READING ACTIVITY

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DOROTHY

Read the excerpt from *DOROTHY* and then do the activities below.

It's evening. The sun goes to sleep in the sea, and the sky up there is dark and bare. Here comes Dorothy.

She has a big bag. And in her bag she has a lot of dreams! In her bag Dorothy has drams for mummies and daddies.

She has dreams for boys and girls. She has dreams for cats and dogs. She has dreams for animals big and small...She has dreams for all!

Dorothy has the right dream for everyone. She has a toy mouse for Kitty, the cat in the kitchen. She has a big bone for Bongo, the dog on the stairs. She has a magic bike for Billie. She has a big box of chocolates for Charlie. What wonderful dreams!

Now the sky up there isn't dark and bare. Dorothy is there! Now the moon smiles and the stars twinkle. Dorothy sings. She's happy! The sky is happy!

Twinkle, twinkle, stars! You are lovely, yes you are! Up above the world so high, you are diamonds in the sky!

But big, dark clouds come. They come fast. They come very fast! They cover the moon. They cover the stars. They cover Dorothy and her bag of dreams.

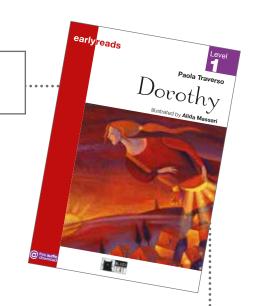
It's dark now. It's very, very dark. Where is the moon? Where are the stars? The sky is sad. Dorothy takes the wrong dreams out of her bag. Oh no! It's dark now! It's very, very dark!



READING ACTIVITY 2/4

ACTIVITIES

- 1 Circle the correct answer.
- 1. The sun goes to sleep
- a. in the sea.
- b. in the sky.
- 2. In the evening the sky
- a. is blue.
- b. is dark.
- 3. The dreams are in Dorothy's
- a. big box.
- b. big bag.
- 4. Dorothy has dreams
- a. for everyone.
- b. for boys and girls.
- 5. Dorothy has a toy mouse
- a. for Kitty.
- b. for Bongo.
- 6. Dorothy has a big box of chocolates
- a. for Billie.
- b. for Charlie.
- 7. Big, dark clouds come
- a. slowly.
- b. fast.
- 8. Dorothy takes the wrong dreams
- a. because it's dark.
- b. because she's sad.



READING ACTIVITY 3/4

2 Match the opposites.

- happy ______
 big ______
- 3. right _____
- 4. fast _____

- a. small
- b. slow
- c. sad
- d. wrong

