

## Grade 4 English Language Arts

Week of January 11 – January 15

### Lesson 3: Changing Your Perspective

Sometimes, we as humans can be stubborn! Can you relate? I know I sure can!



Sometimes, the need to be right can cloud our judgment and our ability to see things from someone else's side. But, when we are open to other opinions and views, we have what is called an **Open Mind**. Has there ever been a time where you have changed your opinion or perspective on something?

Take a look at the following short animated films to see characters changing their perspectives. Make sure you follow along with the activities connected to the videos.



Joy and Heron: <https://youtu.be/1lo-8UWhVcg>



Game Changer: <https://youtu.be/JutrLer3k-A>



Snack Attack: [https://youtu.be/38y\\_1EWIE9I](https://youtu.be/38y_1EWIE9I)

#### Video: Joy and Heron

a. From what perspective is the story told? (who is 'telling' the story?)

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b. What is Joy (the dog's) reaction to the heron at first?

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c. Why does Joy's perception of the Heron change? What does Joy do to show this change of heart?

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Video: Game Changer

a. What snap judgement does the Toy Wrestler make about the girl at the beginning?

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What changes his mind?

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What is the lesson this video teaches us about our perceptions of others?

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Video: Snack Attack

a. Why is the elderly woman annoyed at the young man?

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Why is the elderly woman embarrassed/ashamed when she gets onto the train?

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