

CLASSROOM VISIT activity guide

PRE-READING: WORD SEARCH

Copy the WORD SEARCHES on white copy paper. Show students the cover and take a picture walk through the illustrations. Explain that every word on the word search is an important word that has to do with the story. Encourage students to complete the wordsearch and share with a friend.

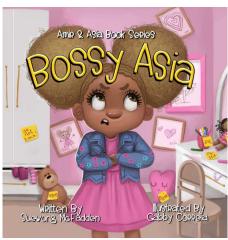
POST-READING: PROBLEM & SOLUTION

Copy the PROBLEM & SOLUTION graphic organizers on white copy paper. First, discuss the problem in the story. Then, consider how the problem was solved. Students should write about the problem and solution on the lines of the graphic organizer. Students that finish early can use art supplies to draw and color a picture in the box. Younger students may want to draw and color rather than write.

CHARACTER MASK

Copy the CHARACTER MASKS on white card stock for durability. Students will cut out the templates and assemble according to the final picture. They can use their favorite art supply to color their character mask. Finally, attach a popsicle stick to the bottom of the character face with runny glue, tape, or hot glue.

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YOU WILL NEED:

- White copy paper
- White cardstock
- Art supplies
- Scissors
- Glue sticks
- Pencils
- Popsicle sticks
- Optional: Runny Glue, Tape, Hot Glue Gun

