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My Very Favorite Book in the Whole Wide World!

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<ol> <li>Henley is surrounded by books! There are 27 books on the first</li> </ol>
shelf, 28 books on the second shelf and 19 books on the third
shelf
2.How many books are on the shelves behind Henley?
Henley took 7 books off the shelves. How many books are still or
the shelves?



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1. If there are 22 books on the shelves to the left, and 21 books on the shelves to the right, how many books are on the shelves?

2. If students are holding 11 books, and 49 books are piled up on the floor, how many books are in the library all together?

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### **READING Comprehension Wordsearch**

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Favorite
Assignment
Worst

Mighty Librarian Brilliant Proud Journey Struggled Truth



### **READING Comprehension Crossword**

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Name:\_ My Very Favorite Crossword
Complete the crossword puzzle below

### **Across**

<ol><li>Mrs. Joy gave the</li></ol>	e assignment ever.
5. At the beginning,	Henley said reading can
be	
6. When Henley wa	s done reading his story, all his
classmates	and cheered.
7. When books are	he'd rather use them a
pillows.	
	gave him a super headache.
14. Henley told his	mom he'd never find his very
hook i	n the whole wide world

### Down

1. When he saw his friend	ds having i	fun finding books,
he felt more than 6	ever.	
2. His book was a big, fat	t, bumpy _	to
finding the perfect book.		
4. Mom's words gave He	nley a	idea.
8. The shower	ed him boo	ks about science,
and adventure, and squis		
10. When he started read	ding his bo	ok out loud, he
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11. He stopped by the	lib	orary hoping to find
a book.		
12. Henley stood	_ as all ey	es in the reading
circle stared at him.		
<b>13.</b> He took books to the	pool to see	e how well they
could .		



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### **READING Comprehension Shades of Meaning**

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### **Shades of Meaning Activity**

WRITE DOWN THE SHADES OF MEANING NEXT TO THE WORD!





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Purpose: to identify times when student(s) have had the same emotions as Henley. Students can share a time they felt each feeling!

### **Nervous**



What is a time that you felt								
nervous like Henley?								

What is a time that you felt sad like Henley?						





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### **HAPPY**



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### **JOYFUL**

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# Social Emotional Learning (SEL)



How do you think Henley felt when									
he finished writing his book?									



# **Social Studies Activity**

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"Everyone thinks I hate to read, but that's not true! Yes, some I stood proud as all eyes in the reading circle stared at me. words are too big, and some sentences are too long, but that's not my biggest challenge. Before today, I just hadn't found a book I wanted to read. I hadn't found the words or pictures or pages or sentences or subjects that showed me, me. 1. Why does the teacher want her students to bring their favorite book to class? \_\_\_\_\_ 2. What obstacles did Henley face in finding his favorite book? \_\_\_\_\_ 3. How do you relate to Henley? \_\_\_\_\_ 4. What is your favorite book and why do you like it? \_\_\_\_\_\_



# **RWM Writing Exercises**

Write about a time when you have had a "brilliant" idea about something either for school or home. What was the idea? Explain how it made you feel



# **RWM Writing Exercises**

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### **Compare and Contrast**

The Magician's Hat My Very Favorite Book in the Whole Wide World



## **RWM Writing Exercises**

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### **Personal Narrative**

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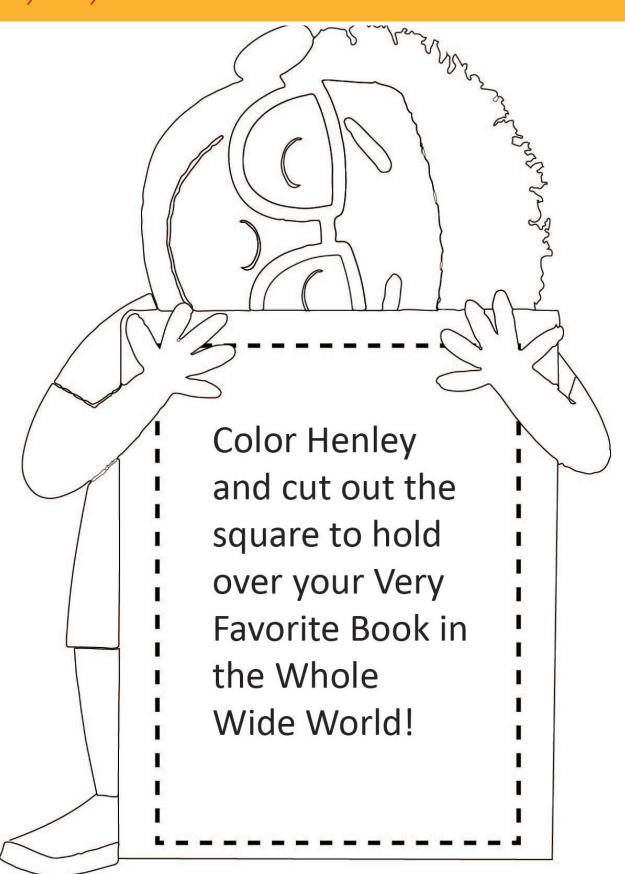
If you like to read at what age/grade did that begin?

If you dislike reading, what is it that you dislike about reading?

- 2. What are some of your "challenges" as a reader?
- 3. Do you prefer picture books or "giant" chapter books or a book that is a combination? Why?
- 4. What do you do when the words are too big or sentences are too long and you are struggling with what a word means or to figure out what the sentence is trying to tell you the reader?
- 5. What do you do to motivate yourself to reach new goals?



### **RWM** Art Activities



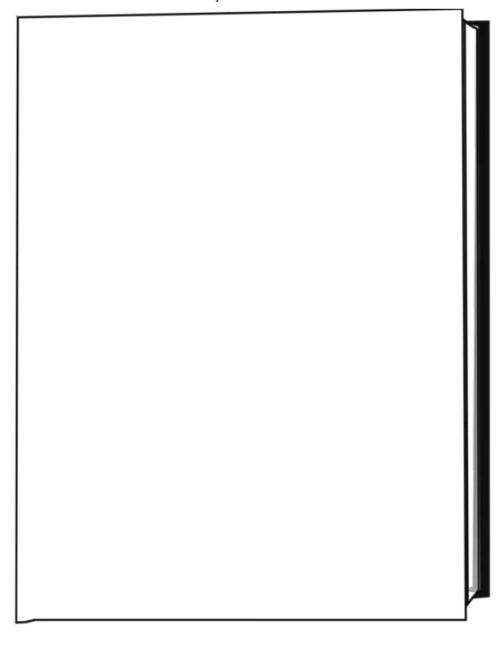
# MY VERY FAVORITE BOOK IN THE WHOLE WIDE WORLD Coloring Sheet

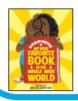


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# MY VERY FAVORITE BOOK IN THE WHOLE WIDE WORLD Drawing Activity

Henley's mom tells him that the best stories can be found within ourselves. What story can be found within you? Write the title and draw a picture for the cover of your book below.





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