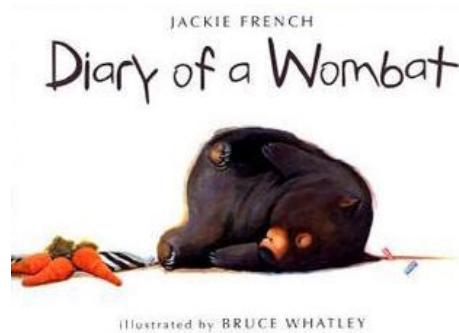


Week 3 & 4 Year 7 Library



Activity One

- a) Click on the link

<https://www.sydneyoperahouse.com/digital/for-the-kids/footlights-and-booklights.html>

- b) Select Diary of a Wombat read by Justine Clarke (3rd story down)

- c) Listen/Read the book

****Did you know you can turn the subtitles on and off in the settings of the video. This will help you *read* the book.****

If you do not have the internet, select a picture book from your own home library and read it.

Activity Two

Character traits

What makes the character have a personality? Character traits are all the aspects that make up the character. These can be good and bad, containing all aspects of a person's behaviour and attitudes. The next page is full of examples of character traits. Use this table to help you answer the questions on page 3.

Character Traits

How is my character as a person?

nice	mean	Sad
bright	angry	antisocial
cheerful	bossy	comfortless
caring	cruel	depressed
charming	dark	down
considerate	disrespectful	friendless
delightful	evil	gloomy
encouraging	harsh	glum
friendly	hateful	heartbroken
kind	impolite	heavy-hearted
likable	insensitive	hopeless
loving	raging	isolated
peaceful	rude	lonely
pleasant	selfish	lonesome
polite	spoiled	miserable
respectful	thoughtless	moody
sensitive	uncaring	sorrowful
sweet	unfriendly	unhappy
thoughtful	unpleasant	withdrawn

Does a lot	Does very little
active	bored/boring
adventurous	dull
ambitious	indifferent
bold	lazy
busy	neglectful
energetic	sluggish
hard-working	uninterested

positive	negative
cooperative	uncooperative
calm	reactive
dependable	undependable
fair	unfair
honest	dishonest
humble	conceited
mature	immature
patient	impatient
responsible	irresponsible
trustworthy	untrustworthy

confident	nervous
assertive	anxious
brave	concerned
certain	fearful
courageous	hesitant
fearless	uncertain
independent	uneasy
sure	unsure

Opposites	
calm	hyperactive
funny	serious
gentle	rough
glamorous	simple
shy	loud
quiet	noisy

Activity 2 continued

Answer the following questions

If you read/listened to **Diary of a Wombat** use that story to answer the questions.

OR

If you read your **own picture book** from home then use that book's information to answer the following questions on character traits.

Question	Answer
Title of the Book	
Author	
Name of character	
Name one character trait for the character. (Use table on page 2 to help)	
Support your answer. You need to example which part of the book shows your character has this trait. Describe an incident or situation in the book that supports this idea. I know this character has this trait because.....	
Name a second character trait	
Support your answer. I know this character has this trait because.....	

Activity 3

Flip the story

In the Diary of a wombat, the story was told from the wombat's perspective, in other words the wombat's eyes. Retell the story but from the viewpoint of one of the people in the house.

If you read your own picture book instead of the Diary of a wombat, you can still do this activity based on the characters in your book.

Write story

Extension Activity - Write your own diary during lockdown.