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DUE: Monday, February 3, 2020

January Book Project - Traditional Literature

We will be discussing traditional literature, also known as folktales, during our English/Language Arts block. These stories tend to be VERY short and contain exaggerations and elements of magic.

For the month of January, you will need to read 2 of each of the types of folktales we discussed (fairy tales, fables, myths, legends, and tall tales) for a total of 10 books. You will use the stories to fill in the charts found on the next two pages.

What books are considered Traditional Literature? You can always google fairy tales, fables, myths, legends, and tall tales to help you find these stories, but below you will find some examples of this genre. Many of these stories can be read online for free, or of course, you can visit your local library to check out some of these great titles. Many will be in picture book form.

Fables "The Tortoise and the Hare" "The Grasshopper and the Ants" "The Lion and the Mouse" "The Fox and the Grapes" "The Crow and the Pitcher" Aesop's Fables "The City Mouse and the Country Mouse" "The Boy Who Cried Wolf"	Legends King Arthur Robin Hood "The Legend of Sleepy Hollow" "Rip van Winkle" "St. George and the Dragon" The Legend of the Poinsettia The Legend of the Indian Paintbrush The Legend of the Bluebonnet	Tall Tales "Paul Bunyan" "Pecos Bill" "Johnny Appleseed" "John Henry" "Brer Rabbit and the Tar Baby"
Myths "Jason and the Golden Fleece" "Persephone and the Seasons" "The Midas Touch" "Pandora's Box" "Daedalus and Icarus" "Pygmalion and His Wife" "Eros and Psyche"	Fairy Tales "Beauty and the Beast" "Snow White" "Cinderella" "The Princess and the Pea" "Sleeping Beauty" "The Frog Prince"	Have Fun Reading! folktales fairy tales Traditional Literature folktales tall tales

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