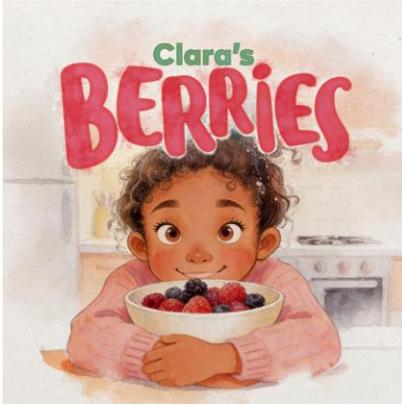


Read Aloud Guide for Families



Clara's Berries

Author: Driscoll's

Illustrator: Driscoll's

Themes: Family, Sharing, Kindness

Book Brief: Clara loves her berries and her belongings, but she slowly learns that sharing can make special moments even sweeter.

READ ALOUD

Before Reading: Build Background

- Ask, "Do you have something special that's hard to share? How does it feel when you do share it with someone?"

While Reading: Make Connections

- What does Clara love? How does she feel about her berries?
- What happens during the day that makes Clara think about sharing?
- How does Clara feel when she decides to share her berries? What does she discover?

After Reading: Ask Questions

- Ask, "What is the lesson or main idea of this story? How does sharing make Clara and her family feel? What does Clara learn about kindness?"

RELATED ACTIVITIES

If your child enjoyed this book:

- Practice "Sharing Something Special." Have your child choose something they enjoy (a snack, a toy, or time doing a favorite activity) and share it with someone in the family. Talk about how it felt to share and how it made the other person feel, just like Clara discovered that sharing her berries brought happiness to others and herself.
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