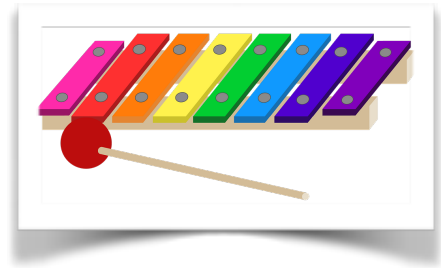


# Story time

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## Vocabulary

Worried - preocupat  
Gloves - guants  
Confused - confòs  
Shouted - va cridar  
Knife - ganivet  
Fork - forquilla  
Xylophone - xilòfon  
Wooden mallet - maça de fusta



**La història d'avui tracta d'un nen petit que es diu Henry. L'Henry ha de començar l'escola i els seus pares estan preocupats perquè quan l'Henry té fam, s'ho menja tot. Els preocupa que es mengi el seu escriptori i fins i tot es mengi als altres estudiants.**

### **Hungry Henry**

Henry had six arms and two legs but only one eye. Most of the time, Henry was a good boy. Henry was a good boy when he played in the garden. He was a good boy when he watched TV. He was a very good boy when he visited his grandparents, but when Henry was hungry, Henry was horrible. Henry became a hungry monster.

When Henry was hungry, he ate everything he could find.

Henry's parents were worried because Henry was now 5 years old and was starting school the next day.

Early on Monday morning, Henry's parents helped him to get dressed. He wore his new school trousers and his new school jumper. His mum helped him put six gloves on his six hands and a new hat on his head.

"Now listen Henry. You will be sitting next to a girl called Betty. Don't eat your pencils.

Don't eat your pens.  
Don't eat the table  
and most of all, don't eat Betty!"

Dad took Henry to school and introduced him to the teacher. The teacher introduced Henry to the class and to Betty. Henry sat next to Betty and put his bag under the desk.

"Hello Henry," said the class.  
"Hello Henry," said Betty.

In the first class the students were drawing. Henry got hungry and he ate his crayons. He started looking at Betty.  
The teacher shouted, "Henry, don't eat Betty!"  
Henry was confused.

In the second class Henry was hungry and he ate his reading book. He looked at Betty and the teacher shouted, "Henry, don't eat Betty!"  
Henry was confused.

Henry and the rest of the class had lunch in the school dining room. They ate fish and chips but Henry also ate his knife and fork.  
He looked at Betty and the dinner lady shouted, "Henry, don't eat Betty!"  
Henry was confused.

After lunch Henry's class had P.E..  
They ran and jumped and played with balls. Henry had fun. He liked to run and jump.  
After so much running, Henry was hungry. He ate one of the small balls.  
He looked at Betty and the P.E. teacher shouted, "Henry, don't eat Betty!"  
Henry was confused.

The bells rang and the students went to play outside then came back to their desks for the last class of the day.

The last class of the day was music. Henry was looking forward to it. The teacher gave each child a small colourful xylophone and a little wooden mallet to hit the keys.

"OK children. Everybody hit the purple key twice."

Bongggggggg

"Well done. Now the yellow key."

Binnngggggg

Henry decided he liked music a lot.

At the end of the class, Henry was a little hungry and he ate his wooden mallet.

The bell rang for the end of class and the children ran to meet their parents.  
At the school gates, Henry started looking at Betty. Betty looked at Henry.  
The teacher shouted, "Henry, don't eat Betty!"  
Henry's Dad shouted, "Henry, don't eat Betty!"  
Henry's Mum shouted, "Henry, don't eat Betty!"  
Henry was confused.  
Henry held out his hand to Betty. Betty took his hand.

"I'm not going to eat Betty," said Henry. "Betty is my friend!"

.... and the friends walked down the road together hand in hand.