**Chapter 7: Fluency and Comprehension**

**Parts of a Story Video**

Male singer (Jack Hartman):

Let’s sing about the parts of a story!

Keep them in your mind as you read and write!

Beginning

Middle

End

Characters and setting.

And what is the story mostly about?

Jack Hartman: The beginning is when the story starts.

Chorus: The beginning is when the story starts.

Jack Hartman: The middle is what happens next

Chorus: The middle is what happens next.

Jack Hartman: The end is the finish of the story.

Chorus: The end is the finish of the story.

Jack Hartman: The characters are who is in the story.

Chorus: The characters are who is in the story.

Jack Hartman: The setting is when and where it takes place.

Chorus: The setting is when and where it takes place.

Jack Hartman: The main idea is what the story is mostly about.

Chorus: The main idea is what the story is mostly about.

Jack Hartman: Go Tortoise, go! Never give up! You are a winner!

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Jack Hartman: When you read, write, retell any kind of story

You’ve got to, got to know the important parts

They are called elements or parts of the story

Remember this song and you will know them by heart.

Let’s sing about the parts of the story

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Beginning

Middle

End

Characters and setting.

And what is the story mostly about?

Female: What’s the story about?

Male (Jack Hartman): Who is in it?

Female: When and where did it happen?

Male (Jack Hartman): How did it begin?

Female: What happened in the middle?

Male (Jack Hartman): End of story

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