

# The boy who cried wolf

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There \_\_\_\_\_ Adverb \_\_\_\_\_ was a shepherd boy who was bored as he sat on the \_\_\_\_\_ Noun \_\_\_\_\_ watching the village sheep. To amuse himself he took a great breath \_\_\_\_\_ Coordinating conjunction \_\_\_\_\_ sang out, "Wolf! Wolf! The Wolf is chasing the sheep!"

The villagers came running up the hill to help the boy drive the wolf away. But when they arrived at the top of the hill, they found no wolf. The boy \_\_\_\_\_ Verb - Past Tense \_\_\_\_\_ at the sight of their angry faces.

"Don't cry \_\_\_\_\_ Noun \_\_\_\_\_, shepherd boy," said the villagers, "when there's no wolf!" They went grumbling back down the hill.

Later, the boy sang out again, "Wolf! Wolf! The wolf is chasing the \_\_\_\_\_ Noun \_\_\_\_\_!" To his naughty delight, he watched the villagers run up the hill to help him drive the wolf away.

When the villagers saw no wolf they sternly said, "Save your song for there is \_\_\_\_\_ Adjective \_\_\_\_\_ something wrong! Don't cry 'wolf' when there is NO wolf!"

But the boy just grinned and watched them go grumbling down once more.

Later,

he saw a REAL wolf prowling about his flock. Alarmed, he leaped to his feet and sang out as loudly as he could,

" \_\_\_\_\_ Proper Noun \_\_\_\_\_! Wolf!"

But the villagers thought he was trying to fool them again, and so they didn't come.

At sunset, everyone wondered why the shepherd boy hadn't returned to the village with their sheep. They went up the hill to find the boy. They found \_\_\_\_\_ Pronoun \_\_\_\_\_ weeping.

"There was a wolf here! The flock has scattered! I cried out, "Wolf!" Why didn't you come?"

An old man tried to comfort the boy as they walked back to the village.

"We'll help you look for the lost sheep in the morning," he said, putting his arm around the , "Nobody believes a liar...even when he is telling the truth!"