



ورقة عمل



وزارة التربية والتعليم العالي

الوحدة: التاسعة (Once upon a time)

المبحث: اللغة الانجليزية

الصف: 11/ريادة وأعمال

Comprehension

الدرس: الأول

Read the following text and do the tasks below:

Global tales

One definition of 'folk tales' is: stories that are traditional among a group of people. Like folk songs, they are passed down from generation to generation and it is impossible to say who first told or wrote **them**. 'Fairy stories' are similar, but they are mainly for children and often feature animals that talk, giants and other imaginary things.

We can learn a lot about different countries from their folk tales, but the similarities between them are interesting too. Take, for example, the 'trickster' stories that are told in many parts of the world, including Africa, the Caribbean and Scandinavia, where they are very popular. In **these**, the hero gets what he wants by being clever and telling lies. Many societies have 'heroic' stories, where the main character goes on a long and difficult journey to find something important. There are also 'romantic' tales, love stories in which a man and a woman have to solve many problems before they can be together.

The Palestinian tale of Ataba and Zarief e-Ttool is mainly a romantic story of how love finally wins. Zarief and the beautiful Ataba fall in love, but Ataba's father refuses to accept Zarief because he is poor. **He** sends Zarief all over the country to bring back different things, thinking he will fail. This is also a heroic story, because Zarief succeeds every time. However, the father always asks for something else. Finally, Zarief gets help from an Egyptian Mukhtar, a friend of Ataba's father. He persuades the father that Zarief will be a good husband for Ataba, and **the couple** can at last get married.

A: answer the following questions.

1. What are the main characteristics of "Fairy stories"?

- a.
- b.

2. What makes the Palestinian tale of Ataba and Zarife e-Tool a romantic story?

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B: Which story type does each of the following sentences characterize?

- 1. The hero gets what he wants by telling lies.
- 2. These are mainly for children and often feature animals that talk.
- 3. The main character goes on a journey to find something important.
- 4. A man and a woman have to solve many problems before they get married.

C: Decide whether the following sentences are True or False:

1. Folk tales are passed down from generation to generation and it is possible to say who first told or wrote them. ()
2. 'Trickster' stories are only very popular in the Caribbean and Scandinavia. ()
3. In Romantic tales, a man and a woman have to solve many problems before their love finally wins. ()
4. Ataba's father sends Zariel all over the country to bring back different things as he wants him to be very strong. ()
5. The Egyptian Mukhtar is the hero of the Palestinian tale of Ataba and Zariel e-Ttool. ()

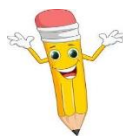
D: Replace the following words and phrases with words and phrases from the text.

1. meaning of a word.....
2. stories.....
3. contain
4. groups of people.....
5. main (male) person in a story.....
6. any person in a story (or film, play, etc)
7. convinces

E: Write what the following pronouns refer to:

1. "them" in line 3
2. "these" in line 7
3. "he" in line 14
4. "the coupe" in line 17

Good Luck



Together we learn

