

Response to Reading activities- Week 5



First, read the fable “The Lion and the Mouse” by Aesop and have a go at the activities below:

Do you remember?

Copy these sentences into your books and fill in each gap.

The lion was going to _____ the mouse.

The mouse said he would only be a _____ mouthful.

Mouse said he might be able to _____ the lion some day.

Lion became trapped in a _____.

The mouse helped free the lion by _____ at the ropes.



True or false?

Read these sentences about the story and write true, false or can't tell next to each one.

- The mouse pulled the lion's tail to wake him up.
- The lion was angry.
- He ate the little mouse.
- When the lion was trapped the mouse released him.
- The animals live in Africa.

Ordering

Read these sentences about the story. Copy them into the correct order.

The mouse persuaded the lion to set him free.

The lion was trapped in the forest.

A little mouse woke a lion.

The mouse helped the lion to escape

The lion was going to eat the mouse.

Now try these

- Have you ever been frightened by someone bigger than you? Write some sentences about how you felt.
- Aesop's fables often have a moral. The moral of this story is: **Don't belittle little things.** What do you think this means?