## Story Cubes

## Episode 57

## Introduction

Building narrative skills, such as setting scenes and sequencing, make way for more complex skills such as understanding feelings and the relationship between actions and consequences.

These story cubes engage your child in the process of understanding how stories are expressed!

## Supplies

- Templates
- Tape

- Colored pencils or crayons
- Scissors
- Glue stick


## Instructions

1. Color: Color the template.
2. Cut: Cut out template around the outside border.
3. Fold: Fold along each straight line to make the cube sides and tabs, and coat with glue.
4. Make cubes: Shape into cubes, then tape the tabs to the underside of the cube faces.
5. Play: Roll the die and incorporate the picture into a story you create together.

## How to Use Your Story Cubes

To use, just roll the cubes one at a time to create your story, adding the face-up picture to the sequence of events as you go! At first, have your child roll the die and you make up the story. Then, progress to alternating adding the story elements between you and your child. Pretty soon, your child will be leading the story all on their own, and maybe even acting it out!

## Additional Resources

Visit Plano Public Library's official YouTube channel to view this activity and other Library Make videos

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