

Title: Possum Magic

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Picture Books Week 2

Part 1: Before, during and after questions

5 Questions about the story BEFORE YOU START reading.	5 Questions about the story WHILE YOU ARE reading.	5 Questions about the story AFTER you have finished reading.
1) Does the Possum have really magic?	1) How did he made the wombat blue?	1) Do you like this story?
2) Is the possum a friendly possum ?	2) How did he get her magic?	2) Is this the best story you've made?
3) Is the koala his friend?	3) How many magic books does she have?	3) What interested you to make this story?
4) Is the possum a boy or girl?	4) Why didn't the people scream when they were in the movie's?	4) Do you think this is a interesting story?
5) Can the possum shot stars out of his hand?	5) Why did the vegemite sandwich, pavlova and lamington only cure Hush?	5) Why did you put a possum in the story?

Part 2: Sequence the story

First Grandma poss turned Hush invisible to hide from snakes and stuff.	Then: Hush doesn't want to be invisible anymore.	After that: They think and the cure is to eat a type of human food and they go around all the countries and eat the food.	Finally: They find the food and hush is visible and they eat the same food that cured him each birthday.
			

Part 3: Word map

Put the definition into your own words: That you should not be invisible.

What are some words that have the same meaning?

- 1) Don't lose heart, don't give up.
- 2) Thought, think
- 3) nibbled, eat

Your word

Use the word in a sentence: I nibbled a piece of lamington and thought it tasted good.

Here is a picture of the word

Part 4: About / Point chart

The story is about:

- 1) An invisible possum.
- 2) A Grandma possum with magic.
- 3) Eating lots of food.

The author's points are

- 1) Not to be invisible.
- 2) Eat lot of food and you will be cured.
- 3) That you shouldn't play with magic.