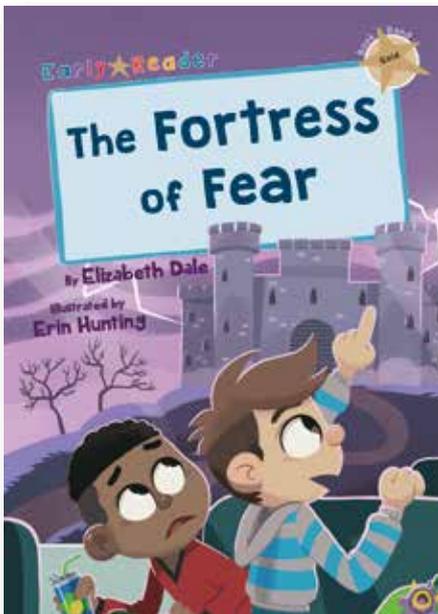


Maverick Activity Pack

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 Fortress of Fear Early Reader Elizabeth Dale & Erin Hunting

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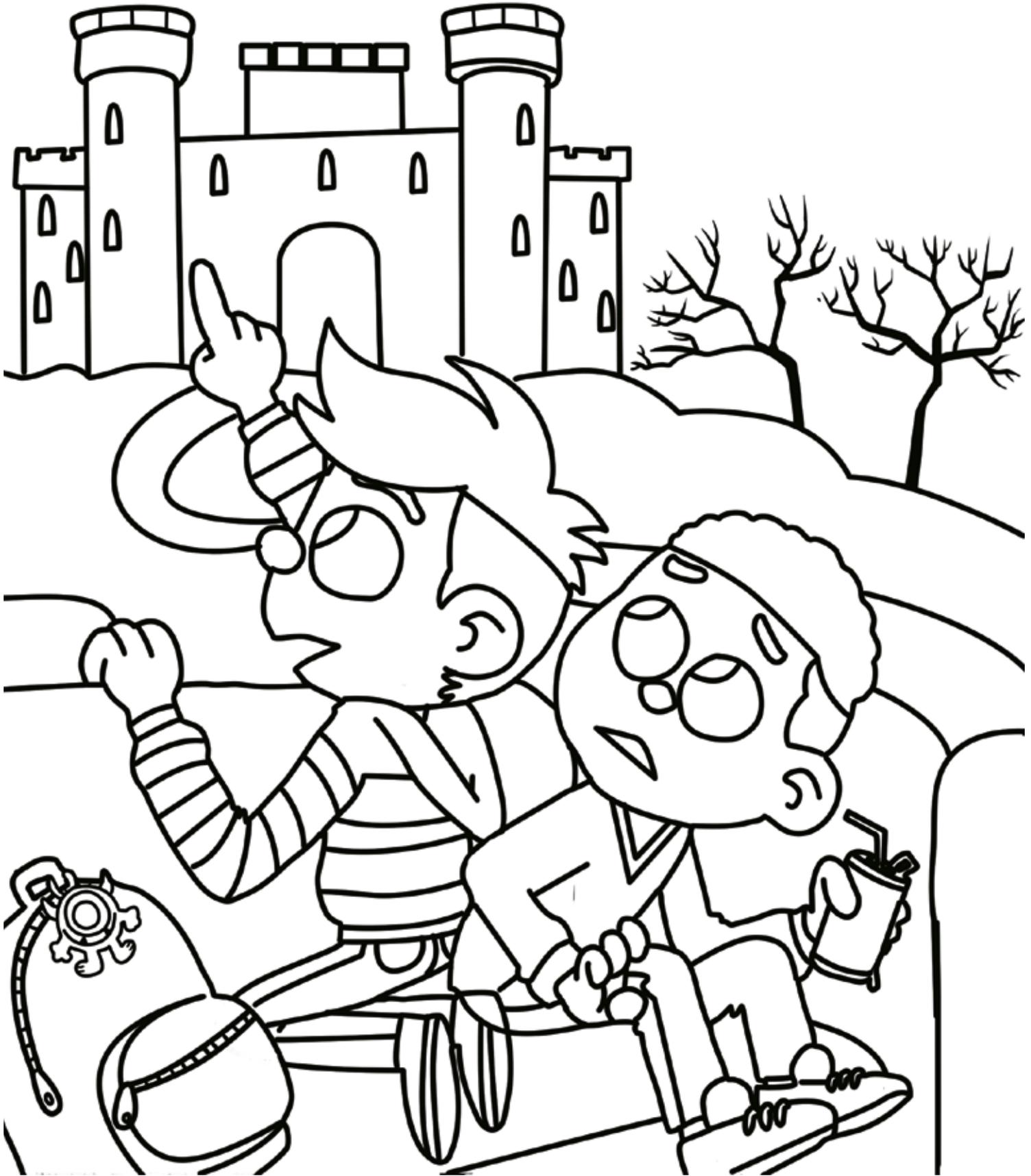
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Tom and Leo go on a school trip to the Fortress of Forfar. But not long after they arrive, they get lost and discover that the Fortress has a secret!



Colour Me In!



Fill in the Gaps

Can you remember the words from the story?

1. A _____ went down his _____ as he looked up at the grim walls and dark windows.

twitch / leg

shiver / spine

wriggle / arm

2. Maybe the _____ had got _____?!

ghost / Leo

fear / Tom

knight / Ella

3. There was a long _____ by the tapestry.

red tape

gold rope

silver string

4. He'd _____ a _____ by accident!

left / room

hit / mirror

pressed / button

5. "I forgot to tell Mr _____ you went to the _____."

Binks / loo

Banks / shop

Bunk / hall

6. "The _____! It's here, on my desk!"

forgotten mirror

lost sword

missing heirloom

Quiz

1. What was Tom drinking on the coach?

- a) Tea
- b) Lemonade
- c) Water

2. Where does Tom find the secret passage?

- a) Between two suits of armor
- b) By the gift shop
- c) Behind a tapestry

3. What is the missing heirloom?

- a) A shiny helmet
- b) A silver sword with a red ruby on the end
- c) A gold mirror encrusted with jewels

4. Why does Tom not want to show Ella the heirloom?

- a) Because otherwise no one will have realised they were gone
- b) Because he wants to keep it for himself
- c) Because he wants to give it to the ghost

5. How does the lady at the till find the heirloom?

- a) In the bin
- b) On her desk
- c) Up Tom's jumper

Word Search

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Words:

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| <input type="radio"/> armour | <input type="radio"/> mirror | <input type="radio"/> tapestry |
| <input type="radio"/> fortress | <input type="radio"/> missing | <input type="radio"/> torch |
| <input type="radio"/> ghost | <input type="radio"/> scary | <input type="radio"/> treasure |
| <input type="radio"/> heirloom | <input type="radio"/> secret | <input type="radio"/> trip |

Answers

Fill in the gaps:

1. shiver / spine
2. ghost / Leo
3. gold rope
4. pressed / button
5. Binks / loo
6. missing heirloom

Quiz:

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

Wordsearch:

t	o	t	t	m	i	s	s	i	n	g	j	s	l	w
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