

Who Tells It?

Listen to story parts and identify the teller.

CCSS.ELA-Literacy.RL.1.6 "Identify who is telling the story at various points in a text."

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Teacher: this page is run aloud. The script and answers are on the guide page.

1 STORY VOICES

a	Ben	Mia	Narrator
b	Mia	Narrator	Ben
c	Gus	Ben	Narrator

2 VOICE SWITCH

a	Mia	Narrator	Ben
b	Ben	Gus	Narrator
c	Gus	Narrator	Mia

HOW TO RUN THIS PAGE

Read the story parts and choices aloud, then have students circle one large word in each row. Students identify whether a character is telling from inside the story or a narrator is telling about the characters.

Students never read directions on this sheet. Read each part's script aloud, then each prompt, giving think time before students mark.

PART 1 • STORY VOICES

SAY “In our story, Mia has a kite, Ben has a drum, and Gus has boots. I will read each story part and the choices. Who is telling each part? Circle the word you choose.”

ROW	SAY	STUDENTS CIRCLE
a	You hear, “I hold my kite string tight.” Who is telling this part, Ben, Mia, or Narrator?	Mia
b	You hear, “I tap my drum two times.” Who is telling this part, Mia, Narrator, or Ben?	Ben
c	You hear, “I pull on my boots.” Who is telling this part, Gus, Ben, or Narrator?	Gus

PART 2 • VOICE SWITCH

SAY “Now listen for a change in who tells the story. A narrator tells about characters, and a character can tell about himself or herself. Who is telling each part? Circle the word you choose.”

ROW	SAY	STUDENTS CIRCLE
a	You hear, “Mia holds her kite while Ben taps his drum.” Who is telling this part, Mia, Narrator, or Ben?	Narrator
b	You hear, “I tap my drum and watch the kite.” Who is telling this part, Ben, Gus, or Narrator?	Ben
c	You hear, “Gus pulls on his boots.” Who is telling this part, Gus, Narrator, or Mia?	Narrator

WHAT TO ACCEPT

Part 1 answers are Mia, Ben, Gus. Part 2 answers are Narrator, Ben, Narrator. Accept a clear circle around the correct word.