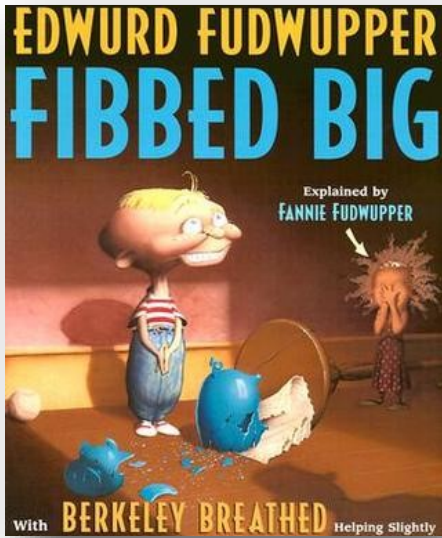


Writing Trait: IDEAS & Voice

Learning Intention: Using details to create two truths and a lie

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By Berkeley Breathed

Before Reading

Share the front cover of this book and explain to students that they will be creating two truths and one lie. Share an example that you have written. Please include lots of details in each example as the focus of this lesson is about just that!

** Please see the next page for my example
Offer space on a white board in your classroom for students to vote on the story they think is a lie. (my lie is the third one. I am not going to Costa Rica this Saturday! However, I am going to Hawaii!)

Writing

Invite students to create their own truths and a lie. If you think some students might be stuck for ideas, do a little brainstorming first and create a chart of possible truth and lie topics:

A place you've been	Something that happened to your parent(s)	A scary moment
An injury you've had	A favourite food	Getting lost
A Grandparent fact	A favourite place	Pets

Invite each student one at a time to tell their two truths and a lie. Students can then vote on the one they think represents the lie.

This lesson involves lots of movement, fun, laughter, and thinking carefully about clues. But be prepared, it will take a while to share and vote!

Reading

After all these lies, it's time to read the story! Enjoy!

Two Truths and a Lie...

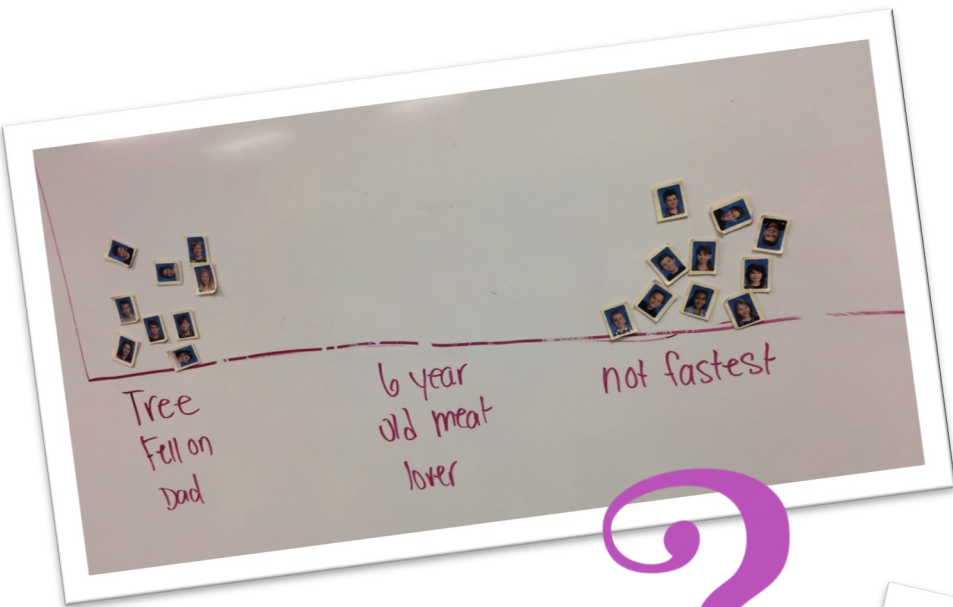
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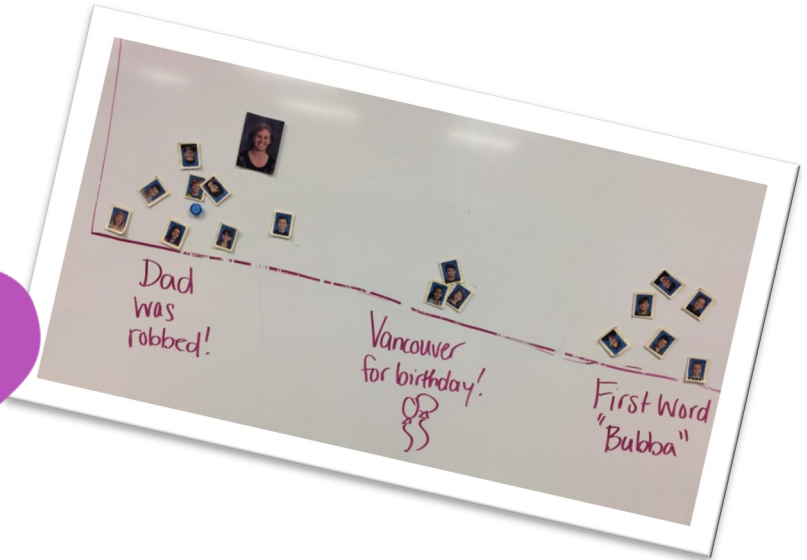


- While working at Shopper's Drug Mart in Vancouver as a cashier, I was robbed at knife point. Two police officers were staking out the store at the time and luckily realized I was being robbed. A police chase resulted between the two cars and the robber was apprehended. Months later, I spent a day in court testifying. When you do a Google search for the robber's name, sadly you will read his obituary. He was a young man who obviously lived a sad life.
- When we bought our property, we found out the land sits on a First Nations' Midden. A midden is where First Nations people lived at least a thousand years ago. Two articulated skeletons were found. A skeleton is called articulated when it is aged and brown because it is over one thousand years old. Archaeologists dug on our property for several weeks. They also found an absolutely perfect arrow head made of stone. Think about becoming an archaeologist when you grow up because they make a lot of money for slowly digging in the dirt!
- On Saturday, I will take a quick flight to Vancouver. I'll only have an hour there before catching my next flight to Costa Rica. I've never been to Costa Rica before, but I am looking forward to hot weather, turquoise water, maybe some zip-lining fun and experiencing the culture. The people in Costa Rica are known to be among the happiest people in the world. I am about to find out if that's true!





Cast your vote!
Which one is the lie?



TWO FRUITS AND A LIE
BY ELIAS

ONE DAY I WANT
TO BE A NFL PLAYER WHEN I GROW
UP.

I AM GOOD AT FOOTBALL.
I PLAY IT A HOME A LOT.

I GO OUT BIKING
WITH MY BROTHER.



I didn't see my friend on the
weekend.

I have two siblings and one older sister
I have 2 cats and 2 dogs 2 fish
and one of them is mine.

two truths and a lie by
RYLAN FORSKER

- 1: I got 81 games for free but
but if I bought them it would be
about 500 dollars.
- 2: my grandma is a professional
artist and she has a shop in 2 months.
- 3: I have had 25 animals in my
whole life that I know of 5 dogs 10 fish
6 cats 4 birds.



TWO TRUTHS AND
A LIE BY COLP

1
↓
I head
my
first
chapter
book
when
I was
3 years old

2
↓
my mom
has a silver
car in Hawaii

3
↓
I've moved
5 times
in 8 years

Two Truths and a Lie

By Ms. Whitehead (You write it on the board)

#1. When my ^{family} was going across Canada our car broke down.

#2. During my lifetime, I moved twice.

#3. Out of all the places I've moved, this is the best.



~~Two~~ Two truths and a lie

1. I have got my tonsils taken out when I was 5 and after I went to my grand parents house for them to make sure I was ok.
2. Tonsils broke my leg when I was swinging on the monkey bars I fell and broke my leg.
3. when I was born I was quite sickly and me and my mom were in the hospital for quite a long time.

Two truths and a lie
by sam

My brother worked
at the concession
stand at comox lake
for two years

Two truths and a lie by Alec

① I'm going to don't care for my
cousins birthday at bowling next week

② I went to my cousins house
yesterday to see his guinea pig babies

③

