



## TECHNO Drama

## Junior

### Project Overview:

In this project, students form video production teams and work together to create a digital story. The story they tell will be a re-make of a classic nursery rhyme. As a group, students must determine how to give the poem a "new-spin". Once the team has a plan, their ideas are organized using a storyboard. After that, actors, marionettes, or puppets enact the action sequences. The events are recorded using video capture devices and the raw footage is edited using the tools in Windows Movie Maker. The goal throughout the activities is to produce a story that children will enjoy today. Specifically students complete the following activities:

- **Session 1: Introduction to Movie Maker**  
Learn how to use Windows Movie Maker by editing video.
- **Session 2: Introduction to the Camera**  
Learn how to operate the equipment and record quality video.
- **Session 3: Plan and Organize Ideas**  
Form a production team and together develop an idea for a digital story.
- **Session 4: Capture Video**  
Record the action sequences for each shot in the story.
- **Session 5: Edit the Story**  
Use Windows Movie Maker to edit the footage by deleting frames, adding transitions, applying effects, inserting text overlays, and narrating the action.
- **Session 6: Digital Storytellers**  
Complete the video production and share it with others.



- **Technical Skills:** multimedia.
- **Technology Integration:** language arts.
- **Software Applications:** Windows Movie Maker.



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