

Dear Friend of ERG,

Our storyboards are designed to make learning come alive! Whether you are in a school, an early learning environment, an after school program or your home, we believe these unique stories will benefit your learners with reading, writing, and speaking/listening. **Thinking is required** as learners apply the following skills:

Reading Comprehension Skills:

- Practicing story structure
- Discussing vocabulary
- Using inference strategies
- Creating meaning and logic
- Developing creative thinking

Storyboard Starters: Have children tell the story using the pictures as a guide. The more creative the better.

Writing Comprehension Skills: (use sticky notes or writing journals for recording)

- Practicing sentence structure
- Attending to spelling
- Learning proper grammar
- Applying vocabulary
- Expanding creative thinking

Storyboard Starters: Have children write the story on sticky notes or in writing journals. After they write, have them share with someone. A cartoon format for writing would be fun as well!

Listening and Speaking Comprehension Skills:

- Utilizing active listening
- Increasing creative thinking
- Practicing story telling
- Learning conversation skills
- Engaging in collaboration

Storyboard Starters: Have children use the storyboard with someone else. Ask them to tell what they think happened, why they think that, what they think might happen next and then listen to the other person's thinking.

Use these boards over and over again and watch the stories get better and better. Thank you for buying our product and thank you for making learning come alive!

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