

# LITTLE GOOD WOLF

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## CLASSROOM RESOURCE



## ABOUT THE AUTHOR

*Aleesah Darlison*



Aleesah Darlison is an award-winning author of over 50 books for children. She has won or been shortlisted for numerous awards including the Environment Award for Children's Literature, the CBCA Eve Pownall Award, and the Speech Pathology Book of the Year Awards. Many of Aleesah's books champion the cause of animals, the environment, and child self-empowerment.

## A CHAPTER BOOK AGES 6 - 8 YEARS

### BOOK BLURB

Little Good Wolf wants to be liked and have friends. But he has one HUGE problem. His dad is the Big Bad Wolf, the most feared villain in all of Fairytale Land! The Big Bad Wolf scares girls in red capes. He chases grannies in their nighties. He blows houses down and frightens little pigs. No wonder no one will play with Little!

Determined to gain acceptance at school, Little begs Dad to find a new job. What follows are some rather hilarious and hair-raising adventures as the Big Bad Wolf searches for a new job.

### INCLUSIONS

- About the Author
- Class Discussion Topics
- Fairytale Land Mapping Exercise
- Critical Thinking Exercise
- Wolf Research Project
- Related Texts & Resources List

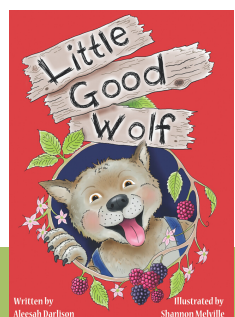
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By the book at [www.wombatbooks.com.au](http://www.wombatbooks.com.au).

Find more Classroom Resources on Aleesah Darlison's website [www.aleesahdarlison.com](http://www.aleesahdarlison.com).



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## CLASS DISCUSSION

*Little Good Wolf* is a 'fractured fairytale'. A fractured fairytale is a traditional story that has been rearranged to create new plots, or that changes characters, settings or points of view to give a new spin on a well-known tale. Discuss the items below as a class or in groups.

1. Which fractured fairytales have you read recently or seen at the movies or on TV?
2. *Little Good Wolf* is set in Fairytale Land. How is this world similar to ours? How is it different?
3. What advice would you give Little for making friends at school?

## FAIRYTALE LAND MAP

Draw a map of Fairytale Land. Include all the places Little and the BBW visit, live and work.



## CRITICAL THINKING EXERCISE

Do you think that Little's father's bad behaviour is the reason that the other kids don't play with him? What do you think might convince the other kids to be Little's friend?

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Why do you think the Big Bad Wolf wants to keep being big and bad? What do you think the Big Bad Wolf could do instead of scaring everyone all the time?

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List some other jobs that the Big Bad Wolf might be good at.

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## WOLF RESEARCH PROJECT

Research wolves on the internet or using a non-fiction book from the library. Write down ten key facts about wolves.



TOP 10

*Wolf Facts*

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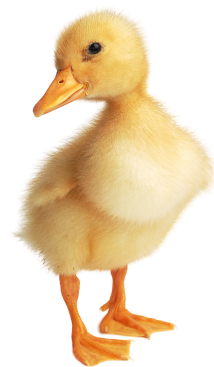




## RELATED TEXTS & RESOURCES

### Traditional Fairytales:

- Three Little Pigs
- Red Riding Hood
- Hansel and Gretel
- Goldilocks and the Three Bears
- Cinderella
- Jack and the Beanstalk
- The Ugly Duckling
- Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs
- Tom Thumb
- The Emperor's New Clothes
- Sleeping Beauty



### Modern or Fractured Fairytales about wolves & TBBW:

- *Little Wolf's Big Book of Badness* by Ian Whybrow
- *Little Wolf's Big Book of Badness & Daring Deeds* by Ian Whybrow
- *Lucy and the Big Bad Wolf* by Ann Jungman
- *The True Story of the Three Little Pigs* by Jon Scieszka

### Fractured Fairytales in Animated Movies:

- Shrek
- Tangled
- Puss in Boots
- Happily Never After
- Frozen
- Maleficent

