Red Riding Hood and the Three Bears

A Mixed-up Fairy Tale

A play by Jill McDougall

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Level 18

Text Type Narrative (Play)

Curriculum Areas English (Literacy, Literature, Language); The Arts (Drama); Humanities (Civics and Citizenship)

Retelling to Encourage Critical Thinking About the Content

Ask each student to retell the play in their own words.

Record the retelling for further discussion and reflection.

Questions to Reinforce Meaning and Stimulate Discussion

Literal

1 What did Red Riding Hood see behind a tree?
2 Who lived in the little house where Red Riding Hood ate the porridge?
3 What did Red Riding Hood take to her granny every day?
4 Why did the wolf follow Red Riding Hood?

Inferential

5 Why did Red Riding Hood rush towards the little house?
6 What was 'just right' about the small bowl of porridge?
7 Why did Red Riding Hood think the wolf was very scary?
8 Why was everyone happy at the end of the story?

Links with Other PM Guided Reading Books

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Level 18	Narrative	*Owen and the Football Jumper*
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People in the Play



Reader



Father Bear



Red Riding Hood



Mother Bear



Wolf



Baby Bear

Reader

Here comes Red Riding Hood,
walking through the woods.
I wonder where she's going?

Red Riding Hood *(to the audience)*

I'm taking some cakes to my dear granny.

Reader

Suddenly, Red Riding Hood sees
something *big* behind a tree.

Red Riding Hood *(to herself)*

It's a big bad wolf! I mustn't let him catch me!

Wolf *(to himself)*

Grr. I'm hungry. I'm going to follow
that little girl with the basket.

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Reader

Red Riding Hood spots a house close by
and rushes towards it.

Red Riding Hood

What a dear little house! I'll knock on the door
and see if someone will let me in.

Reader *(quietly)*

Red Riding Hood does not know
that the Three Bears live in this house.

Red Riding Hood

I've knocked and knocked but no one is home.
The wolf is getting closer,
so I'll climb in through this window.

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Reader

Red Riding Hood climbs into the bears' house and locks the window behind her.

Red Riding Hood

I'm safe at last. Oh, look! There are three bowls of porridge, and I'm hungry.

Reader

Red Riding Hood tries each bowl of porridge.



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That porridge is too hot and *that* porridge is too cold!
But this small bowl of porridge is just right!

Reader

Just then, the three bears come home.



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