

iEl mejor
chocolate caliente!

Mini-story

EXAMPLE of mini-story outline

Book 2
Chapter 4

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Instructions:

On the following page is an example of the story that the boys and I created together. I used the mini-story outline script from the PQA document and then typed it up for a story to read with them.

I formatted it one line at a time because that makes it easier for kids to read and understand.

You can use this for both listening and reading practice. When I read stories with my students, I read a sentence in Spanish and then have students act out the story or draw it while I'm reading so they can show understanding. Feel free to say the sentence as many times as they need to hear it!

You can either tell the kids what the bolded words mean in English as you go or write the words on the vocabulary list.

If you feel like your kids have had enough listening practice from PQA and the movie talk and easily understand what you're saying in Spanish, feel free to just have them read the story.

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A. Read each sentence of the story first in Spanish and then in English.

Hay una planta especial.

La planta es **una dionea atrapamoscas**¹.

La planta se llama Júpiter.

Júpiter es gigante como una casa y es **vieja**² porque tiene 60 años para una planta.

Pero Júpiter **solamente**³ tiene 3 años para personas.

Júpiter vive en una selva cerca de muchos árboles.

Un día, Júpiter está en la selva.

Júpiter puede comer 3.500.000 insectos pero no hay insectos cerca de Júpiter.

Júpiter no come **nada**⁴ y quiere comer.

Hay **un científico**⁵ que se llama Billy Bob Joe Jr.

Billy quiere ver la selva.

Billy llega a la selva en un bote.

Billy baja del bote contento.

Billy ve a Júpiter en la selva.

Con ojos grandes, Billy dice <<¡Es una planta muy grande como Júpiter!>>

Júpiter grita <<¡INSECTO!>>

Billy no tiene nada pero encuentra **un gusano**⁶.

Billy le da el gusano a Júpiter.

No es un insecto pero Júpiter está contento.

¹a Venus flytrap ²old ³only ⁴anything (nothing) ⁵a scientist ⁶a worm

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