

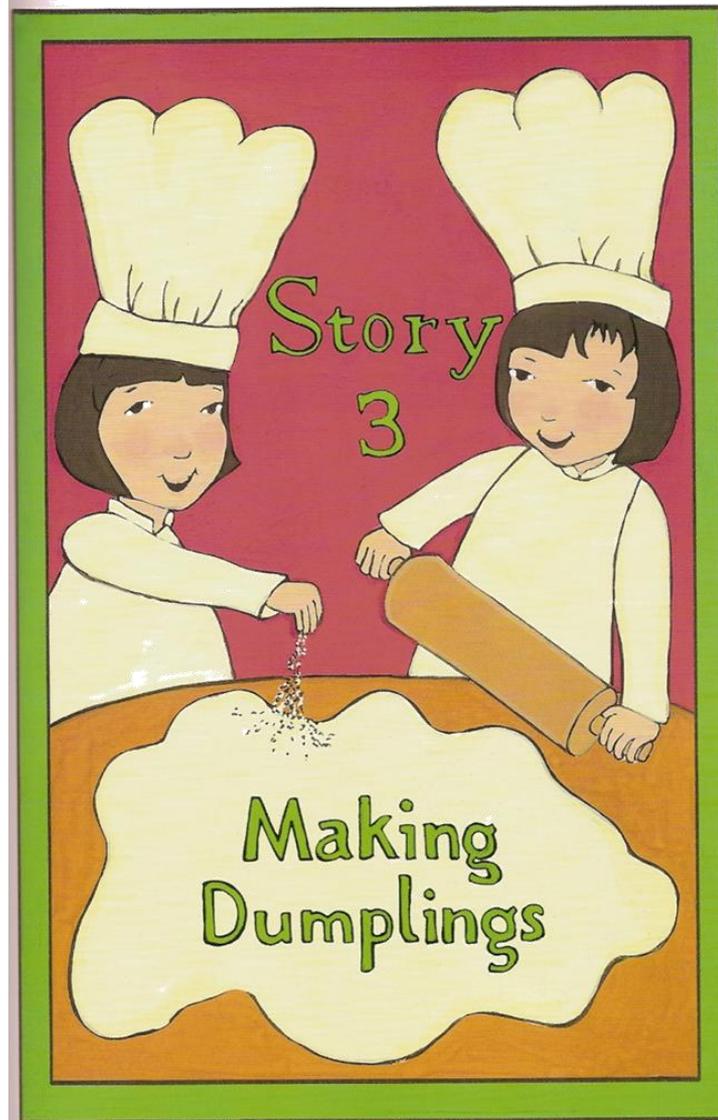
Ling & Ting: Not Exactly the Same!

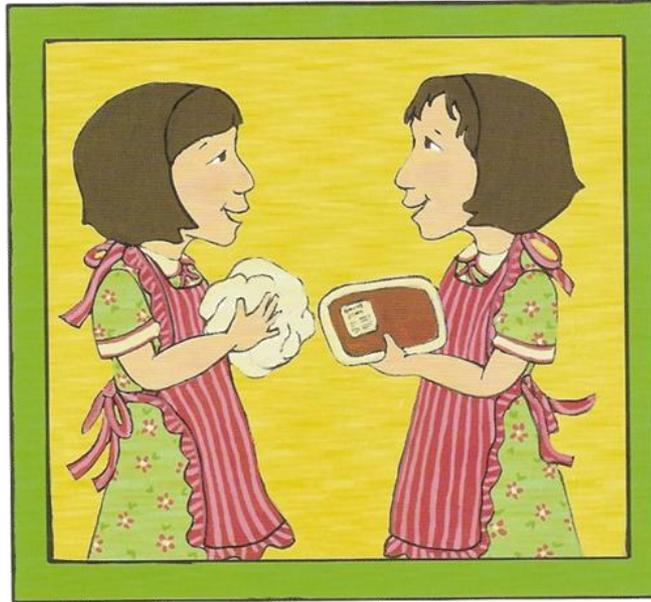
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Story 3



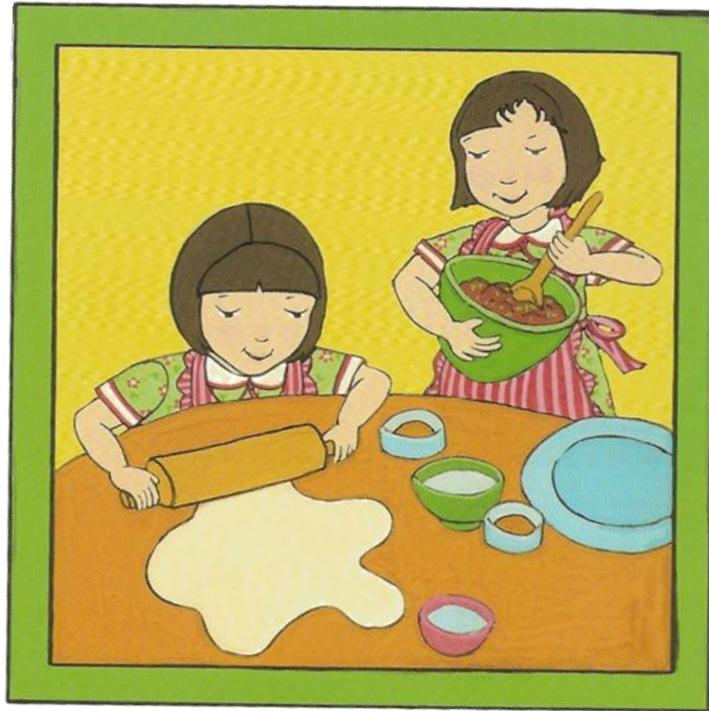


Ling and Ting are going to make dumplings.

“People say dumplings look like old Chinese money,” Ling says.

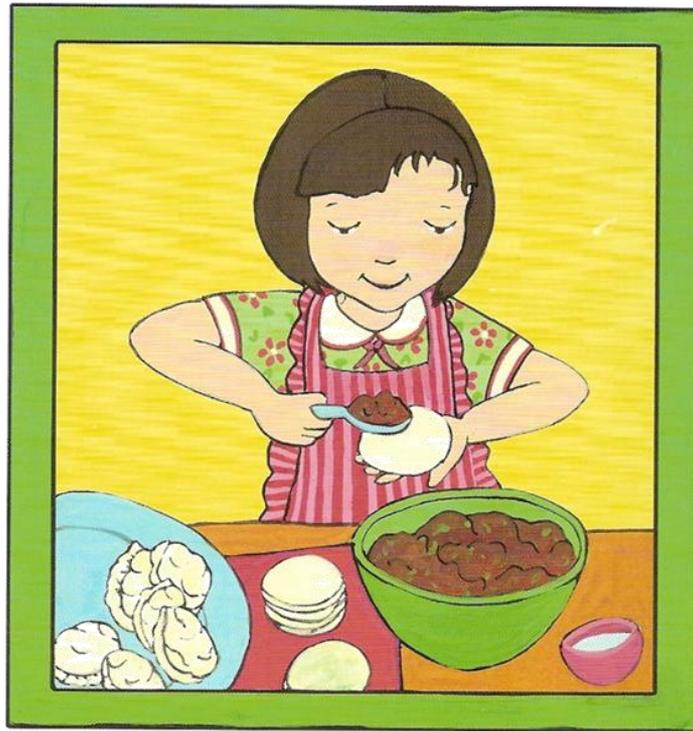
“We should make a lot of dumplings,” Ting says. “Then we will have a lot of money.”

So, Ling rolls and Ting mixes.

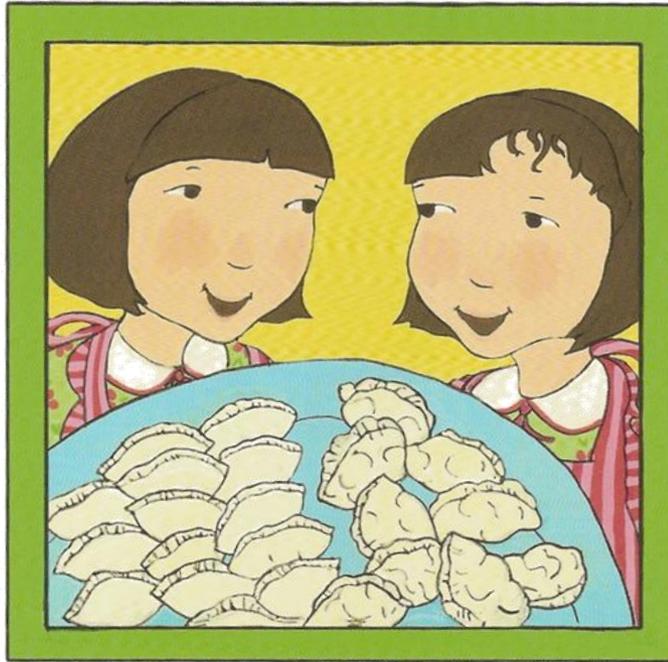




“I will close my dumplings tight,”
Ling says. “Then our money will not
get away.”



“I will put a lot of meat in my dumplings,” Ting says. “So we will be very rich.”



Soon all the dumplings are done.

“Our dumplings do not look the same,”
Ling says. “My dumplings are smooth.
Your dumplings are fat.”

“Yours are dump-Lings,” Ting says.
“Mine are dump-Tings!”

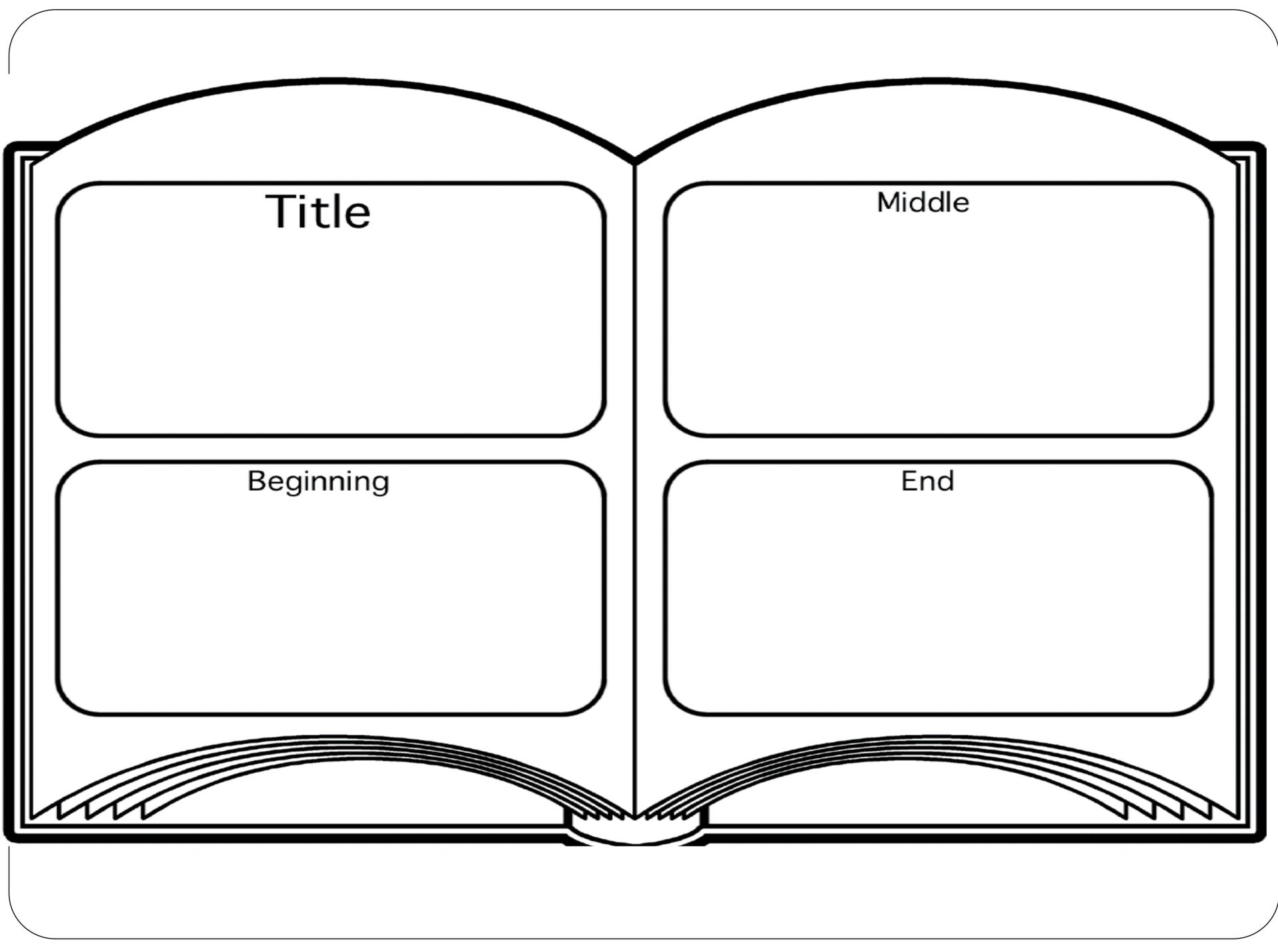
The project

- **In this project you will:**
 - **Work in small groups or pairs**
 - **Complete a sequencing organizer**
 - **Assign parts and choose props**
 - **Practice, practice, practice**
 - **Use your dramatic talents and loudest speaking voice to act out a story from *Ling & Ting: Not Exactly the Same!***
 - **Have fun!**

Step 1

- **Complete the sequencing organizer**
 - **Think about:**
 - **The order of events**
 - **The characters**
 - **The action that takes place**





Title

Middle

Beginning

End

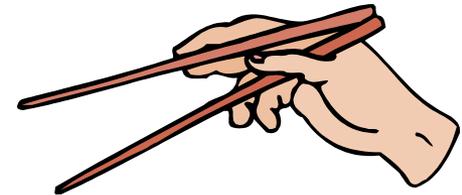
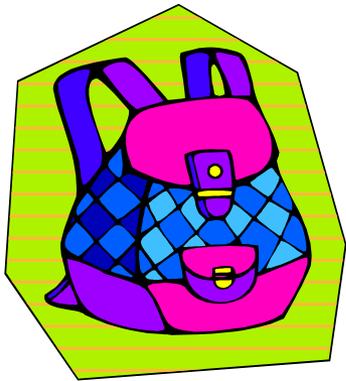
Step 2

- **Assign Parts**
 - **Decide who will play each character**
 - **Names can be changed!**



Step 3

- **Choose props**
 - **Decide what you will need to act out your scene**
 - **Select props from the prop table**
 - **Use other items you already have: backpack, pencil, books**



Step 4

- **Practice!**
 - **Rehearse your scene together**
 - **Focus on getting the events in the correct order**
 - **Don't try to memorize the story word for word**



Step 5

- **Perform**
 - **Keep going if you make a mistake**
 - **Speak loudly, clearly and slowly**
 - **Don't forget to use your props!**
 - **Have fun!**
- **Be a good listener and show respect for classmates when you are not performing**

