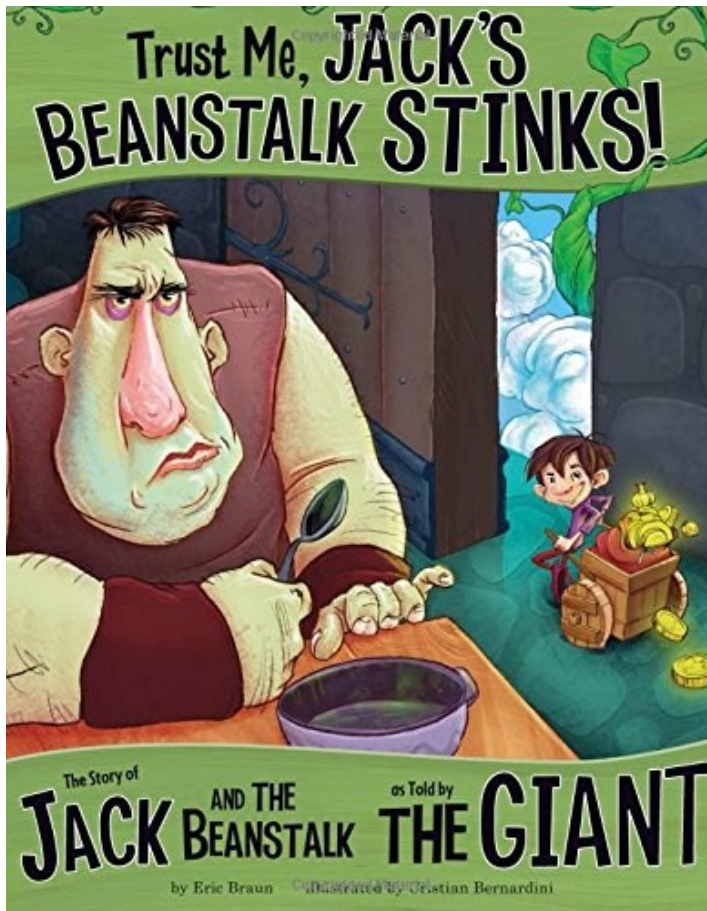


Imagine Your Story: Jack and the Beanstalk



Join Ms. Crystal
LIVE at 2pm,
Thursday, June 4
for a story and
craft with the
items in your Jack
and the Beanstalk
activity pack!

Follow the link at
[www.Osceolalibrary.org/
Summer-Learning](http://www.Osceolalibrary.org/Summer-Learning)

Trust Me, Jack's Beanstalk Stinks! is considered a fractured fairy tale and is based on the story of Jack the Giant Killer, an English fairy tale and legend about a young boy who slays a number of bad giants during King Arthur's reign.

Think of the word 'fractured.' What do you picture in your mind? Bones cracked and broken? We know that something fractured must be put together. Much like a bone that must be re-broken to be set, fractured fairy tales are broken apart to be set back together.

The most basic definition of a fractured fairy tale is a rewritten fairy tale. Considering fairy tales started out as oral, every retelling that tweaked the story even the smallest bit would be fractured. For example, Jack and the Beanstalk has been retold hundreds of times over the years, but the fracturing of fairy tales really started when we began writing them down. Once they became literary in this way, things started changing, and written stories became longer, becoming the story books and themes of today.

PRESCHOOL SONGS:

I'm a Little Bean Song

Sing to the tune of "I'm a Little Teapot"
I'm a little bean small and round,
(Curl up on the floor)
Bury me deep into the soft ground,
(sung in a very low deep voice)
Sprinkle me with water,
(act out watering can)
Sunshine too,
(hands out wide)
Watch me grow as tall as you.
(Stretch to the sky)



Jack's Magical Beans

Sing to the tune "Do Your Ears Hang Low?"
Magical beans now,
Because Jack has sold his cow
Oh, his mum, was very cross,
But the Beanstalk grew up, wow!
Should he climb up to the top?
Should he get half way and stop?
Magical beans now?

STEM @ HOME: Grow Your Own Magic Beans

Checkout these activities brought to you by the Florida Dept of Agriculture:

www.fdacs.gov/content/download/90594/file/ADA-HOM_SnapBean_6-8.pdf

www.fdacs.gov/content/download/90595/file/ADA-HOM_SnapBean_FreshFind.pdf

www.fdacs.gov/content/download/90596/file/ADA-HOM_SnapBean_GardenActivity.pdf



MORE FUN @ HOME! You on the Beanstalk



www.notimeforflashcards.com/2009/06/your-child.html

Week 1 Extra Activity: ----->

Story Towel you will need a towel for each family member

Supplies needed: Permanent markers Acrylic paint

Colors needed: various greens or black (or child's choice of color)

Write with a permanent marker the logo in center of the towel and in place of "your name here", write child's name -
"Imagine Joseph's Story" or "Imagine Katie's Story"

Draw with a permanent marker vines going up the right side of the towel - help your child place handprints with green (or their choice of color) up the vine in various places.

Allow to dry, then store for the next storytime with Ms. Crystal. You will be adding to this towel!

