

# 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:



**Flight of the Dragons** Early Reader  
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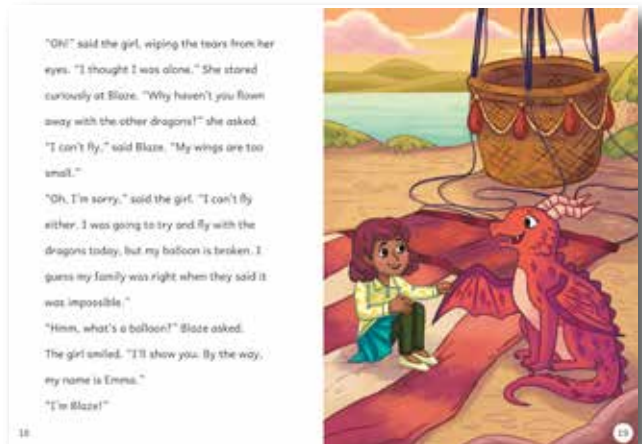
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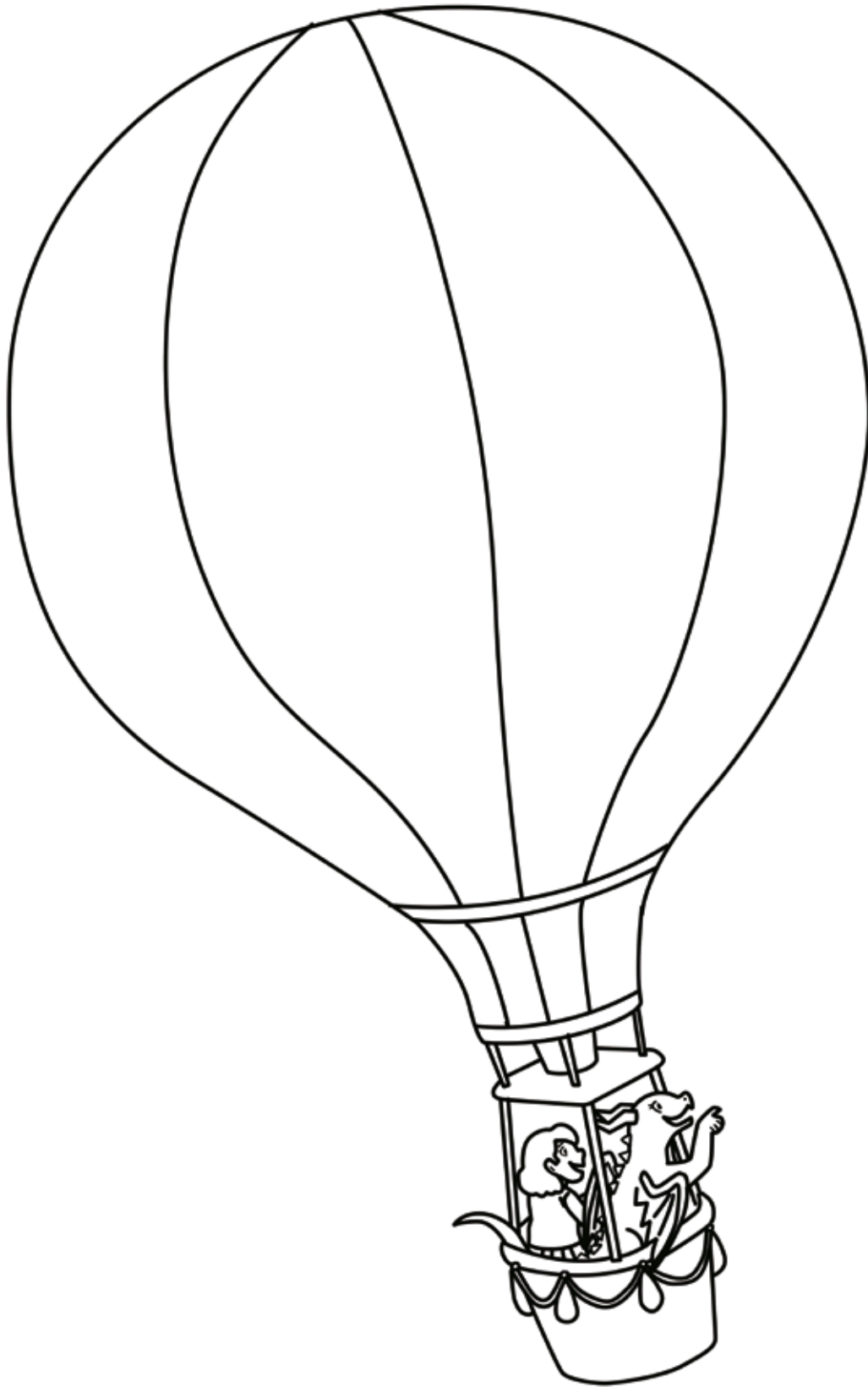
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Blaze wants to join in with the young dragons' first flight to Tanick Mountain, but her wings are too small. Dejected, Blaze goes to be alone but stumbles upon a girl, Emma. Emma has built a hot air balloon so that she can join the dragons at Tanick Mountain but her burner won't work. Blaze realises if they work together, maybe they can both reach the mountain after all!



# Colour Me In!



# Fill in the Gaps

Can you remember the words from the story?

1. Today was the day they would \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_!

go / school      learn / roar      learn / fly

2. "I was born with \_\_\_\_\_," Blaze said.

little wings      fire breath      big horns

3. \_\_\_\_\_ seemed to call to them.

The sky      Tanick Mountain      Burning fire

4. A strange \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ lay on the ground.

heap / material      basket / toys      pile / sticks

5. "Maybe we could \_\_\_\_\_?" Blaze suggested.

fly away      work together      sit together

6. "Emma \_\_\_\_\_ me! With her, I can \_\_\_\_\_!"

cheered / believe      stopped / jump      helped / fly

# Fill in a Letter

What is the missing letter?

1. But each time she tried to fly, she cra\_\_ \_\_ed to the ground.
2. “Your f\_\_ \_\_e is brighter than any other,” smiled Danoosh.
3. Blaze was just about to set off back to her cave, when she h\_\_ \_\_rd a strange sound.
4. The heat wou\_\_ \_\_ make it rise up into the air.
5. Blaze clim\_\_ \_\_d into the basket, then Emma squeezed in beside her.
6. Whenever she felt the bal\_\_ \_\_on stop rising: Puff!
7. She spread her w\_\_ \_\_gs and tipped them to the side.
8. As they touched down on the top of m\_\_ \_\_ntain, a triumphant roar filled the sky.

# Word Search

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

## Words:

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|-------------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| <input type="radio"/> balloon | <input type="radio"/> fire     | <input type="radio"/> roar     |
| <input type="radio"/> burner  | <input type="radio"/> flying   | <input type="radio"/> sky      |
| <input type="radio"/> clouds  | <input type="radio"/> mountain | <input type="radio"/> together |
| <input type="radio"/> dragon  | <input type="radio"/> party    | <input type="radio"/> wings    |



# Answers

## Fill in the gaps:

1. learn / fly
2. little wings
3. Tanick Mountain
4. heap / material
5. work together
6. helped / fly

## Fill in a letter:

1. sh
2. ir
3. ea
4. ld
5. be
6. lo
7. in
8. ou

## Wordsearch:

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