

Year 1

Our 'Adopted' Famous French Person:

Charles Perrault



Charles Perrault (12th January 1628 - 16th May 1703) was a French author who started the literary genre of fairy tales. His best-known fairy tales include the following:

- *Cendrillon* (Cinderella)
- *Le Petit Chaperon Rouge* (Little Red Riding Hood)
- *La Belle au Bois Dormant* (Sleeping Beauty)
- *Le Chat Botté* (Puss in Boots)
- *La Barbe Bleue* (Bluebeard)

Charles Perrault created his stories from folk tales that existed at the time. His fairy tales are not just fun stories - they can teach us important morals as well.

