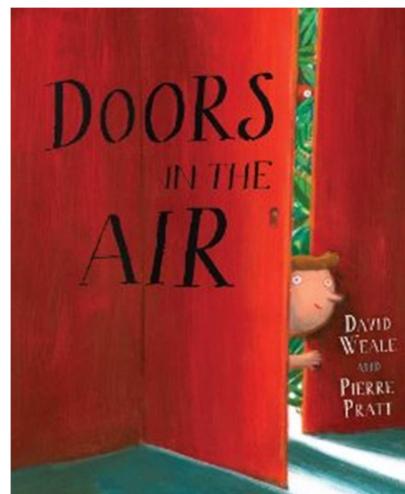


Doors in the Air

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Student Booklet

Activities
Grade 6

Name: _____

Activity 1: What do you know?

Task: Words I Know

1. **Scan** through the book individually.
2. **Find** one word per page that you already know. (15 words in total)
3. **Write** the words you know in the left column below.
4. **Share** your words with a partner.
5. **Write** them in the chart below.
6. **Highlight** the words that are new to you.

My Words	My Partner's Words

Activity 2: Reading the Book

Part 1: Text Comprehension

a) Read the statements. If the answer is False, correct it.

Statement	True or False	If false...correct
Closets are for toys.		
Mom looks in the mirror.		
There are no hooks on the wall.		
The boy's favourite things in his house are the doors.		
He keeps his bedroom door almost closed.		
He feels trapped like a fish, a bird, and a hole.		
He closes his eyes and reaches out his hand to slip through a door.		
You need a secret to open up a door.		

b) Compare the boy in the book with you.

What do you have in your closet?	I have _____, _____, and _____.
Who looks in the mirror the most in your family?	My _____ looks the most in the mirror.
Where do you have hooks on the walls in your home?	I have hooks in _____.
What is your favourite thing in your home?	My favourite thing is _____.
Do you sleep with your bedroom door open or closed?	I sleep with my bedroom door _____.

c) Share your answers with a partner.

Activity 3: Rhyming Words

- **Match** the words that rhyme
- **What other word do you know that rhymes? Find at least 4.**

Match the words that rhyme		What other word do you know that rhymes?	
back		goes	
clothes		hole	
chairs		doors	
books		looks	
floor		go	
mat		land	
bowl		stairs	
know		crack	→ pack
hand		hat	
deep		sleep	

Activity 4: Guess the Word

1. **Listen to your teacher's instructions. Write the number beside the description of the word.**

bathtub		chair		utensils		shoe		cat	
bed		mirror		cake		book		toaster	

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