

Making Connections

Text to Self



Level 1

This story reminds me of a time when I was bullied.

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Level 2

This story reminds me of a time when I was bullied by a girl in my school. She was mean.

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Level 3

This story reminds me of a time when I was bullied at school by a girl. She would often say hurtful things such as, "You can't run fast. You will never make the cross country team." Her comments made me feel really sad and I became so nervous about trying out for the cross country team because of what she said to me about my speed. This is similar to the story "One," when Red said hurtful things to Blue.

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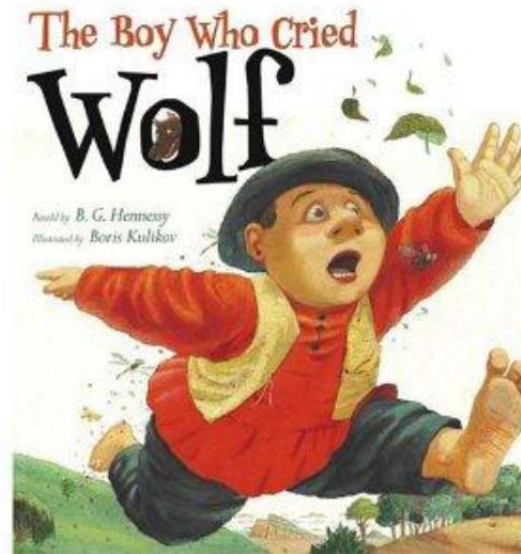
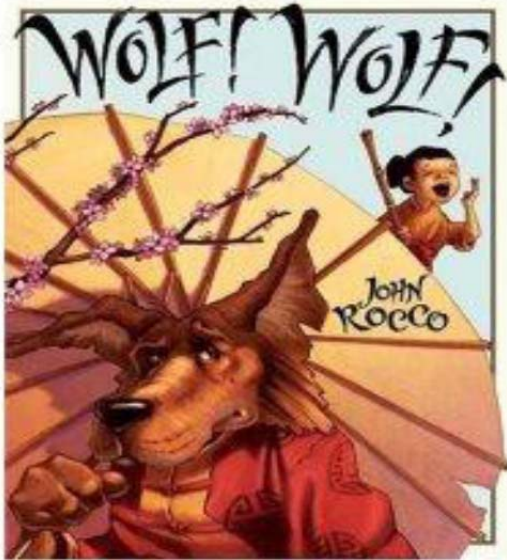


Level 4

This story reminds me of a time when I was bullied at school by a girl. She would often say hurtful things such as, "You can't run fast. You will never make the cross country team." Her comments made me feel really sad and I became very nervous about trying out for the cross country team because of what she said about my speed. However, I did try out for the team and made it. This incident is similar to what happened in the story, "One," when Red said mean things to Blue by saying, "Red is hot. Blue is not." At the end of the story Blue stood up to Red and Red stopped bullying Blue.

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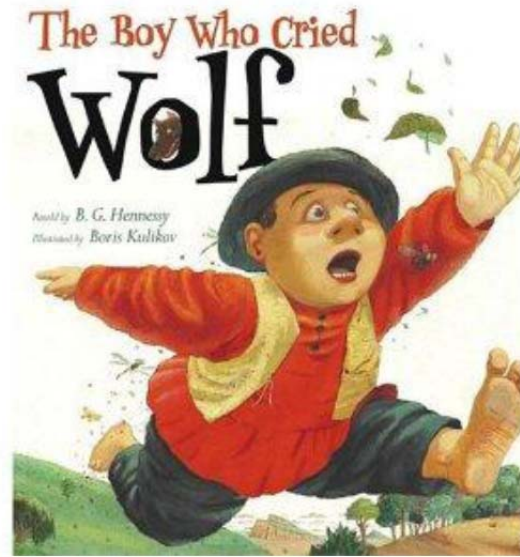
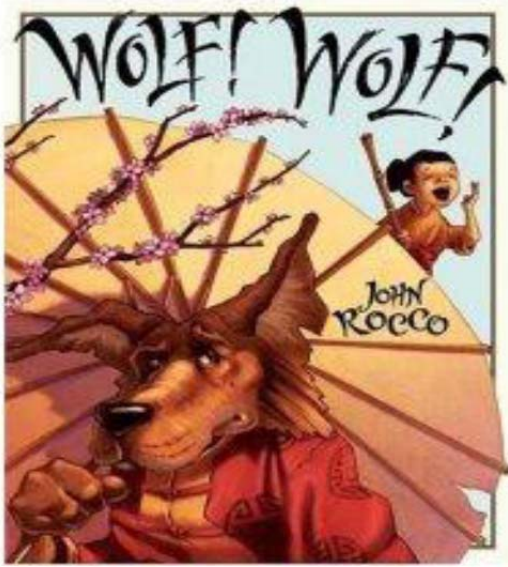


Level 1

These stories are similar because they both have wolves in them.

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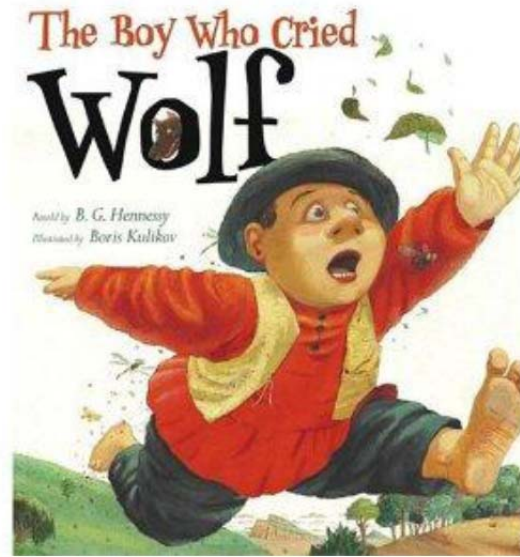
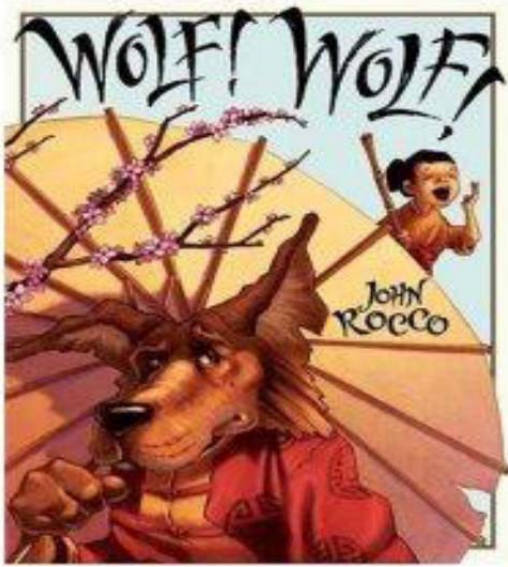


Level 2

These stories are similar because they both have a boy who tells lies about wolves.

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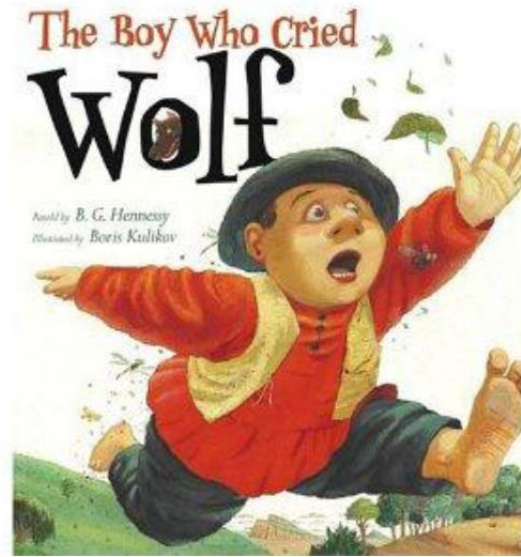
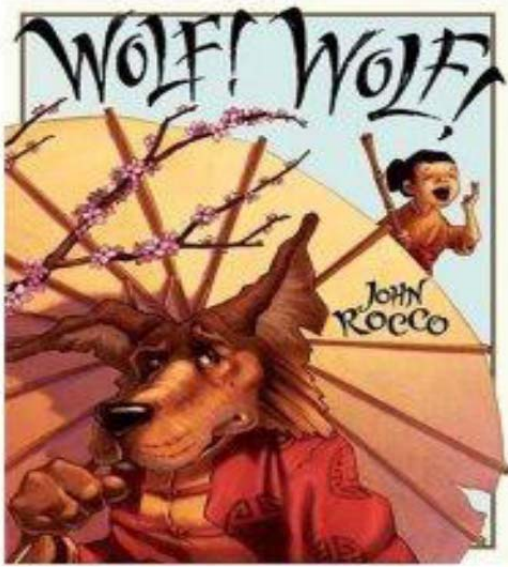


Level 3

These stories are similar because they both have similar characters in the story. In both stories there are wolves and a shepherd boy who keeps telling lies about wolves coming to eat the food. The villagers keep rushing to the boy's rescue only to find that there aren't any wolves in sight. As a result, no one believes the boy even when the wolves really show up to eat the food.

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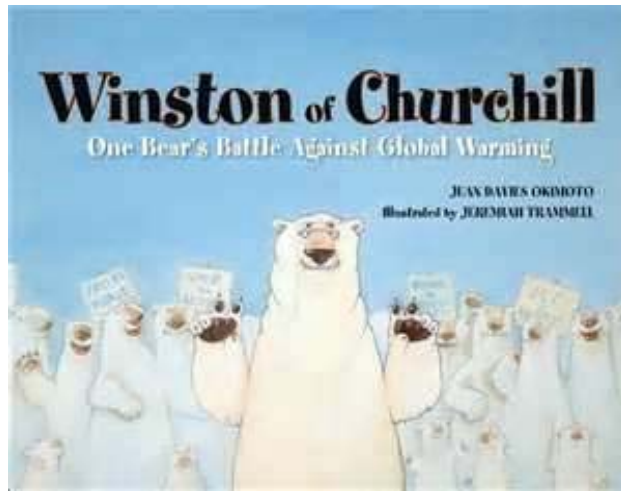


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These stories are similar because they both have similar characters and the Big Idea. In both stories there are wolves and a shepherd boy who keeps telling lies about wolves coming to eat the food. The villagers keep rushing to the boy's rescue only to find that there aren't any wolves in sight. As a result, no one believes the boy even when the wolves really show up to eat the food. The Big Idea in both stories is not to tell lies as no one will believe you next time. You should always tell the truth.

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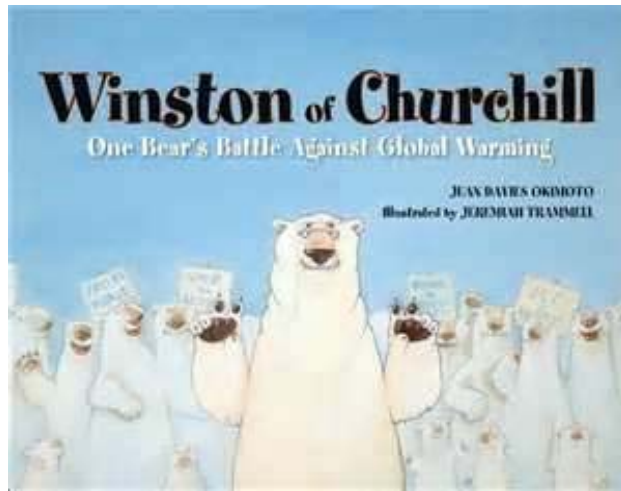


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This story reminds me that
our environment is in
danger.

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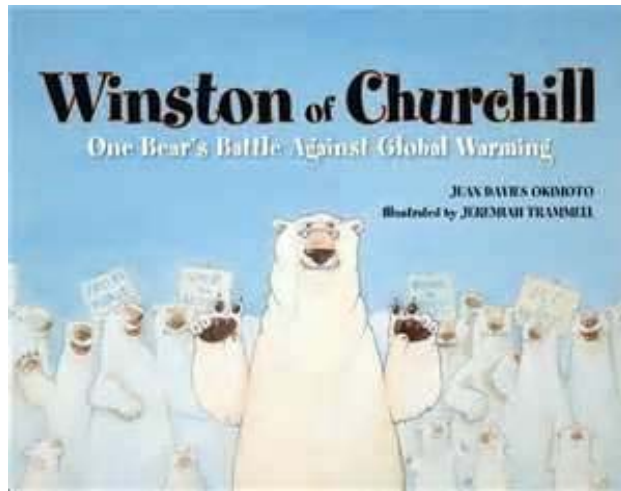


Level 2

This story reminds me that our environment is in danger of global warming and we must change our ways to help save our environment.

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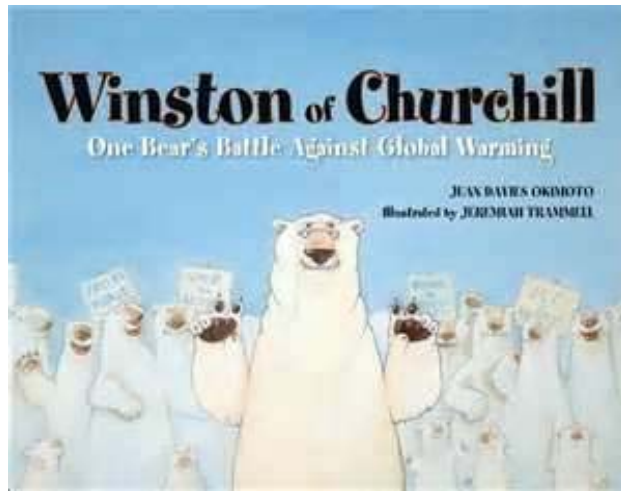


Level 3

This story reminds me of an environmental issue that we are facing today. Our environment is in danger of global warming and we must change our ways to help save our environment. Because the earth is getting warmer, the ice in climates like the Arctic is melting making it difficult for polar bears to hunt for their food. As a result, polar bears are becoming endangered. In the story, Winston asks the polar bear community to help him in finding ways to save their home from global warming.

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Level 4

This story reminds me of an environmental issue that we are facing today. Our environment is in danger of global warming and we must change our ways to help save our environment. Because the earth is getting warmer, the ice in climates like the arctic is melting making it difficult for polar bears to hunt for their food. As a result, polar bears are becoming endangered. In the story, Winston asks the polar bear community to help him in finding ways to save their home from global warming. However, he realizes that his actions of smoking cigars are contributing to the problem of pollution. Winston agrees to change his ways and quits smoking, thereby encouraging other polar bears to think about how their negative actions impact the environment and motivating them to change their ways.