

Nursery Rhymes & Fables

**Jack & Jill
&
Little Miss Muffet**









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To make a prediction means to say what you think will happen. You can use clues from the title, picture or text (written words) to make a prediction.

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What do you think is happening in this picture?

Make a prediction about what the nursery rhyme will be about.

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Thumbs Up = Yes

Thumbs Down = No



When we make a prediction, we use details and information to make a good guess about an event or outcome.

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Jack & Jill



Listen carefully to find out whether or not your prediction is correct.



Jack & Jill

Jack and Jill went up the hill
To **fetch** a **pail** of water;
Jack fell down and broke his crown,
And Jill came **tumbling** after.



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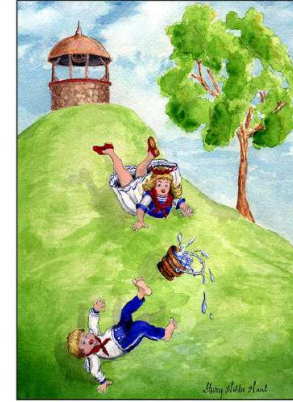


To fetch means to get.
A pail is a bucket.
Jack's crown is the top of his head.
Tumbling means falling.





Jack & Jill



Let's echo read:

Jack and Jill went up the hill
To **fetch** a **pail** of water;
Jack fell down and broke his crown,
And Jill came **tumbling** after.



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Comprehension Questions:

Evaluative

Were your predictions about what
the nursery was about correct?
Why or why not?

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Comprehension Questions:

Literal

Who are the characters in this nursery rhyme? Remember, the characters are who the nursery rhyme is about.

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Comprehension Questions:

Evaluative

What two other nursery rhymes that we've heard have a character named Jack?

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Comprehension Questions:

Literal

Where do Jack and Jill go?

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Comprehension Questions:

Literal

Why do they go up a hill?

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Comprehension Questions:

Literal

What happens to Jack?

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Comprehension Questions:

Literal

What happens to Jill?

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Comprehension Questions:

Evaluative

Why do you think Jack falls down?

Think. Pair. Share.



I'm going to ask you a question. I will give you a minute to think about the question, and then I will ask you to turn to your neighbor and discuss the question. Finally I will call on several of you to share what you discussed with your partner.

Think. Pair. Share.

Evaluative:



Why do you think Jack and Jill are fetching water?

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In the nursery rhyme you heard,
“Jack and Jill went up the hill to
fetch a pail of water.”

**Say the word fetch
with me.**

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Fetch means to go get something
and bring it back.

**My dog likes to fetch toys from
the neighbor's yard.**

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Have you ever seen a dog **fetch** something or has someone ever asked you to fetch something?

Try to use the word fetch when you tell about it.

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What's the word we
have been talking
about?

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I am going to read some situations.
I want you to say what you might
fetch in each situation. Be sure to
begin your answers with “I might
fetch ____.”

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You are feeling hungry. What might
you fetch?

“I might fetch a ____.”

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You are going to draw a picture.

“I might fetch a ____.”

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You are going outside on a cold
day.

“I might fetch a ____.”

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You are getting ready to go to
school.

“I might fetch a ____.”

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You are going outside to play.

“I might fetch a ____.”

Little Miss Muffet



We're going to read a nursery rhyme about a spider. Listen carefully to find out how the little girl in the nursery rhyme feels about spiders.

Little Miss Muffet

We're going to read a nursery rhyme called Little Miss Muffet. It has some words in it you might not have heard before.

In the poem, the little girl is eating curds and whey. Curds are white clumps of cheese and whey is the liquid they are in. It is like cottage cheese.



Little Miss Muffet

In the poem, the little girl sat on a tuffet. A tuffet is a little stool



Little Miss Muffet



Little Miss Muffet
Sat on a tuffet,
Eating her curds and whey;
Along came a spider,
Who sat down **beside** her
And **frightened** Miss Muffet away.



Little Miss Muffet

Little Miss Muffet
Sat on a tuffet,
Eating her curds and whey;
Along came a spider,
Who sat down **beside** her
And **frightened** Miss Muffet away.



beside means next to

frightened means scared

Little Miss Muffet



Let's echo read:

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Sat on a tuffet,
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Comprehension Questions:

Literal

Who are the characters in this nursery rhyme?

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Comprehension Questions:

Literal

What is Little Miss Muffet doing?

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Comprehension Questions:

Literal

What happens when Little Miss Muffet is eating?

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Comprehension Questions:

Inferential

How does Little Miss Muffet feel
about spiders?

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Comprehension Questions:

Evaluative

Can the events in this nursery rhyme really happen? Why or why not?

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Evaluative:



What would you do if you were eating and a spider came along?

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In the nursery rhyme you heard, “Along came a spider who sat down beside her and **frightened** Miss Muffet away.”

Say the word frightened with me.

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If something **frightened** you, it
scared you.

**You might be frightened by a large animal or a
loud noise.**

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Have you ever been frightened?

Try to use the word frightened when you tell about it. “I was frightened when...”

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**What's the word we have
been talking about?**

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Thumbs Up = Yes

Thumbs Down = No



I am going to describe some things. If you think what I describe would scare you, put your thumb up. If it wouldn't scare you, thumbs down.

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A spider sits down beside
you.

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A dog barks at you.

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Your mom gives you a
hug.

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You hear a strange noise
in the hallway.

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You go to your best
friend's house for dinner.

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