

南寧高中（國中部）英語文競賽讀者劇場英文讀劇劇本
The Magical Stone Soup

Character (每組共五位，角色當場抽定一劇本甄選現場提供)

Narrator 1 Narrator 2 The Traveler Woman1 & Woman 2 Young Girl

p.s. :All Villagers: Woman 1, Woman 2, and Young Girl

SCENE 1

Narrator 1: Once upon a time, there was a small town. It was a nice place to live, but the people there did not like to share.

All Villagers: Share? Why Share? We have nothing to share.

Narrator 2: They always tried to hide their food. One day, one traveler arrived in the town. Besides being tired, he was hungry.

The Traveler: How I would like to have a good dinner tonight, and a bed to sleep in.

Narrator 1: The traveler talked to the villagers on the street and asked for some food.

The Traveler: I am so hungry. Does anyone have food to share?

Woman 1&2: No!

Young Girl: No!

Woman & Young: NO! We don't. There's nothing to eat here.

Narrator 2: They hurried to hide their food.

All Villagers: Yes, we do. We hide all the food.

Narrator 2: They hid all the food they had. Then they waited.

SCENE 2

Narrator 1: The traveler didn't give up. He was so hungry that he still kept on begging for food. He stopped at the first house and knocked.

The Traveler: Good evening to you. I am looking for a meal and a nice place to stay for the night. Could you help me?

Woman 1 : Sorry! We are so poor. This year, it has been a poor harvest. So we have nothing to share.

Narrator 2: The traveler went to the next house and knocked.

The Traveler: Could you spare a bit of food?

Woman 2 : Sorry! We are weak and our children are starving.

Narrator 1: The traveler went to the next house and knocked.

The Traveler: Do you have a corner where I could sleep for the night?

Young Girl: Who are you? Where are you from? How come you come to our village? Our beds are full. There is no more bed for you.

Narrator 1: At each house, the response was the same. They don't want to share anything with others.

All Villagers: Share? Why share? We have nothing to share.