

Acknowledge differences in the points of view of characters, including by speaking in a different voice for each character when reading dialogue aloud.

Story Structure Activity

Read aloud from one of the books listed below and demonstrate to students how speaking in a different voice for each character helps to acknowledge the differences in the points of views.

The books listed below have dialogue that can be read aloud in different voices for each character. The Read-Along books should be read by the teacher to model expressing emotion when reading dialogue. Readables can be read by students in pairs or a small group to practice speaking in a different voice for each character.

Some of the books, like *Three Billy Goats Gruff*, can be read as a reader's theater with four students taking the roles of the four characters in the story.

Readables

Frank's Pranks
Moose are Not Meese
Photos for Phil
Fudge for Sale
The Name of the Tree
Andrew's News
The Lion and the Mouse
Cow on the Hill
Barnaby

Read-Alongs

Three Billy Goats Gruff
Noise, What Noise?
The Sweater
Turtle's Pond
Snake Weaves a Rug
The Snow Lion
Rocks in My Socks
Bandage Bandit
I Met a Monster
Darren's Work
The Mighty Sparrow