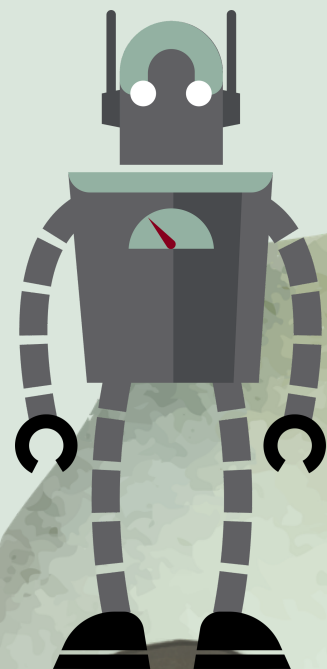




THE WILD ROBOT

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36 activities

chapter questions

Special Needs for Special Kids





I created and started using these novel units in my classroom. I had students with significant challenges, and most were non-readers. Creating these novel units was one of the best things I ever did in my classroom, and my students loved them.

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This novel unit has 36 different activities. These activities are NOT comprehension-based. So, even if your students do not pay attention, they can still complete the activity.

How would you survive on a deserted island?

I think I could last three on a deserted island.

I would want with me.

I would get for to eat.

I would use to stay warm.

To have fun, I would .



minutes	hours	days	weeks	months	years
friends	food	a video game	a book	a radio	a sleeping bag
berries	fish	fruit	coconut	meat	vegetables
campfire	a blanket	the sun	a sleeping bag	a quilt	a tent
dance	sing	fish	swim	hike	explore

For example, Roz learns that she has ended up on an island. Students will write their own stories on how they would survive on a deserted island.

This is an errorless activity and does not require comprehension of the chapter.

Place the following pictures in the circle map on the left to show what things YOU might find in the forest.



Activities and chapter questions come in a digital format as well.

The DIGITAL activities are designed for students to **move the answer pieces directly on the slides.**

Match each baby with its mom.



as quiet as a



as big as a



as pretty as a



as happy as a



as brave as a



as free as a



as quick as

Choose the picture to finish each simile.



lightning



mouse



house



picture



lion



bird



clam



A differentiated set of digital activities is also included.

They use color coding or present an errorless option for students who need more support.

Brightbill learns how to swim. Some animals are good swimmers, and some are not. Sort the ones on the next page into the correct column.



Sort the pictures into the correct column on the left. If you are not sure, place it on the middle line.



Each time you finish a 5 chapters, there will be an activity your students can do.

The activity will relate to something that occurred in the chapter.

These are cut-and-paste activities supported by pictures, or you can assign them as click-and-drag Google Slides.

Optional: Quiz students' comprehension by having them answer five multiple-choice questions about those chapters.

1. What chased Roz out of the tree?



2. What did Roz see an insect camouflaged as?



3. What did Roz camouflage herself as?



4. While she was camouflaged, what could Roz do?



5. By observing, what did Roz learn how to do?



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This unit does come with comprehension questions. There are 5 questions for every 5 chapters. (Many of these chapters are super short.) Each question has 3 picture choices.

Answer key included!!

1. What did Roz watch to learn how to climb the cliff?



2. Was the forest easy for Roz to walk through?



3. What kept falling on Roz?



4. What did Roz climb to get away from the falling pinecones?



5. What does Roz realize she is on?



Suggestions for Use

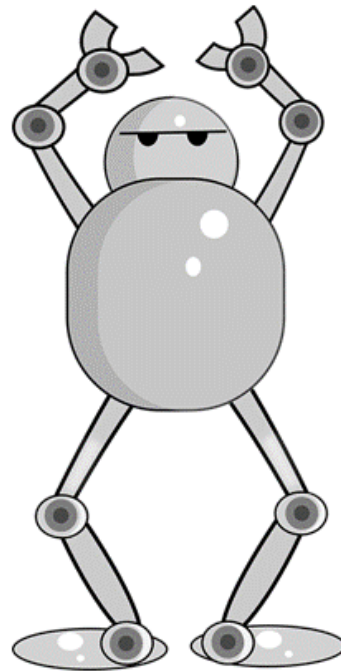
- I made this unit to go along with the book, *The Wild Robot*, by Peter Brown.
- The thought is that you would be reading it aloud to your class at a rate of about 5 chapters per day.
- Be sure to give each student their own copy of the storyboard (pg. 6) to use while reading and discussing the story.
- Benefits of reading out loud, even to classes made up of severely affected students:
 - Teaches students to sit quietly even when there isn't something for them to do. This is a crucial life skill. We all have to spend time sitting and listening to someone we are not that interested in at some point.
 - Parents will LOVE you. Not only will they be excited that their child is being exposed to age-appropriate material, but you are also teaching them how to sit quietly, which will hopefully carry over at home.
 - Even with your lowest-level learners, you will have 1 or 2 that will truly enjoy the story.
- It can be a calming experience to sit and listen to the teacher read methodically. For students who need more structure, place the number of Post-it notes in front of him/her that corresponds to the number of pages you intend to read. Remove a Post-it as you finish each page. The visual will help lessen their anxiety.
- You will find activity for most chapters. You will still have plenty to choose from and find those that fit your students best.
- Differentiation:
 - For any activity, you can quickly differentiate for your lower-level learners by using a color-coding technique.
 - If sorting, outline each sorting category in a specific color and then outline the corresponding pictures in the same color.
 - Becomes a matching task.
- There are comprehension questions to accompany this unit. There are 5 questions for every 5 chapters, with 3 picture answer choices. You will find these (in color and BW) in a separate file.

Suggestions on how I found this activity worked best in my classroom are provided. I typically had 6-8 students with one adult assistant in the room with me.

The Wild Robot

for Special Education

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This entire novel unit comes in
2 separate files. One is
completely in color and one is
completely in black and white.

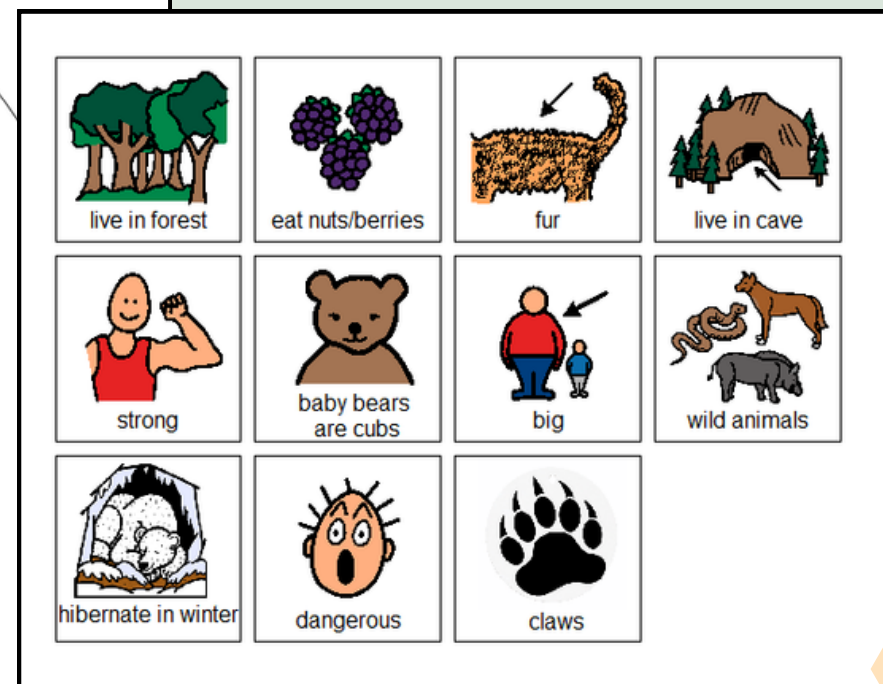


This unit comes with a vocabulary board.

Vocabulary boards are great for ALL students to assist with participation and engagement in group discussions.

Tips on how to use in the unit!!

ERRORLESS VERSION

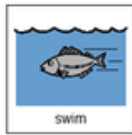


There are circle maps in this unit.

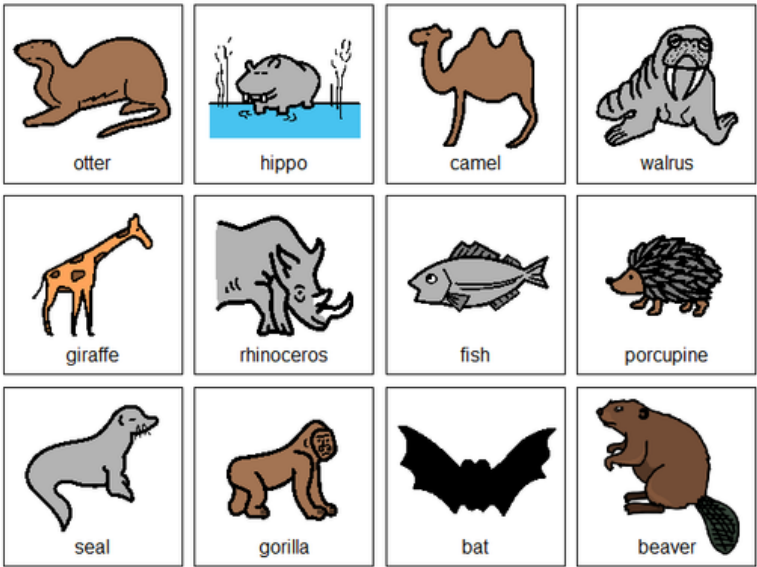
Circle maps are a great way for students to see a big idea.

**WRONG ANSWERS
MIXED IN**

Brightbill learns how to swim. Some animals are good swimmers, and some are not. Sort the ones on the next page into the correct column.



Sort the pictures into the correct column on the previous page. If you are not sure, place it on the middle line.



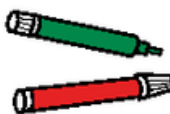
Answer Key:

- Good swimmers
 - Otter
 - Hippo
 - Walrus
 - Fish
 - Seal
 - beaver
- Poor swimmers
 - Camel
 - Giraffe
 - Rhino
 - Porcupine
 - Gorilla
 - bat

There are sorting activities.

Directions on how to add color coding or a separate differentiated version are included.

Roz is going to have to find a new foot. Some say that necessity is the mother of invention. Look at the following objects. What could you use if you DID NOT have that object?

 knife	 dishwasher
 bed	 cabin
 fork	 markers
 light	 heater

 fireplace	 crayons	 tent	 sleeping bag
 spoon	 wash by hand	 candle	 scissors

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The best thing about home

I home.

One thing I love about home lives there with me.

That is also where my is.

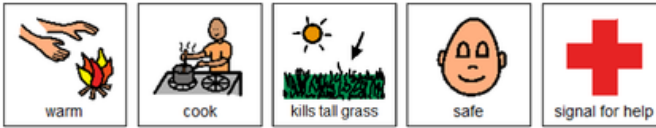
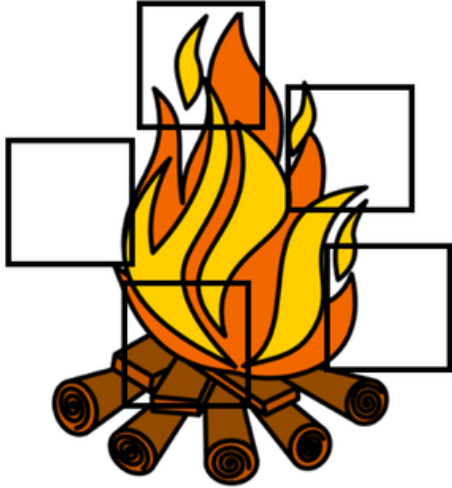
My favorite thing to do at home is .

The best part about home is the way it .



There are writing prompts.
These are errorless activities
that allow students to write a
story independently.

Roz starts a fire to keep Brightbill warm. Cut out the pictures and place in the picture to show some of the reasons why a fire is important.



ground



shell

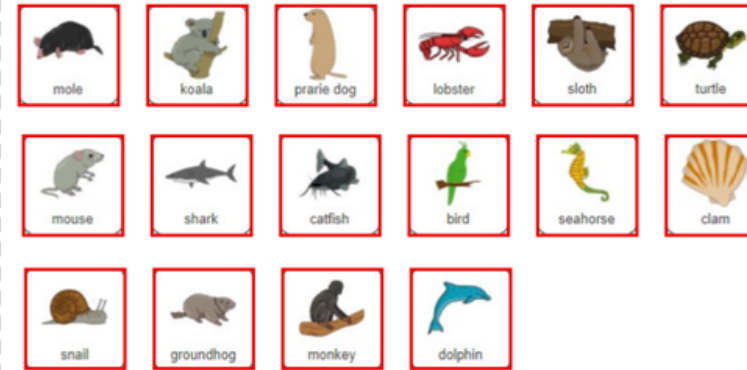


tree



water

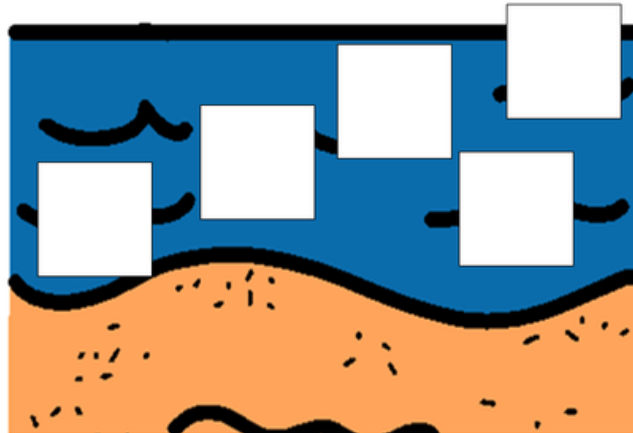
Roz returns the fish to the river where he belongs. Sort the following animals based on where they belong on the left.



Because there are so many activities, you can choose the ones that fit your students the best.

Errorless version

What are some ways you could travel on the ocean?



Roz is trying to explain to Brightbill that she is not alive, but he is. Sort the things on the next page into those that are alive and those that are not.

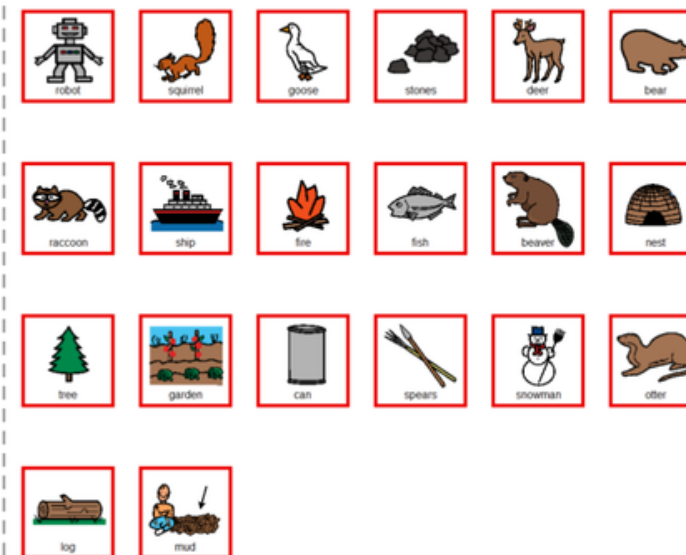


alive



not alive

Sort the pictures into the correct column on the left. If you are not sure place it on the middle line.



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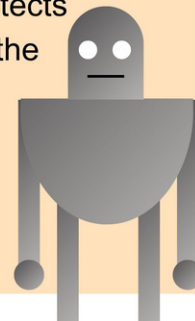
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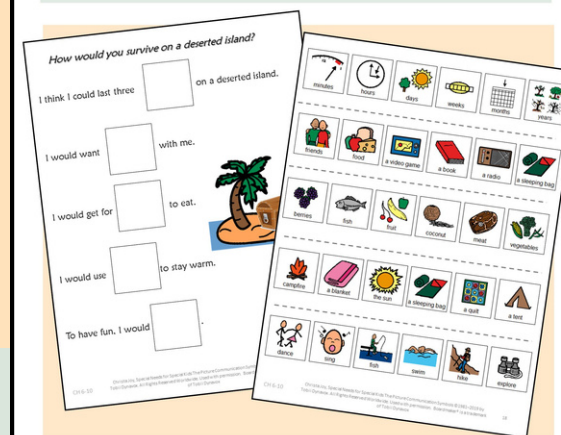


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ACTIVITIES



QUESTIONS

