

Reading a Turnip Tale

T is for Turnips - Lesson 5



For the Classroom

- Group structure - whole group
- Location - on carpet
- Approximate time - 20 minutes

Common Core and Georgia Standards of Excellence

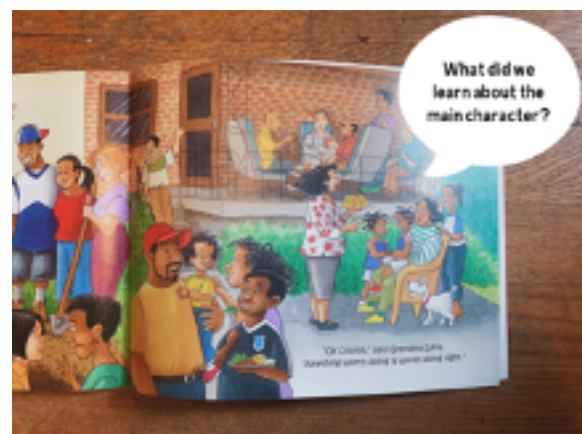
- CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.RL.1.3. Describe characters, settings, and major events in a story, using key details.
- CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.RL.2.2. Recount stories, including fables and folktales from diverse cultures, and determine their central message, lesson, or moral.

Materials

- “Grandma Lena’s Big Ol’ Turnip” by Denia Hester

Directions

- Read “Grandma Lena’s Big Ol’ Turnip” by Denia Hester. As you read, ask question about the characters, setting, and plot such as:
 - Who is the main character?
 - What are we learning about her?
 - When and where does this story seem to take place?
 - How is it similar to your home?
 - What do you think will happen next?



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