction.

Punishment or rewards are, therefore, of our own making.



Find stories about Athena the goddess of Wisdom, the great hero Hercules and the boy Narcissus, amongst others –

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GERMANIC FOLK TALES

Germany's famous black forests and craggy mountains lend the backdrop for the perfect medley of sinister, comical, mysterious stories.

The folklore of the Grimm Brothers and other German storytellers often comes from oral traditions, stories passed from person to person over the years.



Find old favorites like Hansel and Gretel, and Snow White

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RUSSIAN FAIRY TALES

As with other regions, Russian stories reflect the culture, traditions, customs and history of those people, as well as their incredible imagination.



Russian fairy tales are based on pagan Slavic religion, which had deities for everything, such as water and household spirits.

These stories taught children about good behaviour and warned against the dangers posed by the outside world.

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TALES FROM THE TORAH

Torah' is the Hebrew language word for the first five books of the Hebrew Bible.

Together, the books of the Torah are a key repository of stories and philosophical insights that have shaped the moral values and ethics of the Jewish religion.



Read about the compelling story of the return of the Hebrews to their homeland, and Jonah's test of faith with the Whale.

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CHINESE FOLKLORE

China's proud storytelling tradition teaches what are universally considered admirable characteristics in individuals.



These values include moderation, keeping promises, respect for one's culture and tradition, and being just.



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ASSORTED TALES FROM AROUND THE WORLD

<https://theculturetrip.com/middle-east/iran/articles/13-delightful-childrens-stories-from-around-the-world/>

<http://www.aaronsherp.com/stories/folk.html>

FOLKLORE IN THE MIDDLE EAST






<https://www.apollo-magazine.com/mythical-beasts-in-mesopotamia/>

<https://www.gutenberg.org/files/24473/24473-h/24473-h.htm>

DUTCH STORIES FROM THE LAND OF WINDMILLS

<https://www.gutenberg.org/files/7871/7871-h/7871-h.htm>

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