

Worksheet 3

The Attic

Meaningful Morals

The girl who plays the central character in this story learns a lesson and realises the meaning of 'Break a promise, lose a promise'. This phrase sounds like something from a fairy tale or a story with a 'moral'. Answer the following questions to provide an explanation and example you can share with others.

1. What is a 'moral'? To explain this, think about what people mean when they refer to 'the moral of the story is ...' You could also use a **dictionary** to check the definition.
2. Can you think of a fairy tale which revolves around promises (broken, kept, secret or creating a problem for someone)?
3. **Summarise** or **retell** that fairy tale. You could do this in writing or share it aloud to a small group or the class.
4. Can you think of a situation in **your own life** where 'break a promise, lose a promise' has affected you? Or something that has happened and you feel there has been a 'moral' to your experience?

