



Once Upon A Crime: Using Stories, Simulations, and Mock Trials to Explore Justice and Citizenship in Elementary School

By Wanda Cassidy, Ruth Yates

Download now

Read Online 

Once Upon A Crime: Using Stories, Simulations, and Mock Trials to Explore Justice and Citizenship in Elementary School By Wanda Cassidy, Ruth Yates

Did Goldilocks wilfully trespass and destroy the property of the three bears? What crime did the wolf commit against the three little pigs, and is the wolf obligated to repair the pigs' homes? Was Peter Pan guilty of kidnapping? In *Once Upon a Crime*, students use familiar stories to experience what it is like to investigate a crime scene, uncover important facts, weave together an argument supported with evidence and witnesses, and present their findings in a trial that simulates a court hearing. They also learn about other ways of resolving conflict, such as mediation, negotiation, and restorative justice processes. Through these activities, children engage in critical thinking, hone their literacy skills, and learn about the role law plays in their lives and their rights and responsibilities as citizens.

This book offers step-by-step instructions for conducting mock trials based on fairy tales and other multicultural stories. Five complete trial scripts are included for classroom use. Also included are ideas for adapting contemporary stories into civil and criminal trials, and mediation and negotiation activities. *Once Upon a Crime* complements the authors' previous book, *Let's Talk About Law in Elementary School*, which helps teachers integrate law-related ideas and pedagogical approaches into social studies, language arts, and science.

 [Download Once Upon A Crime: Using Stories, Simulations, and ...pdf](#)

 [Read Online Once Upon A Crime: Using Stories, Simulations, a ...pdf](#)

Once Upon A Crime: Using Stories, Simulations, and Mock Trials to Explore Justice and Citizenship in Elementary School

By Wanda Cassidy, Ruth Yates

Once Upon A Crime: Using Stories, Simulations, and Mock Trials to Explore Justice and Citizenship in Elementary School By Wanda Cassidy, Ruth Yates

Did Goldilocks wilfully trespass and destroy the property of the three bears? What crime did the wolf commit against the three little pigs, and is the wolf obligated to repair the pigs' homes? Was Peter Pan guilty of kidnapping? In *Once Upon a Crime*, students use familiar stories to experience what it is like to investigate a crime scene, uncover important facts, weave together an argument supported with evidence and witnesses, and present their findings in a trial that simulates a court hearing. They also learn about other ways of resolving conflict, such as mediation, negotiation, and restorative justice processes. Through these activities, children engage in critical thinking, hone their literacy skills, and learn about the role law plays in their lives and their rights and responsibilities as citizens.

This book offers step-by-step instructions for conducting mock trials based on fairy tales and other multicultural stories. Five complete trial scripts are included for classroom use. Also included are ideas for adapting contemporary stories into civil and criminal trials, and mediation and negotiation activities. *Once Upon a Crime* complements the authors' previous book, *Let's Talk About Law in Elementary School*, which helps teachers integrate law-related ideas and pedagogical approaches into social studies, language arts, and science.

Once Upon A Crime: Using Stories, Simulations, and Mock Trials to Explore Justice and Citizenship in Elementary School By Wanda Cassidy, Ruth Yates Bibliography

- Sales Rank: #477758 in Books
- Published on: 2005-01-01
- Original language: English
- Number of items: 1
- Dimensions: 11.00" h x .65" w x 8.55" l, 1.40 pounds
- Binding: Paperback
- 224 pages

 [Download Once Upon A Crime: Using Stories, Simulations, and ...pdf](#)

 [Read Online Once Upon A Crime: Using Stories, Simulations, a ...pdf](#)

Download and Read Free Online Once Upon A Crime: Using Stories, Simulations, and Mock Trials to Explore Justice and Citizenship in Elementary School By Wanda Cassidy, Ruth Yates

Editorial Review

About the Author

Wanda Cassidy, PhD, is an associate professor of education and the director of the Centre for Education, Law and Society at Simon Fraser University. Her research and publications focus on citizenship and human rights education, including legal literacy for youth, ethics of care, marginalized youth, and cyberbullying/cybercivility. In 2011 Dr. Cassidy was awarded the prestigious Isidore Starr Award by the American Bar Association for excellence in law-related education.

Ruth Yates recently retired as the coordinator of the Centre for Education, Law and Society in the Faculty of Education at Simon Fraser University, where she taught courses and developed curriculum and resources on law-related education for schools.

Users Review

From reader reviews:

Paul Eastman:

Do you one among people who can't read satisfying if the sentence chained from the straightway, hold on guys that aren't like that. This Once Upon A Crime: Using Stories, Simulations, and Mock Trials to Explore Justice and Citizenship in Elementary School book is readable simply by you who hate those perfect word style. You will find the information here are arrange for enjoyable examining experience without leaving perhaps decrease the knowledge that want to offer to you. The writer connected with Once Upon A Crime: Using Stories, Simulations, and Mock Trials to Explore Justice and Citizenship in Elementary School content conveys the idea easily to understand by lots of people. The printed and e-book are not different in the articles but it just different in the form of it. So , do you nonetheless thinking Once Upon A Crime: Using Stories, Simulations, and Mock Trials to Explore Justice and Citizenship in Elementary School is not loveable to be your top list reading book?

Mary Fleming:

Reading a publication can be one of a lot of exercise that everyone in the world enjoys. Do you like reading book so. There are a lot of reasons why people fantastic. First reading a reserve will give you a lot of new facts. When you read a e-book you will get new information because book is one of a number of ways to share the information or even their idea. Second, examining a book will make an individual more imaginative. When you reading a book especially fiction book the author will bring one to imagine the story how the figures do it anything. Third, you can share your knowledge to others. When you read this Once Upon A Crime: Using Stories, Simulations, and Mock Trials to Explore Justice and Citizenship in Elementary School, you could tells your family, friends and also soon about yours reserve. Your knowledge can inspire different ones, make them reading a guide.

Andrew Jefferson:

The publication untitled *Once Upon A Crime: Using Stories, Simulations, and Mock Trials to Explore Justice and Citizenship in Elementary School* is the book that recommended to you to read. You can see the quality of the reserve content that will be shown to anyone. The language that author use to explained their way of doing something is easily to understand. The writer was did a lot of investigation when write the book, to ensure the information that they share for you is absolutely accurate. You also could possibly get the e-book of *Once Upon A Crime: Using Stories, Simulations, and Mock Trials to Explore Justice and Citizenship in Elementary School* from the publisher to make you considerably more enjoy free time.

Monica Bonner:

Don't be worry should you be afraid that this book will filled the space in your house, you could have it in e-book technique, more simple and reachable. This specific *Once Upon A Crime: Using Stories, Simulations, and Mock Trials to Explore Justice and Citizenship in Elementary School* can give you a lot of pals because by you taking a look at this one book you have factor that they don't and make an individual more like an interesting person. This book can be one of one step for you to get success. This reserve offer you information that maybe your friend doesn't understand, by knowing more than some other make you to be great persons. So , why hesitate? We need to have *Once Upon A Crime: Using Stories, Simulations, and Mock Trials to Explore Justice and Citizenship in Elementary School*.

**Download and Read Online *Once Upon A Crime: Using Stories, Simulations, and Mock Trials to Explore Justice and Citizenship in Elementary School* By Wanda Cassidy, Ruth Yates
#GL7WN9R3K8A**

Read Once Upon A Crime: Using Stories, Simulations, and Mock Trials to Explore Justice and Citizenship in Elementary School By Wanda Cassidy, Ruth Yates for online ebook

Once Upon A Crime: Using Stories, Simulations, and Mock Trials to Explore Justice and Citizenship in Elementary School By Wanda Cassidy, Ruth Yates Free PDF d0wnl0ad, audio books, books to read, good books to read, cheap books, good books, online books, books online, book reviews epub, read books online, books to read online, online library, greatbooks to read, PDF best books to read, top books to read Once Upon A Crime: Using Stories, Simulations, and Mock Trials to Explore Justice and Citizenship in Elementary School By Wanda Cassidy, Ruth Yates books to read online.

Online Once Upon A Crime: Using Stories, Simulations, and Mock Trials to Explore Justice and Citizenship in Elementary School By Wanda Cassidy, Ruth Yates ebook PDF download

Once Upon A Crime: Using Stories, Simulations, and Mock Trials to Explore Justice and Citizenship in Elementary School By Wanda Cassidy, Ruth Yates Doc

Once Upon A Crime: Using Stories, Simulations, and Mock Trials to Explore Justice and Citizenship in Elementary School By Wanda Cassidy, Ruth Yates Mobipocket

Once Upon A Crime: Using Stories, Simulations, and Mock Trials to Explore Justice and Citizenship in Elementary School By Wanda Cassidy, Ruth Yates EPub

GL7WN9R3K8A: Once Upon A Crime: Using Stories, Simulations, and Mock Trials to Explore Justice and Citizenship in Elementary School By Wanda Cassidy, Ruth Yates