



WALLY AND FREYA PAPER PUPPETS

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OBJECTIVE

These paper puppets allow young readers to act out the story of *Wally and Freya*, a children's picture book about restorative justice, leading to deeper integration of the themes.

MATERIALS

Wally and Freya by Lindsey Pointer, illustrated by Stella Mongodi.



Print out the puppets attached (we recommend printing on white cardstock). Popsicle sticks, scissors, and glue.

INSTRUCTIONS

Start by reading the book *Wally and Freya* with the child or group of children.

Print the attached page of characters on white cardstock. Cut out each character and glue them to popsicle sticks to make your set of puppets. Give the puppets to the young readers and ask if they would like to act out the story. You may want to spend some time setting up a stage for the play!

DEBRIEF

Talk with the young people about the puppet show. How did it feel to act out Wally/Freya/etc.? Have you ever felt like one of the characters? When have you felt that way?

LESSON

The story of Wally and Freya provides a great way to talk with children about restorative justice. Deepen the engagement and dialogue with a puppet show. As the children relate to the characters through the puppets, the original story may produce new learning!



