

## Hyperlinks to Aesop's Fables

The Frog and the Ox -

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/sounds/play/p01k37t2>

The Fox and the Crow -

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/sounds/play/p01k389r>

The Bundle of Sticks -

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/sounds/play/p01k377y>

The Miller, His Son and the Donkey -

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/sounds/play/p01k3bqf>

The Donkey in the Lion's Skin -

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/sounds/play/p01k3bzk>

The Frogs who wanted a King -

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/sounds/play/p01k3cp2>

The Crow and the Pitcher -

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/school-radio/english-ks1--ks2-aesops-fables-the-crow-and-the-pitcher/zkxmwtj>

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### Identify the morals of fables

Listen to the fable and draw a line from the fable to its moral

Fable	Moral
The Frog and the Ox	It is better to work together with other people than on your own
The Fox and the Crow	Be happy with who you are - don't try to be someone you're not
The Bundle of Sticks	Do not be too proud or boastful, or you may cause problems for yourself
The Miller, His Son and the Donkey	Be careful what you wish for
The Donkey in the Lion's Skin	Do not trust people who flatter you (tell you how great you are)
The Frogs who wanted a King	Take the time to think about a problem and you will find a way to solve it
The Crow and the Pitcher	Do what you think is right, instead of always listening to other people

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The moral of the Fox and the Crow is \_\_\_\_\_

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The moral of the Bundle of Sticks is \_\_\_\_\_

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The moral of the Miler, His Son and His Donkey is \_\_\_\_\_

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The moral of the Donkey in the Lion's Skin is \_\_\_\_\_

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The moral of the Frogs who Wanted a King is \_\_\_\_\_

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The moral of the Crow and the Pitcher is \_\_\_\_\_

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## Answers

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Some stories teach more than one lesson, so children working without a choice of morals (i.e. on the second sheet) may come up with different answers.