

A Folk Tale

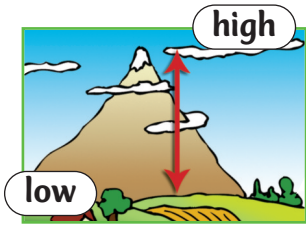
# The Cracow Dragon

storytime

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hill



king



laugh



dance



sing



angry





High on a hill, a long time ago,  
lived good King Krak, in old Cracow.  
King Krak likes to laugh and dance and sing.  
But today he is angry. What's wrong with the King?





# Be Clever!

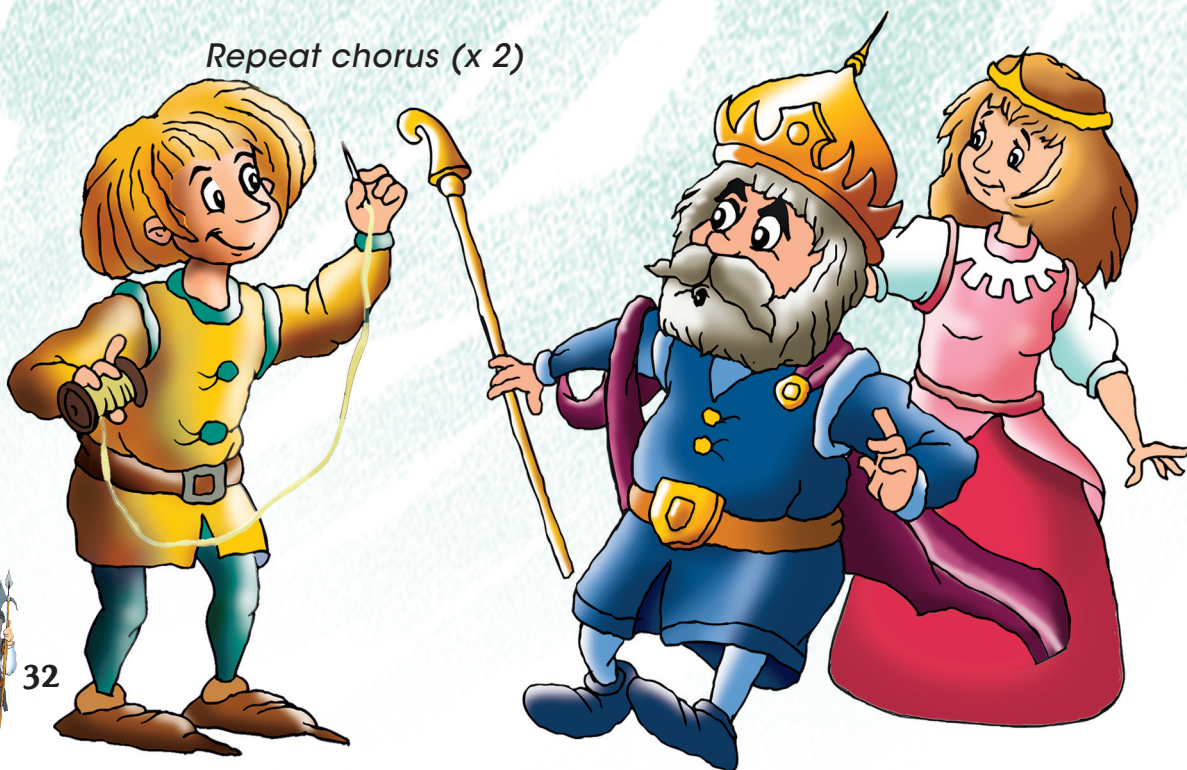
When there's a problem,  
or something is wrong,  
we need to be smart  
and not only strong.

*Chorus:* Before you become  
as brave as a knight,  
you have to be clever  
and prove that you're bright!

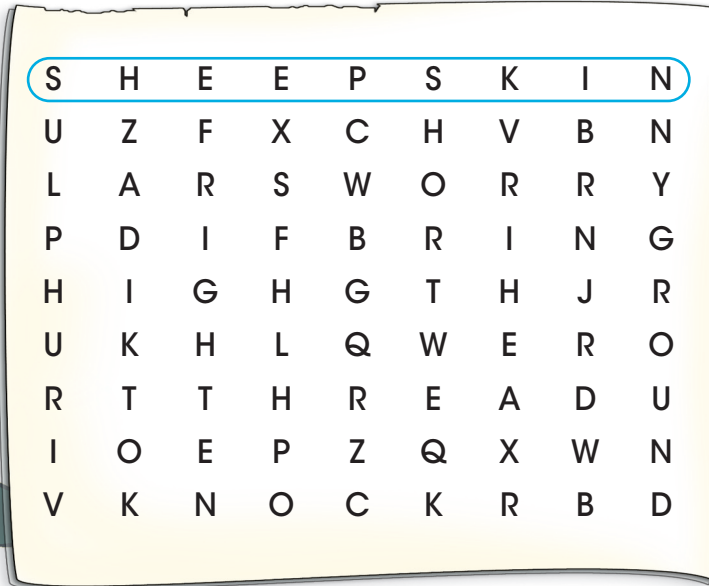
*Repeat chorus*

Young Skuba was clever.  
He had an idea.  
He worked with his brain  
instead of a spear.

*Repeat chorus (x 2)*



**G Can you find another nine words in the wordsearch?**



1. ...sheepskin...
2. ....
3. ....
4. ....
5. ....
6. ....
7. ....
8. ....
9. ....
10. ....

**H Read the paragraph and fill in the gaps with one of the words below.**

angry marry dead die kill frightened  
clever shoemaker knocks idea


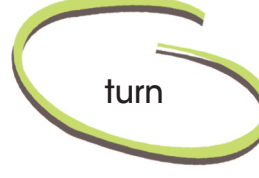

King Krak is **0)** .....angry..... because his people are **1)** .....  
of the Cracow dragon. King Krak thinks that the dragon must  
**2)** ..... . He knows that he needs a brave man to  
**3)** ..... it. King Krak says the man that can do it will  
**4)** ..... his daughter. But the dragon is **5)** .....  
When a man goes near it with a long spear, it **6)** .....  
him to the ground. Then, Skuba, the **7)** ....., says he's  
got an **8)** ..... . Skuba says that the next day the  
dragon will be **9)** .....






# Activities for pages 22 - 31

I Look at the pictures and draw lines to join the words and make phrases.

0   

1   

2   

3   

4   

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Stage 1



Stage 2



Stage 3

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