We Belong Here

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15 Fun and Easy Activities!

- 1. How do people feel when they are called a mean name? What can they do if that happens?
- 2. Do you have a special place that you like to go to like Eve in the story? Where is it? Why is it your special place? Draw a picture of your special place.
- 3. Mark told Eve magical stories about turtles, cranes and trees. Eve told Mark stories about pirates and giant creatures. What kinds of stories do you like best? Why?
- 4. If you could carve an animal what kind of animal would it be? Why? Draw a picture of that animal.
- 5. What is your favourite pastry? Cookie? Cake? Have you ever helped baked something? If so, what was it? Draw a picture of your favourite baked treat.
- **6.** Make an advertisement for something you can do really well (example: Jane Is the Best at Drawing Animals).
- 7. Do you like shopping in big stores or small stores? Write one thing you like about each kind of store.
- 8. Why is having a friend important? Write two reasons that make having friends special.
- 9. Why is being a friend important? Write two ways you can be a good friend.
- 10. What is your favourite food from a country far away? For example, pizza is from Italy.
- 11. Synonyms are words that are similar to other words. Find a synonym for each of these five words in *We Belong Here*: nibble beautiful rickety cry delicious
- 12. Antonyms are words that are opposites of another word. Find an opposite word for these five words from the story: mean alone new cool old
- 13. Can you find a rhyme with each of these five words from the story?: **best Dad wood park my**
- 14. What is your favourite part of this story? Why?
- **15**. Who is your favourite character in the story? Why?



