



Fractured Tales.

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This is a fun lesson that helps reinforce parts of speech: nouns, verbs and adjectives.

It would be a good idea to review what a noun, verb and adjective are by asking students to define the words and give an example.

Students can work independently or with a partner.

Children roll the die for each blank space to see what number they get.

Students write in the matching numbered word from the list.

Remind them to choose from the appropriate list.

You can either run the list off, or show via an overhead.

When students have finished filling in the blanks, they illustrate their story by drawing a picture of what they turned into, as well as what they are.

After students complete their fractured tale, they read it to someone or exchange with their partner for them to read.



It is a _____ New Year's Eve.
(adjective #1) so I am going to _____.
(#1 verb)

All of a sudden I found a magic _____
(#1 noun)

so on the stroke of midnight I can turn myself into a
, _____ (#2 noun)

by _____. (verb #2)

I _____ (#3 verb) that will be a lot of fun!

Now that I am something different, I'm going to
_____ my family, (#4 verb)

especially my _____ (#3 noun.)

After all, my _____ skin (#2 adjective)

is pretty creepy and would make anyone
_____. (#5 verb.)

It's now a _____ later, (#4 noun) and I'm
not able to change back!

Maybe if I _____ (#6 verb) around
_____ times, that will do the trick. (#5 noun)

Nope. That didn't work, so I'll just wish you a
_____ New Year! (#3 adjective)

Yay! I'm back to being me! _____ (write in
your name) the _____ (#6 noun)

My before and after picture!

#1 adjective

1. quiet
2. noisy
3. boring
4. awesome
5. crazy
6. You think of a word.

#2 adjective

1. cold
2. wet
3. slimy
4. lumpy
5. green
6. You think of a word.

#3 adjective

1. Happy
2. safe
3. pleasant
4. wonderful
5. unique
6. You think of a word.



#1 verb

1. sleep
2. eat
3. watch TV
4. yell
5. bowl
6. You think of a word.

#2 verb

1. wishing
2. kissing
3. laughing
4. burping
5. singing
6. You think of a word.

#3 verb

1. think
2. know
3. believe
4. realize
5. consider
6. You think of a word.

#4 verb

1. scare
2. entertain
3. surprise
4. help
5. shock
6. You think of a word.

#5 verb

1. cringe
2. faint
3. hurl
4. laugh
5. run
6. You think of a word.

#6 verb

1. spin
2. run
3. cartwheel
4. hop
5. summersault
6. You think of a word.

#1 noun

1. coin
2. hat
3. wand
4. watch
5. mitten
6. You think of a word.

#2 noun

1. frog
2. monster
3. banana
4. snowball
5. snowman
6. You think of a word.

#3 noun

1. sister
2. brother
3. mom
4. dad
5. dog
6. You think of a word.

#4 noun

1. week
2. month
3. day
4. year
5. minute
6. You think of a word.

#5 noun

1. 3
2. 5
3. 12
4. 100
5. 1,000
6. You think of a word.

#6 noun

1. dinosaur
2. student
3. alien
4. superhero
5. magician
6. You think of a word.