

Write Your Own Retelling Based on a Classic Story





1.	Pick a classic story you would use for your own retelling.
2.	What do you like about the story?
3.	Would your retelling star the main character of the original story, or a different character?
4.	What do you like about the character?
5.	What would you change about the character for your retelling?
6.	What point of view would you use for your retelling?
7.	How would you change the things you like about the original story in your retelling?
8.	Using a notebook or computer, begin to write the first chapter of your retelling











If you need inspiration while writing, create your own book-themed playlist! Making a playlist will energize you, offering continued inspiration for your story. You can include songs your main character would enjoy listening to and songs representing a specific character or chapter—whatever will get you get closer to your characters and capture the tone of your book.

Let's get started on creating a book playlist! Fill in the blanks below.

1. Which song reminds you of your main character?	
Song:	
I chose this song because	
2. Which song reminds you of a struggle or obstacle your character faces in the story?	
Song:	
I chose this song because	
3. Which song reminds you of what makes your character happy?	
Song:	
I chose this song because	
4. Which song would your character enjoy listening to?	
Song:	
I chose this song because	
5. Which song reminds you of your favorite chapter in your story?	
Song:	
I chose this song because	

Now that you have a few songs for your playlist, listen to them while you write for a boost of inspiration!

Check out my playlist for Pippa Park Raises Her Game:

https://pippapark.com/blog/playlist













FILL IN THE STORY GAME



Pippa Park and Buddy ride their to their usual meeting place,
the Pippa Park takes out her basketball and dribbles
it to the nearby court. She brought her $\underline{\hspace{1cm}}$ game after practicing
all week, but Buddy is just as to face her! They play until
lunchtime, when their stomachs start verb ending in _ing
The two friends over to Duo's Diner. Pippa Park orders her usual
banana butterscotch sundae, but Buddy opts for a They share a(n)
$\underline{\hspace{1cm}}$ plate of fries. Across the diner, Pippa Park's friends from Lakeview
Private, called the, wave hello!
Pippa Park's phone It is a text message from her
sister, Mina: Dinner is at Please invite Buddy! We are specific time of day
having kimchi-jjigae and for dessert.
Pippa Park shows Buddy the text, and he $\frac{\ }{\ }$ verb ending in -s $\ $. They head over
to Pippa Park's house, and Jung-Hwa greets them, giving them both a(n)
NOUN. They watch MOVIE OR TV SHOW while the smell of dinner
VERB ENDING IN –S the whole apartment.
Finally, Mina announces dinner is! Everyonesits
down at the table. Mina serves a(n) scoop of the Korean stew to
each of them, and it tastes $_$. This is the $_$ ADJECTIVE Saturday ever!

Directions: Take turns choosing a word for each part of the speech! If you're playing alone, fold along the dotted lines to hide the story.

Plural noun
Noun
Adverb
Adjective
Adjective
Verb ending in –ing
Verb
Noun
Adjective
Noun
Animal sound ending in –s
Specific time of day
Noun
Verb ending in –s
Noun
Movie or TV show
Verb ending in –s
Adjective
Adverb
Size
Adjective
Adiective





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