

# 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:



**Jim and the Big Fish** Early Reader  
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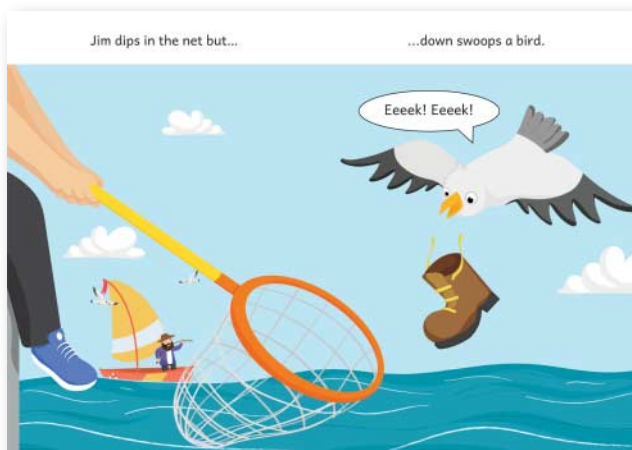
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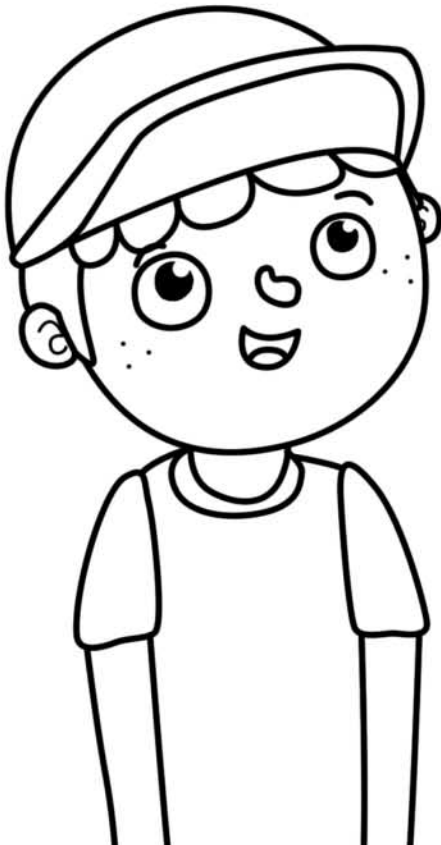
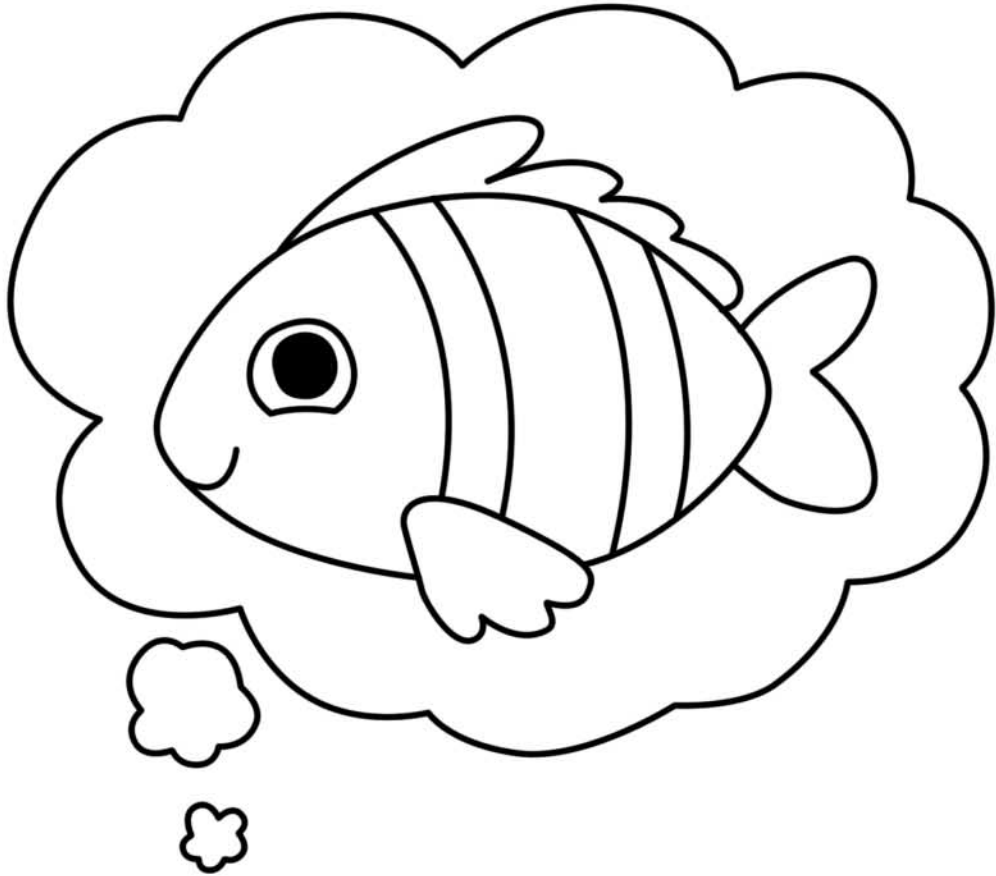
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This yellow early reader includes a fun and educational story about a fisherman catching lots of belongings, but no fish! The items must belong to someone though. This early reader is simple and easy to follow for children just starting to learn to read. It is also interactive with repetitive phrases that they can join in on.



# Colour Me In!



# Fill in the Gaps

Can you remember the words from the story?

1. Jim is at the \_\_\_\_\_.

park      dock      sea

2. "I will get a \_\_\_\_\_ fish!" he says.

little      smelly      big

3. He \_\_\_\_\_ the fish and pulls up a sock!

has      gets      misses

4. Shoo! Shoo! That's my \_\_\_\_\_!

stuff      fish      things

5. \_\_\_\_\_ has a sock and a boot and a hat...

Man      Dan      Jim

6. The man \_\_\_\_\_ his sock and his boot and his hat back.

gets      brings      happy

Tip:

If you can't remember which word is the right one, have another read of the story to see if you can spot it!

# Fill in a Letter

What is the missing letter?

1. He has his \_\_\_et.

n            m            g

2. Jim di\_\_\_s in the net but...

b            p            q

3. ...do\_\_\_n swoops a bird.

w            o            u

4. Jim puts the net in de\_\_\_per but...

y            a            e

5. "I \_\_\_annot fish!"

k            c            q

6. Thank you! That is my los\_\_\_ stuff!

d            t            e

Tip:

If you get stuck,  
sound out the letters and see  
which one makes a word.

# Word Search

N	F	X	S	A	F	S	S
E	I	K	G	W	S	H	I
T	S	C	T	C	W	O	F
P	H	G	H	B	O	O	T
P	P	W	A	S	O	X	Q
F	R	M	N	W	P	D	B
S	O	C	K	F	S	D	A
M	Q	S	T	U	F	F	A

## Words:

boot

fish

net

shoo

sock

stuff

swoops

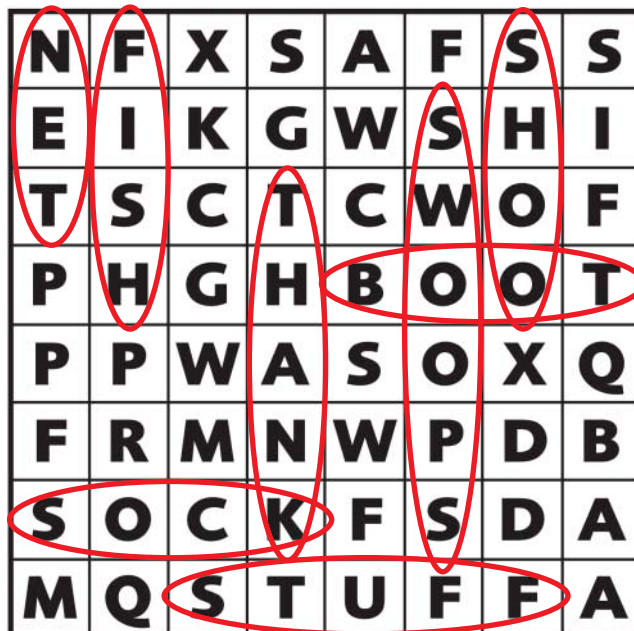
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# Answers

## Fill in the gaps:

1. dock
2. big
3. misses
4. stuff
5. Jim
6. gets

## Wordsearch:



## Fill in a letter:

1. n
2. p
3. w
4. e
5. c
6. t