

Video

Watch: [Ben's Burger Stand](#)



Caregiver Tips

- Use storytelling puppets to retell stories or create new ones with characters like Jelly, Ben, and Pogo!
- Ask your child to recall the beginning, middle, and end of a story to practice sequencing and retelling.

Activity

Storytelling Puppets



Materials:

- [Storytelling Puppets](#)
- [Puppet Theater Activity Sheets](#)
- Color/markers
- Scissors
- Glue
- Popsicle sticks
- Construction paper
- Shoebox or recycled box

Directions:

- Cut out the curtain printable (help if needed).
- Tape the stage background inside the box.
- Decorate the stage floor with crayons or markers.
- Attach the curtains to the front of the box.
- Decorate the outside with tissue paper and glue.

Book

Read: *The Gingerbread Man* **Author:** Schmidt



Play



Game

*Download the **PBS KIDS Games App** to play offline.

Extended

- Watch a PBS KIDS show together and retell the story, then act out your favorite parts.
- Encourage your child to act out stories with toys or puppets to help them retell events in their own words.