## Grade 4 Literacy Story Starter

Legend has it that there once was an old King of Greece who was able to turn every thing he touched into gold. At first thought this might seem to be a great thing but once you think a little more about it, this could turn out to be a curse. Today, I am asking you to write a story about what would happen if everything you touched turned to gold.

I will never forget the day that I found a magic lamp in the ditch along the road. When I wiped the mud from it, a genie popped out and because she was so grateful, she said she would grant me three wishes.

I was amazed! A genie popped out of the lamp! I could have three wishes! I thought for a second and told the genie that I wished everything I touched would turn to gold. I then touched a rock on the ground and to my amazement, it turned to gold. Next, I

