

Characters, events and settings in different contexts in literature by...

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Learning intention

- discuss characters, events and settings in different contexts in literature by First Nations Australian, and wide-ranging Australian and world authors and illustrators

Teach and model

- exploring the ways wide-ranging authors tell the same story, identifying variations in the storyline
- discussing similarities and differences in the way the wolf is portrayed in different versions of children's stories by wide-ranging world authors
- exploring the ways Australian settings are portrayed in stories

Check understanding

- Explain the main idea in characters, events and settings in different contexts in literature by... using an example.
- Show the idea in a second way: with words, a model, a diagram or symbols.
- Apply the idea to a short unfamiliar situation and justify the result.

Teaching cautions

- Ask the student to explain their choice, not only state an answer.
- Check that key vocabulary is understood in a new example.
- Mix representations so the skill is transferred rather than copied.

Quick lesson sequence

- Connect to prior knowledge and introduce the key vocabulary.
- Model one clear example, then solve a second example together.
- Finish with an independent check and a short student explanation.