

Character Transformations

Who will you be today?

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Watch

Watch [The Listies – Let's Write a Play](#) video on ARTS:LIVE

Make

Set up your Home Stage:

- Tidy up a space in your lounge room or bedroom to create an open area
- Set out a space for your pretend audience. A few cushions on the ground will be enough!
- Think about a backdrop. Could you drape a blanket across a door or hang a sheet from a clothes horse?

Explore

Go back to the video and watch The Listies playing different characters. It starts at 1:59. Try copying the characters that Richard switches between:

- The King: A pizza! My kingdom for a pizza!
- The Queen: Hello? I'd like to order one king-sized pizza please.

Notice how Richard changes his voice to play the different characters. What can you notice about the way he uses his body? Try changing between these two characters.

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Write

Write a short, silly conversation between the King and the Queen. Maybe they're arguing about pineapple on pizza. Maybe the Queen would like fish and chips instead. Write the conversation below and practice acting it out, changing your voice and body language to suit.

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