Advanced - Story 2

Class Objective- I am able to read and understand a story, learn new

vocabulary and answer related questions.

**Concept A: Story 1- The Fox and the Stork** 

The Fox one day thought of a plan to amuse himself at the expense of the

Stork, at whose odd appearance he was always laughing.

"You must come and dine with me today," he said to the Stork, smiling to

himself at the trick he was going to play. The Stork gladly accepted the invitation and

arrived in good time and with a very good appetite.

For dinner the Fox served soup. But it was set out in a very shallow dish, and

all the Stork could do was to wet the very tip of his bill. Not a drop of soup could he

get. But the Fox lapped it up easily, and, to increase the disappointment of the Stork,

made a great show of enjoyment.

The hungry Stork was much displeased at the trick, but he was a calm,

even-tempered fellow and saw no good at flying into a rage. Instead, not long

afterward, he invited the Fox to dine with him in turn. The Fox arrived promptly at the

time that had been set, and the Stork served a fish dinner that had a very appetizing

smell. But it was served in a tall jar with a very narrow neck. The Stork could easily

get at the food with his long bill, but all Fox could do was to lick the outside of the jar,

and sniff at the delicious odor. And when the Fox lost his temper, the Stork said

calmly:

Do not play tricks on your neighbors unless you can stand the same treatment

yourself.

Source: <a href="http://read.gov/aesop/016.html">http://read.gov/aesop/016.html</a>

Concept A: Vocabulary and it's meaning:

Appetite :a natural desire to satisfy a bodily need, especially for food.

Lapped:take up (liquid) with quick movements of the tongue-usually used for

animals.

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