



Your Argh Studios Storyteller Idea

"And now, watch our Assistant pull a rabbit out of the hat..."

Story Request: an outline of a story about a girl who meets a friendly dragon... let this be an introduction to these characters, towards the goal of returning again to tell more chapters of this as an ongoing story

Story Outline: "Lila and the Friendly Dragon"

Title: The Girl and the Dragon

I. Introduction

- **Setting:** A vibrant, enchanted forest filled with colorful flowers, sparkling streams, and towering trees that seem to touch the sky.
- **Main Character:** Lila, a curious and adventurous twelve-year-old girl who loves exploring the woods near her village. She has a kind heart and a vivid imagination.
- **Theme of Curiosity:** Emphasizing Lila's desire to discover new things and meet new friends.

II. The Discovery

- **Inciting Incident:** One sunny afternoon, while wandering deeper into the forest than ever before, Lila hears a soft humming sound.
- **Encounter:** She follows the sound and discovers a hidden glade where she meets a friendly dragon named Ember. Ember has shimmering emerald scales, big, gentle eyes, and tiny wings that flutter like a butterfly's.

III. Introduction of Ember the Dragon

- **Character Background:** Ember is playful and loves to collect shiny objects. He has been living hidden away in the forest to stay safe from the humans who fear dragons.
- **First Interaction:** Lila is initially surprised but soon realizes that Ember is friendly. They share stories about their lives, and Lila learns about Ember's love for music and art.

IV. Building Friendship

- **Shared Adventures:** Lila and Ember spend the day together, exploring the glade. They play games, gather colorful stones, and share their dreams and fears.
- **Lila's Discovery:** Lila teaches Ember about the human world, while he shows her the magic of the forest and its secrets.

V. The Challenge

- **Conflict:** As the sun begins to set, Lila knows she must return home but worries about leaving Ember alone. They talk about how some people fear dragons because of old tales.
- **Promise of Return:** They both vow to meet again. Lila promises to help Ember show the villagers that dragons can be friendly.

VI. Conclusion

- **Departure:** Lila says goodbye to Ember and makes her way back home, her heart filled with excitement and a little sadness.
- **Foreshadowing:** She looks back at the glade and promises herself that this is only the beginning of their friendship and their adventures together.

VII. Invitation for Future Chapters

- **Cliffhanger:** As Lila walks away, a shadow looms over the glade, hinting at upcoming challenges they may face together.
- **Open-Ended:** The story ends with the promise of future chapters where Lila and Ember will encounter new friends, face adventures, and work towards changing the villagers' perception of dragons.

VIII. Themes for Future Exploration

- Friendship and understanding across differences.
- Bravery in the face of fear.
- The importance of accepting and embracing the unknown.

This outline sets the stage for an ongoing story where Lila and Ember can embark on new adventures, learn lessons about friendship and courage, and grow together as characters!