



Microstories 2014

This issue is devoted entirely to the microstories Cuéllar students wrote for the Christmas writing competition. Here you can find a wide selection of stories, ranging from some humorous stories to the deep and emotional ones. Just have a look at them and decide what your fave is. Enjoy reading!

Advanced level

Intermediate 2, Advanced 1 and 2

All my life

We have a lifetime for dream, feel, learn, fall, mourn, laugh....all we have to do is enjoy and live happily (*Ignacio García Ramírez, Intermediate 2*)

Bread and wine

Enthusiasm is the daily bread of the youth. Skepticism is the daily wine of the elderly. Let's drink milk !!!! (*Jesús García Alcalde, Advanced 1*)

From another point of view ...

He was blind but told me amazing stories. His imagination was so powerful that first I discovered the world through his senses (*Beatriz Alonso, Advanced 1*)

I wonder why

It still couldn't understand it. Why did they hit it again and again? "I hope the 90 minutes pass quickly", it thought (*Natalia Gómez Gómez, Advanced 1*)

Liberature

Now, her love is a secret that everybody knows. She was seen walking with a book in her hands and a smile in her lips (*José Luis Gómez Becerra, Advanced 1*)

Love

The most beautiful jewels that a woman can have around her neck, are her children's arms (*Pilar Ortiz Bernabé, Advanced 1*)

Master Words

Long, long time after, he still remembers the words of his Master: "Books are

medicine for your soul, they enlarge your mind, imagination and freedom" (*Ania García, Advanced 1*)

Noises in the dark

I went into the dark forest, the leaves rustled, I heard a scream and suddenly something touched me. Ring, ring...it was just a dream (*Lorena Santos Pascual, Intermediate 2*)

There is nothing quite like friendship

He had always played the lottery but that year he didn't. Incredibly, his friend had saved a ticket for him, so he won too (*César García Pascual, Advanced 2*)

The sad story of a snowman

He was so happy with his new hat

that didn't realize that his ephemeral life was melting down by the drain (*Lorena Martín Gómez, Intermediate 2*)

Vietnam Butterfly

A single day. At that time the butterfly emerged from the chrysalis, flew ... A lifetime of thousand moments concentrated in twenty-four hours (*Lourdes García Izquierdo, Intermediate 2*)

What does the mousy Pérez with the teeth?

...Elsa asked to his father...Looking for a mouse hole storey, stretch upside down and found it. You will see what happens inside... (*Mª Jesús Calle de la Calle, Intermediate 2*)

Winning story Sharing experiences

. Grandpa, did you see the drugs which were on the table?

- No, I didn't but I saw some dragons in the kitchen....

(*Sonia Lobo, Advanced 1*)

Elementary level

Elementary 1 and 2, Intermediate 1

A modern tale

She became a coffee addict when she discovered that princes only girls while they were sleeping (*Sandra Muñoz Heredero, Intermediate 1*)

An unpredictable wish

The worm wanted to be a bird and he got it at lunchtime (*Sandra Martínez Rubio, Intermediate 1*)

Blossom

Sweet daisy
spring-like skin
Damsel of meadow
Please, marry me
But you aren't a flower yet
you are still a bud (*Mario Yusta, Elementary 2*)

Breaking news

A man has died. The blade of a running windmill has knocked him and killed him. I've had better luck, Rocinante (*Nuria Clemente García, Elementary 1*)

Clever sheep

"Do you want to play running?" – the wolf asked the sheep.
"Yes" – said the sheep – "You can go on, I'll catch you up" (*Carmen Pérez Lobeiras, Intermediate 1*)

Find your motivation

I hate English. I will never be able to learn it. I like this beautiful American girl. Speaking English isn't so difficult after all (*Roberto Carabias Muñoz, Intermediate 1*)

In search of freedom

The bird won't be able to abandon its nest, if when the bird wants to do it, you cut its wings to fly (*Sara García, Elementary 2*)

Invisible

He always said that he wanted to be wind. That's why he disappears when someone wants to touch him (*Sandra Sanz de Diego, Intermediate 1*)

My decision is my only freedom

That day I heard a prisoner: How long waiting for freedom!, and now I realize that I was free when I made my own decisions. (*Pilar de la Fuente García, Elementary 2*)

Mysteries of the childhood

She fell on the playground. A hole appeared on her tigh. Ok. Her grandmother will sew it. But ... "mum, where is the missing piece?" (*Aurora García García, Intermediate 1*)

Nobody

He had everything a person could imagine, but wasn't happy. One day he was asked to describe himself in a word. "NOBODY", he answered (*Sara Magdaleno García, Intermediate 1*)

On a cloud

I feel happy. I'm stronger than Hercules. But I'm getting dizzy. I'm on a

cloud. It was too much. You win, my God Bacchus (*Javier García García, Intermediate 1*)

On a zebra crossing

Let's go Ringo!
Hello Paul!
Cross fast, John
Peace and love brother
Faster John, please
Oh man, we are late for the Rolling Stones...
(*Enrique Martín Tejero, Elementary 1*)

Remembering

When Manuel left his small luggage on the floor and looked at the sun, which was hiding in the horizon, he began to cry (*Juan Miguel Arranz Arranz, Intermediate 1*)

Scratches

"When I lived with animals I used to hear scratches at the door. Now that I haven't got pets, scratches frighten me" (*Daniel Martín de Blas, Elementary 2*)

Suddenly

Suddenly, she got tired and swore she would suffer no more. She would never have more bruises. She struggled so much that she got it. (*Noelia Carabias, Elementary 2*)

The Mirror

"I heard as if someone hit the glass, looked out of the window and there was nobody. I listened again. It came from the mirror" (*Lara Olombrada, Elementary 2*)

The wrong love

"He fell in love with her flowers and not with her roots, and in autumn he didn't know what to do" (*Ana Isabel Arévalo, Elementary 2*)

We want W

When we wake up we want to watch words with "w". We will write to Wendy that we would weep when we won (*Luis Ángel García García,*

Winning story Grandfather

- Grandpa, can I have a hug? But hurry up.
- Of course but, why should we hurry up?
- Because mum will wake me up soon."

(*Arturo San Bruno Martín, Elementary 2*)

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