After you have seen the film

How did the film Shrek differ from any other fairy tale?

Create a poster for your modern-day fairy tale. Who do you think would go and see the film version of your masterpiece? (Dear this in mind when you are designing your poster.)

1. Storyboard the fairy tale by telling the story in pictures.

2. Give your favourite fairy tale the Shrek Treatment by updating it for a modern-day audience.

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The fairy tale princess is a no-nonsense Korat-queen, and dancing puppets that greet you as you enter:

The old lady lives in a fairy tale theme park, complete with a Luncietor car park.

The goodie is in fact an ore-litterly:

Shrek takes all of the elements of the classic fairy tale and twists them...
Did you notice any other fairy tale characters in the film _Shrek_?

After you have seen the film, choose one of the characters from the list above and design a dressing room for them. Perhaps _Pinochio_ would need some wood polish? Perhaps _Pinocchio_ would need some wood polish?

What sort of things would they need whilst they were waiting to shoot their scenes? Maybe the _Pied Piper_ would need some red polish? For each one detailing the extra requirements they would need in their respective dressing rooms. What sort of things imagination that each of the fairy tale characters above were hired as actors and actresses on the set of _Shrek_.

**Activities**

- _Sleeping Beauty_
- The Three Bears
- The Gingerbread Man
- The Pied Piper
- The Blind Mice
- _Little Red Riding Hood_
- The Seven Dwarves
- The Seven Little Pigs
- _Pinocchio_

_The Shrek_ film features many famous faces from our fairy tale heritage including...
There's more to ogres than you think?

Activity

Use your powers of persuasion to convince people that there is more to Shrek than meets the eye.

Design a poster which shows him in a favourable light.

Use colours, words and images together to show him as a hero of fairy tales. Try to get rid of the bad name that ogres have been given!

Here are some words to help you:

brave, loyal, strong, caring, determined, helpful

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Who was the real baddie? Design a 'Wanted' poster for this character.
Computer generated magic

The latest advancements in Computer Generated Images (CGI) were used to make the film Shrek.

The process is as follows:
1. Storyboarding
2. Actors' voices recorded
3. Animation
4. Lighting
5. Texture added
6. Details added
7. Colours added
8. Lip syncing
9. Crowd scenes added
10. Fade editing

ACTIVITIES

1. Research this process using the internet. Try these websites:
   www.bergen.org/AAF-TV/ComputerAnimation
   www.shrek.com

Imagine you have been asked to work on the production of Shrek 2. Which role would you be best suited to? Think of the subjects that you are good at. If you are good at English, maybe you could be involved in the storyboarding or editing stages. If you are good at art, maybe the colour/lighting team would need you. If computers are your thing, how about being an animator or the lip sync checker?

2. Write a pretend letter outlining which job you would like and why. Remember to put your address and the date on the top and to sign it. Yours sincerely.

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In no more than 250 words, write a review for the film Shrek, paying particular attention to the animation.