

## Story In A Box

### Why Story Boxes?

Story boxes create special opportunities to revisit children's favorite books. Children can use their box to explore characters, settings or even create their own adventure!

The purpose of a story box is to create hands-on literacy experiences for your child. Educators have long emphasized the information through the experiences that they have. This is how they develop an understanding of how things relate. These experiences give meaning to their lives through the development of concepts.

It is simply a collection of items in a box or bag that corresponds to the items mentioned in a story. A Story Box is a way for young children with visual impairments to experience a story. It is an early literacy event that can easily fit into your daily routines as well as a tool to enhance the learning of concepts.



**Materials needed:** familiar objects from your household like shoe boxes, clothes, and other materials the students need to create the story in the box. They can decide on what to bring after we read the story.

**Grades:** 2nd–5th

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