

# A MIXED BAG

## Activities around The Three Billy Goats Gruff

### OBJECTIVE

The learner will practice themes related to *The Three Billy Goats Gruff* story.

### TIME

45 minutes.

### MATERIALS

Cue cards, puppets, writing/colouring materials.

#### WARM UP: READ A STORY IN ABRA

1. Sign in to ABRACADABRA.
2. Choose the category *Fiction* in the Books section.
3. Select *The Three Billy Goats Gruff* from the available list.
4. Click on *Go*.
5. Click on *Read*.



#### CENTRES: ABOUT THE STORY

Divide learners into groups. They will rotate through the following centres:

**Sequencing:** print out the images of the story and cut into their own cards. Shuffle the cards. Pick 5 at random. Learners arrange the cards in order. You can write the sequence order on the back so they can check their work.

**Theatre:** Re-enact the story using teacher-made puppets and a puppet theater. Cue cards can be placed at the center in case they need help.

*Note: Alternatively, learners can take on the role of the troll, goats, and/or narrator for their re-enactment.*

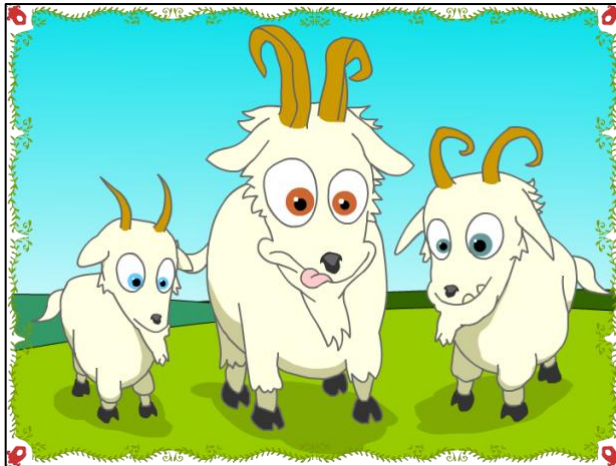
#### CENTRES: BEYOND THE STORY

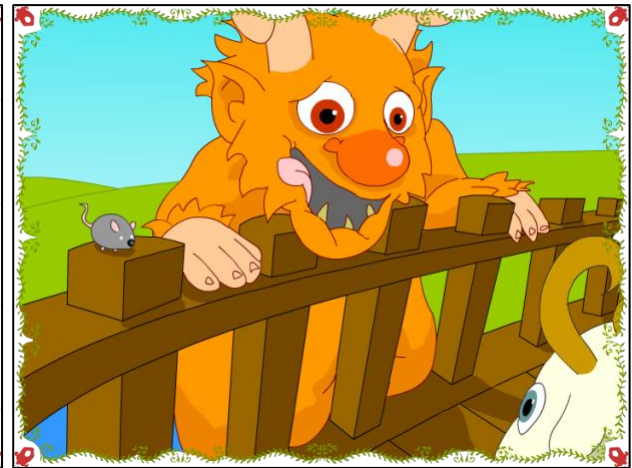
Divide learners into groups. They will rotate through the following stations:

**Math:** Do a math activity based on the concept of big, bigger and biggest. For example, print out and cut the cards on page 5. Arrange the cards in ascending order on the desk. Using items around the classroom, ask learners to categorize similar items (beads, the learners' shoes, print out of the ABRA characters, etc.).

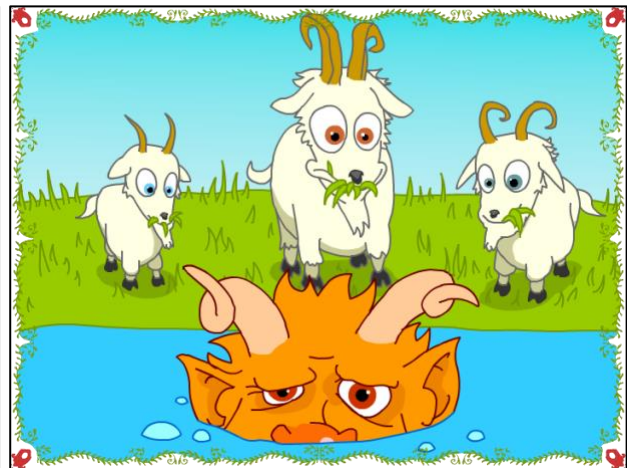
**Morals:** Discuss in groups how to deal with potential bullying situations presented on cards (sample cards on page 6). They can draw a picture of how to deal with the situation and how that situation would make them feel.

Print out the following images for the sequencing centre.









Print out the following cards for the math centre.

**Big**

**Bigger**

**Biggest**

**Small**

**Smaller**

**Smallest**



Print out the following cards for the morals centre.

Sally said she did not like Alex's hair.

Moe pushed Myung.

Jayden, Zain, and Rico told Marcia she had funny glasses.

Shelly hit Corey because he pulled her hair.

Neha told Irina that she thinks Penny is ugly.

Minako told the whole class embarrassing stories about Anton.

