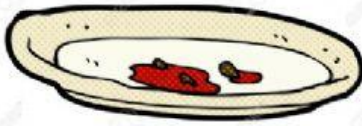


Stone Soup



1- Suddenly, there is a great famine (there isn't food). The people in the village don't have enough to eat. People are afraid, their families go hungry, so they hide the small amounts of food they have. They even hide their food from their friends and neighbors.



A- En qué párrafo se habla de esto? Escribe el número en el cuadro:

La señora pide comida a los vecinos.

La señora decide hacer sopa de piedras.

Toda la gente del pueblo se queda sin comida, tienen hambre.

La señora prueba la sopa y dice que estaría más rica con zapallo.

2-

Today, an old woman goes out of her small house. She asks the different people about something to eat this night.

"There's nothing to eat" they say to her.

"You better go home."



3- "Oh, I have everything I need," she says. "In fact, I would like to make some stone soup to share with all of you." She takes a big black cooking pot from his house. She fills it with water and lights a fire below. Then, she takes a plain gray stone from a cloth bag and drops it into the water.

"It's a magic stone" she says.



4- By now, hearing about the magic stone, most of the villagers are surrounding the old woman and her cooking pot. As the old woman sniffs the stone soup and licked her lips, the villagers become curious.

"Ahh," the old woman says, "I like this tasty stone soup. Of course, stone soup with *cabbage* is even better."

5- Soon a villager runs from his house into the village square, holding a cabbage.

"I have this cabbage from my garden," he says as he gives it to the old woman.

"Fantastic!" she shouts. She cuts up the cabbage and adds it to the pot. "You know, I once had stone soup with cabbage and beef, and it was delicious."



6- The butcher says he has some beef; he runs to his shop and puts it into the pot. Other villagers offer bits of vegetables from their own gardens - potatoes, onions, carrots, celery. Soon the big black pot is bubbling and steaming. When the soup is ready everyone in the village eats a bowl of soup, and it is delicious.

7- The villagers offer some money to the old woman, but she refuses to sell the soup. The next day she prepares another soup, but stones are not necessary any more.



B- Une el vocabulario con los vegetales:

TOMATOES - ONIONS - CARROTS - BEEF - POTATOES - BROCCOLI



C- En qué párrafo se habla de esto?

Escribe el número en el cuadro:

Todos vecinos colaboran con ingredientes para la sopa.

Un vecino trae zapallo de su huerta para la sopa.

Al día siguiente preparan sopa entre todos pero no necesitan piedras.



(Adapted from the classic folktale from the Aarne-Thompson folktale system)