

Folktales & fairy tales

One row after each book — write, then tick.

What has to be true in a story like this, and who decided that?

Book	What was the rule? in this tale	Follows the rules, or breaks them? tick, then one line why
Jack and the Beanstalk Traditional		☐ Follows the rules ☐ Breaks them
Rumpelstiltskin Xavier Carrasco		☐ Follows the rules ☐ Breaks them
Twelve Dancing Princesses Brigitte Barrager		☐ Follows the rules ☐ Breaks them
Fiona's Luck Teresa Bateman		☐ Follows the rules ☐ Breaks them
The Shark King R. Kikuo Johnson		☐ Follows the rules ☐ Breaks them
Rapunzel and the Seven Dwarfs: A Maynard Moose Tale Claflin, Willy		☐ Follows the rules ☐ Breaks them

Look down your ticks. When did the books stop obeying — and who made the rules anyway?

TEACHER NOTE — NOT FOR THE CHILD'S SHEET

Where the class may split

The Shark King — It follows its own tradition's rules and breaks the set's European ones — the disagreement is the set's question out loud.