

A. Verbal Skills

Skills practiced: Ordering, use of words, vocabulary building, creativity.

A3 Three Things Story

Items needed:

1. Three objects not usually used together in the same place. For example: bucket, wheel, and a seed OR a nail, a plate, and a blanket.
2. A board or large piece of paper to “publish” a story.



Activity:

Place the three objects clearly in front of everyone.

Everyone then makes up a story with all three objects in it.

“Publish” the best story (funniest, most descriptive of surroundings,

most different words used) OR

Let students choose the best story to “publish” OR

“Publish” as many stories as possible.

Save the story/stories for future reading exercises.

Variation: Make up the story as a group. The teacher starts by picking up one object and beginning the story.

Pass the next object on to the first student, who adds to the story.

This student passes another object on to the next student, who adds to the story, and so on, all around the group. Give shy students the option of saying only one word.



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