

# 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:



### Run, Bean, Run! Early Reader Amanda Brandon & Camilla Galindo

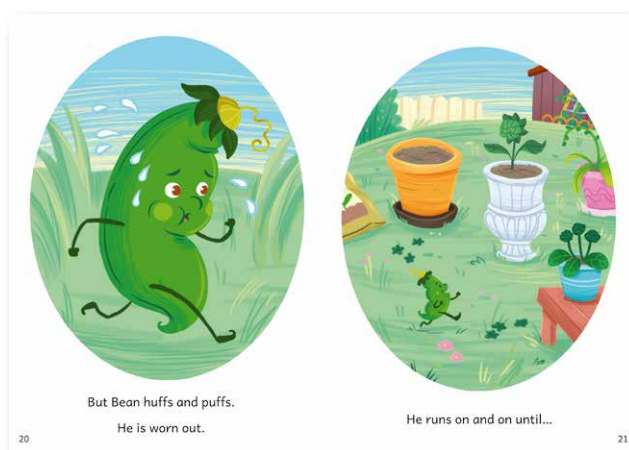
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Bean grows and grows until... he is picked. Where will Bean run to?



# Colour Me In!



# Fill in the Gaps

Can you remember the words from the story?

1. The \_\_\_\_\_ shines bright.

moon

sun

fire

2. Gran puts a big pot on the \_\_\_\_\_.

stove

heat

oven

3. "Run, Bean, run!" the pink worms \_\_\_\_\_ and cheer.

wriggle

squirm

wiggle

4. "This looks \_\_\_\_\_," he puffs.

good

safe

fun

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!

5. Blackbird calls, "Run, Bean, \_\_\_\_\_!"

quick

now

run

6. But today Gran cannot \_\_\_\_\_ Bean.

see

find

catch

# Fill in a Letter

What is the missing letter?

1. The ra\_\_n falls.

y i e

2. "Ti\_\_e to go!" Bean yells.

m n l

3. Bean runs into a \_\_ole and hides.

w c h

4. They make a long li\_\_e and pull Bean away.

m g n

5. But Bean \_\_uffs and puffs.

h p t

6. One day, the sun shines bri\_\_ht.

y g e

Tip:

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

# Word Search

l	a	d	i	g	s	a	s	q	j
i	w	o	p	t	t	m	a	n	r
t	a	h	u	f	f	s	j	z	u
n	y	a	e	x	k	o	y	t	v
f	i	w	a	t	b	e	a	n	z
e	e	g	m	a	a	a	h	p	q
h	k	r	r	n	t	s	e	a	m
j	v	o	y	t	h	i	d	e	s
a	z	w	d	s	i	r	u	n	a
z	o	s	w	i	g	g	l	e	n

## Words:

- |                            |                             |                              |
|----------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------|
| <input type="radio"/> ants | <input type="radio"/> digs  | <input type="radio"/> huffs  |
| <input type="radio"/> away | <input type="radio"/> grows | <input type="radio"/> run    |
| <input type="radio"/> bean | <input type="radio"/> hides | <input type="radio"/> wiggle |

# Write Your Own Story

Write your own story using the characters in the book.

[illegible]

# Answers

## Fill in the gaps:

1. sun
2. stove
3. wiggle
4. good
5. run
6. see

## Fill in a letter:

1. i
2. m
3. h
4. n
5. h
6. g

## Wordsearch:

l	a	d	i	g	s	a	s	q	j
i	w	o	p	t	t	m	a	n	r
t	a	h	u	f	f	s	j	z	u
n	y	a	e	x	k	o	y	t	v
f	i	w	a	t	b	e	a	n	z
e	e	g	m	a	a	a	h	p	q
h	k	r	r	n	t	s	e	a	m
j	v	o	y	t	h	i	d	e	s
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z	o	s	w	i	g	g	l	e	n