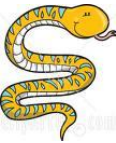







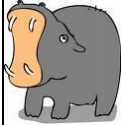





THE CLEVER TORTOISE: a traditional story from West Africa. Le texte figure en page 7.

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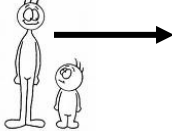


Ne pas donner le titre + proposer une **mini intro** aux élèves .

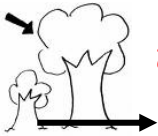
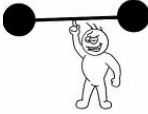

1. ne travailler que les six premières lignes
TRADITIONAL STORY // LEGEND or REAL (TRUE) STORY? (Legend: 'Lion said ... ')
WHERE?
1. **WHO ? Faire identifier les animaux** = donner un tableau avec les images à légender.
2. **Faire relever les adjectifs** (la plupart sont connus en A1 / école primaire) mais on peut aussi prévoir une activité facile de matching images/ adjectifs puis les faire associer aux animaux .
- 2 **Tick the names of the animals mentioned in the first paragraph and write their names (the names of these animals) under the pictures**



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3 ADJECTIVES


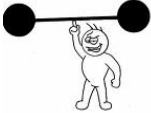












- Read the first paragraph again and underline all the adjectives
- Write these adjectives under the right pictures

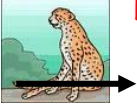



		 a neck.  (ou 'long' hair)
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MATCHING: animals & adjectives (draw a line to match the animal and the adjective)

<p>a.</p> 	<p>1.</p> 
<p>b.</p> 	<p>2.</p> 
<p>c.</p> 	<p>3.</p> 
<p>d.</p> 	<p>4.</p> 
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<p>g.</p> 	<p>7.</p> 

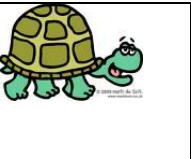


 h.		 8.							
 i.		 9.							
A+	B+	C+	D+	E+	F+	G+	H+	I+	

OPTIONAL ! Complete the following sentences

All (the) animals are different: they 're not equal because lions are, cheetahs are
 Monkeys are amusing: they're (and we often laugh when we see them)
 Hippos are very and elephants are sowhereas tortoises are
 Cobras can be veryand giraffes are
 Wildebeests are quite



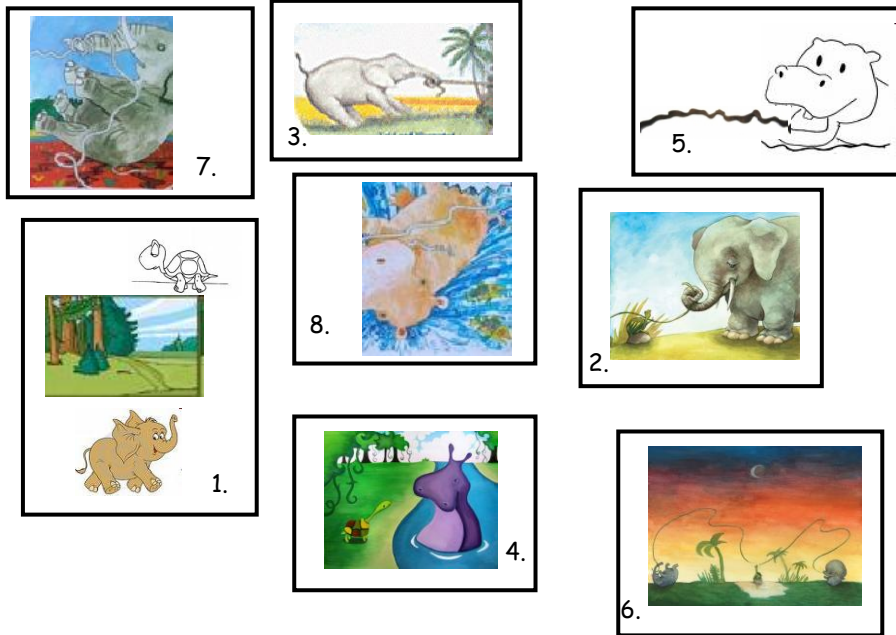
3. 2nd paragraph : TORTOISE'S REACTION

		
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Dessiner une tête de tortue : a happy one + an unhappy one = les élèves doivent cocher la bonne case et justifier leur choix.
 Tortoise wants to be big / she doesn't want to be small = she's sad/ not happy

4. **TORTOISE'S PLAN = Now read the story down to 'SPLASH '**

- put the following pictures in the right order (or write down the numbers from 1 to 8) =
- write the sentences corresponding to the pictures



Avec correction numérotée ...

Find an adjective meaning that tortoise is 'maline, rusée' = she's

5. End of the story : and the winner is ...

Your conclusion : tick the right answers

- Tortoise is big and strong
- Tortoise is strong and stupid
- Tortoise is small and clever
- Elephant and hippo are strong and stupid
- Tortoise is the strongest
- Tortoise is the cleverest
- Elephant and hippo are the cleverest

Aspect linguistique : le superlatif = faire mimer

I'm the biggest, the tallest, the smallest, the strongest ...

FIN du travail de CE.

Le texte sera présenté aux élèves avec des

devant paragraphe 1 (The meeting of the animals) , paragraphe 2 (Tortoise's reaction) ,paragraphe 3 (Tortoise's plan), last paragraph (And the winner is ..) afin que les élèves trouvent un titre à ces différentes parties du conte.

+ find a title for the story: THE CLEVER TORTOISE.

+ Faire chanter/ 'rapper' : OH WA DE HE ! (Origine de ce doc : New Standpoints)

Oh wa de he wa de ho

Wa de he he he ho (X4)
The cheetah is
The lion is

Oh wa de he wa de ho
Wa de he he he ho (X2)

The elephant's
The hippo is (X2)
The giraffe is
The tortoise is(X2)

Oh wa de he wa de ho
Wa de he he he ho (X2)

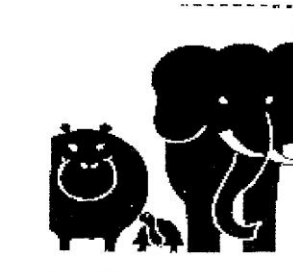
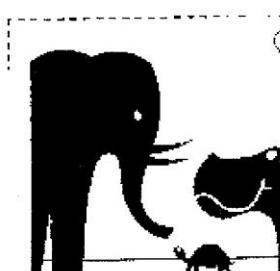
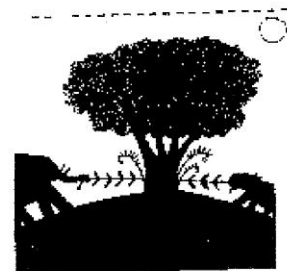
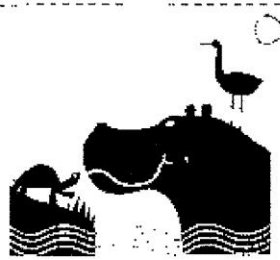
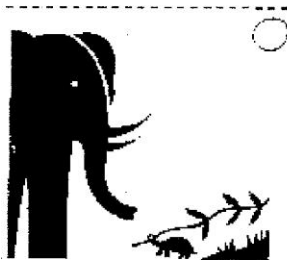
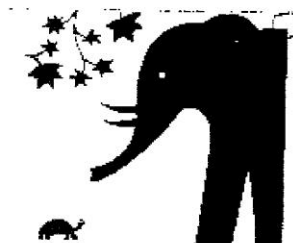
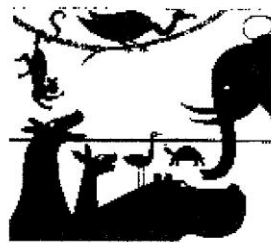
The giraffe is
The tortoise is(X2)

Oh wa de he wa de ho
Wa de he he he ho (X2)

Prolongements possibles :

Evaluation : remettre en ordre les images (découpage + remise en ordre + donner le texte dans le désordre et les élèves feront correspondre texte + images)

South Africa/Folk Tales



- origine de ces images : New Standpoints

+ Une activité centrée sur le prétérit. Donner un tableau à compléter.

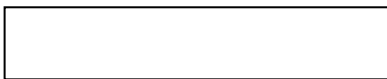
THE CLEVER TORTOISE : a traditional story from West Africa



One day, at a meeting of animals, Lion said: "We are all special. I am strong. Giraffe is tall. Cheetah is fast. Snake is long. Monkey is funny. Hippo is fat. Wildebeest is friendly. Elephant is big. And Tortoise is small."



Tortoise said: "I'm not small. I am big and strong like Elephant and Hippo!" The animals laughed: "Ah! Ah! Ah! You are small. You are not strong!" Tortoise was sad.



But Tortoise was also clever. She went to visit Elephant in the forest. "I am strong like you. Let us have a tug of war." "All right," said Elephant.

Tortoise gave Elephant the end of a long vine. "This is your end. When I shake the vine, you pull and pull and tug and tug until one of us falls over or the vine breaks."

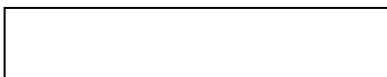
Then Tortoise went to see Hippo in the river. "I am strong like you. Let us have a tug of war" "All right" said Hippo.

Tortoise gave Hippo the other end of the vine. "This is your end. When I shake the vine you pull and pull and tug and tug until one of us falls over or the vine breaks."

Tortoise went to the middle of the vine and shook it. Elephant pulled and pulled. Hippo tugged and tugged. They pulled and pulled and tugged and tugged.

Tortoise laughed and chewed the vine in half.

*Elephant fell backwards into a tree. CRASH !!!
Hippo fell backwards into the river. SPLASH !!!*



Elephant said to Tortoise, "You are strong". Hippo said to Tortoise "You are very strong." Hippo and Elephant said "You are the strongest."

After that, when the animals came together, Elephant, Hippo and Tortoise stood together as equals.