

Global Book Bag

Title: That Book Woman

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Grade Levels: 2nd

Global Competence:



Book Overview

Cal is not the readin' type. Living way high up in the Appalachian Mountains, he'd rather help Pap plow or go out after wandering sheep than try some book learning. Nope. Cal does not want to sit stoney-still reading some chicken scratch. But that Book Woman keeps coming just the same. She comes in the rain. She comes in the snow. She comes right up the side of the mountain, and Cal knows that's not easy riding. And all just to lend his sister some books. Why, that woman must be plain foolish—or is she braver than he ever thought?

Activity Overview

Create a book about a time when you learned something new.

Bag Contents:

- Piece of paper
- Pencil and Sharpener
- Crayons

Directions:

1. Read the book with your child.
2. Take a piece of paper and fold it in half to make a book.
3. Write and draw about a time when someone taught you something new. How did you feel in the beginning? How did you feel in the end?
_____ taught me how to _____. At first I felt _____, but then I felt _____.

4. On the back cover, talk about how you had to keep an open mind when learning this new thing.

5. Return all items back in the book bag and have your student place it in their backpack.