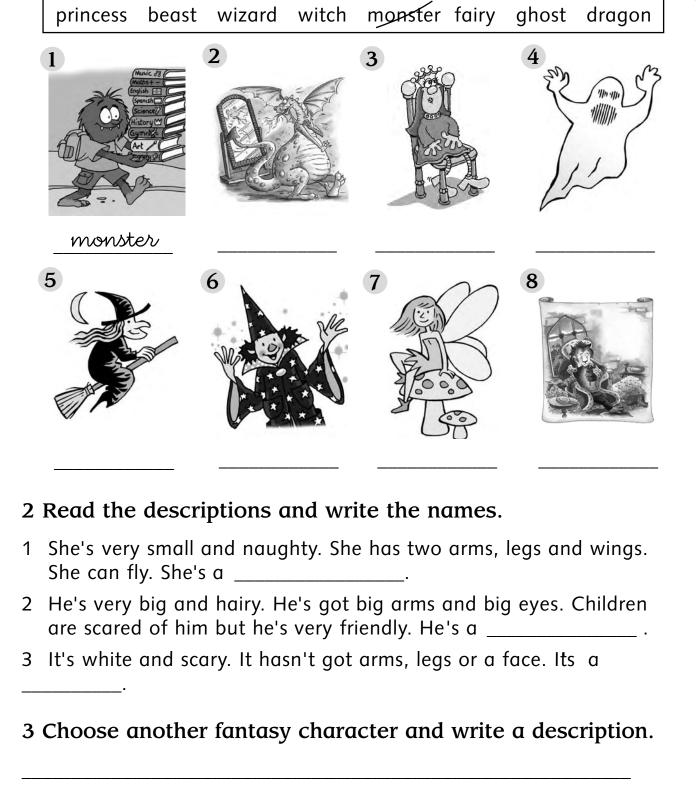
Literature - Fantasy characters



1 Label the pictures of the fantasy characters.





TEACHER'S NOTES



Subject: Literature

Fantasy characters

Objective: describing fantasy characters Vocabulary: princess, beast, wizard, witch, monster, fairy, ghost, dragon

Introduction

Describing story characters is an important stage in the development of creative writing. By concentrating on fantasy rather than real characters your pupils can be more creative.

Warm up

- Write the words *fantasy characters* on the board. Ask the pupils to give you examples.
- Explain the difference between fictional characters (not real people but human characters) and fantasy characters which have different characteristics and sometimes special powers, for example, animals that can talk / monsters.

 Ask pupils to tell you any fantasy characters they know from books or films.

Activity 1

• Pupils write the words under the pictures. Answers: 1-monster; 2-dragon; 3-princess; 4-ghost; 5-witch; 6-wizard; 7-fairy; 8-beast

Activity 2

• Pupils read the descriptions of the fantasy characters and write the words.

Answers: 1-fairy; 2-monster; 3-ghost

Activity 3

- Pupils write about a fantasy character of their choice.
- They can read their descriptions to a partner or the class.

Project ideas

- Investigate popular fantasy characters in literature and cinema.
- Make costumes for fantasy characters.

