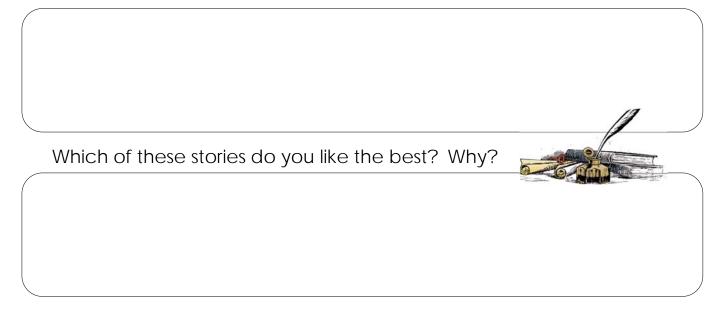# Hans Christian Anderson

Hans Christian Anderson was a Danish author who lived in the early 19th century. Anderson wrote many very well-known stories. Conduct some brief research on Hans Christian Anderson. Then answer the questions below.

What well-known stories did Hans Christian Anderson write?

Which of these stories do you like the best? Why?

International Children's Book Day is observed on April 2nd, a date chosen to honor children's book author Hans Christian Andersen's birthday, who was born on that day in 1805. Why do you think the International Board on Books for Young People (IBBY) decided to honor Anderson in this way?