

And, the moral of the story is...

An activity of "Police arrest Donald Trump..."

In the April 2023 issue of *What's Up*, you'll find two stories about famous people who are being accused of crimes. The *What's Up* articles are factual, and that is essential when sharing world news. Both stories offer lessons about human values.

Fiction is another way to encourage thinking about values. Try creating and sharing a fictional story focusing on a key lesson from these *What's Up* articles. Work in small groups of three or four.

1. Read these articles from the *What's Up* April 2023 issue.
 - "Police arrest Donald Trump for secretly paying money..." (page 1 & 28)
 - "Russia's President Putin is wanted for war crimes" (page 12-13).

Plan for Storytelling Project	
1	<p>Which wrongdoing will your story be about? <i>You may select one or both.</i></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> About lying, bribing (page 1 & 28) <input type="checkbox"/> About ill-treating others (page 12-13)</p> <p>What will the moral of your story be? _____</p>
2	<p>What are the key events in your made-up story?</p> <p><i>In point form, jot down all that happens from beginning to end.</i></p>
3	<p>Who will your audience be? <input type="checkbox"/> Younger kids <input type="checkbox"/> Peers <input type="checkbox"/> Mixed ages (e.g. families)</p>
4	<p>How will you tell your story? <i>Pick one. Consider your group members' talents and what would be exciting for your chosen audience.</i></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> storybook <input type="checkbox"/> mural <input type="checkbox"/> song <input type="checkbox"/> dance <input type="checkbox"/> poem <input type="checkbox"/> one-act play</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> PowerPoint slides <input type="checkbox"/> comics <input type="checkbox"/> animation <input type="checkbox"/> other _____</p>
5	<p>In what ways will project team members contribute?</p> <p><i>Make sure every member has a part to play.</i></p> <p>(a) Name: _____ Task: _____ (b) Name: _____ Task: _____</p> <p>(c) Name: _____ Task: _____ (d) Name: _____ Task: _____</p>
5	<p>When will you tell your story?</p> <p><i>Discuss your options with your teacher. Some possibilities: visit another class, present during recess, before/after a parent-teacher conference, as an item in a concert etc.</i></p>