

Title: "Sharky the Shark and the Treasure Chest"

Characters on sticks: Sharky the Shark, Little Octopus

Props on sticks: Treasure chest

Is the stage ready? Let's begin!

Sharky the Shark swims happily through the ocean waves.

Narrator: Sharky is a young shark who loves adventures. Today, he saw something strange on the ocean floor!

Sharky stops and looks down.

Sharky (excited): What's that? It looks like... like a pirate chest!

Narrator: Sharky dives down to look at the big, heavy chest.

Sharky (eyes shining): There must be gold inside! Pirates always hide their treasures in chests like this!

Little Octopus swims into the scene.

Little Octopus (curious): Hey, Sharky! What are you doing?

Sharky: I found a pirate chest. I think it's full of gold! But I can't open it...

Little Octopus: Maybe I can help?

Sharky (proudly): You? You're so small and weak. How could you open something I can't?

Narrator: The octopus doesn't get upset. She calmly swims closer and looks at the lock.

Little Octopus: I can't open the lid... but I can squeeze through any little space.

Even the keyhole!

Sharky: That tiny hole? Don't make me laugh.

The octopus slips through the keyhole and disappears behind the chest.

Sharky: Whoa! You did it! What's inside?!

The octopus comes back out through the keyhole.

Little Octopus: I'm sorry, Sharky... The chest is... empty.

Sharky: Empty?! What?! Are you joking?

Little Octopus: I'm really sorry... I know you were excited...

Narrator: The Little Octopus starts to sniffle quietly: sniff, sniff... Sharky gently nudges her with his nose.

Sharky (gently): Hey, don't be sad. It's okay.

Little Octopus: Really?

Sharky (smiling): I learned something thanks to you.

Little Octopus (surprised): Yeah? What is it?

Sharky: That it's not gold, but a friend who is the greatest treasure!

Narrator: And that's how this story ends. Many more adventures await Sharky the Shark and the Little Octopus.

Sharky and Little Octopus swim away.

The End

Moral: It's worth overcoming your fears to help others.

