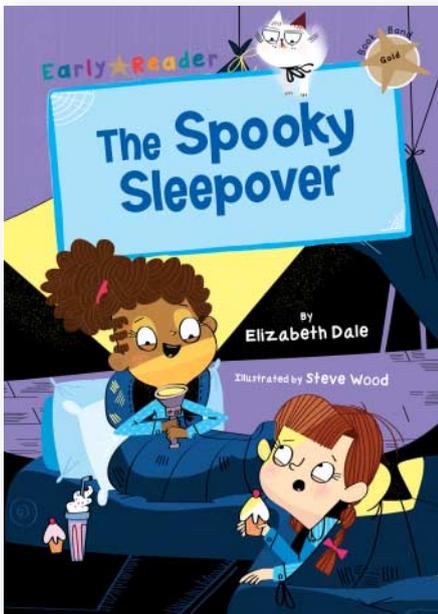


# Maverick Activity Pack

## What is a Maverick Activity Pack?

This activity pack is for teachers and parents to help build comprehension and engagement when guiding their students and children in their reading journey. There are many activities in this pack that can be used alongside our Early Reader stories to encourage children to get stuck in after enjoying the story.

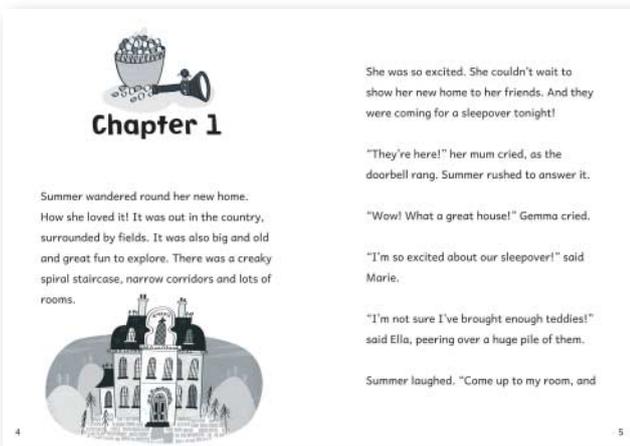
## This Activity Pack is for:



### The Spooky Sleepover Early Reader Elizabeth Dale & Steve Wood

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Summer is having her friends over for a sleepover at her new house. It may be old but everyone thinks it's haunted! When settling down to sleep, the girls hear an ominous scream and go to investigate. Is there really a ghost haunting Summer's new house?



# Colour Me In!



# Fill in the Gaps

Can you remember the words from the story?

1. It was also big and \_\_\_\_\_ and great fun to \_\_\_\_\_.

old / explore      new / sleep      small / play

2. And then, as if on cue, there was a \_\_\_\_\_ sound.

loud wailing      quiet squeaking      soft hooting

3. Suddenly the \_\_\_\_\_ went \_\_\_\_\_! They all screamed.

clock / tick      ghost / woo      lights / out

4. "Look! It's only a \_\_\_\_\_!" she said, as it ran down the \_\_\_\_\_.

dog / stairs      cat / corridor      ghost / clock

5. "We should call the \_\_\_\_\_, as saw him just after midnight," said Summer, and everyone agreed.

dog Bedtime      cat Owl      cat Midnight

6. "So the stories about the house being \_\_\_\_\_ are \_\_\_\_\_."

haunted / wrong      haunted / true      pretty / true

# Quiz

1. Where is Summer's new home?

- a) In the city, surrounded by buildings
- b) In the country, surrounded by fields
- c) In a village, surrounded by houses

2. What did Summer bring her friends?

- a) Board games
- b) A Midnight Feast
- c) A birthday cake

3. What do Summer and her friends hear?

- a) A scream
- b) A boom
- c) A bang

4. What do they find in a cupboard?

- a) A bat
- b) A rat
- c) A cat

5. What did they call the cat?

- a) Middy
- b) Moonlight
- c) Midnight

# Word Search

o	m	o	p	r	e	g	a	r	d	e	n	o	b	i
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k	n	n	q	n	h	t	q	r	a	f	j	i	d	t
z	n	a	e	f	i	s	r	w	i	m	u	z	v	a
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c	r	a	j	u	t	v	a	u	u	a	n	a	e	n
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## Words:

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| <input type="radio"/> clock    | <input type="radio"/> ghost    | <input type="radio"/> portrait |
| <input type="radio"/> creaky   | <input type="radio"/> midnight | <input type="radio"/> scream   |
| <input type="radio"/> curtains | <input type="radio"/> owl      | <input type="radio"/> sleep    |
| <input type="radio"/> garden   | <input type="radio"/> pizza    | <input type="radio"/> teddies  |



# Answers

## Fill in the gaps:

1. old / explore
2. loud wailing
3. lights / out
4. cat / corridor
5. cat Midnight
6. haunted / true

## Quiz:

1. b
2. b
3. a
4. c
5. c

## Wordsearch:

o	m	o	p	r	e	g	a	r	d	e	n	o	b	i
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