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THE STORYTELLING SESSION SETTING

- How to prepare the space for your storytelling session
- Which tools and props can be used and how to use them
- Group management dynamics during storytelling sessions



Let's Tell a Tale Storytelling with Children in English L2

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The 'storytelling corner'

To set the 'storytelling corner' consider:

- The approximate number of the children and their age
- The size of the book

and of the illustrations

• Tools and props you want to use

during narration

Tools and props for narration

- Puppets
- Objects related to the story
- Pictures and Flashcards
- Technology

The audience: Children

Strategies to involve children and capture their attention from the very beginning:

- Establish rapport
- Keep eye contact
- Stimulate children to interact

The extended audience: parents and caregivers

Tips:

- Plan and structure your storytelling session
- Rehearse the story out aloud
- Involve parents and grandparents