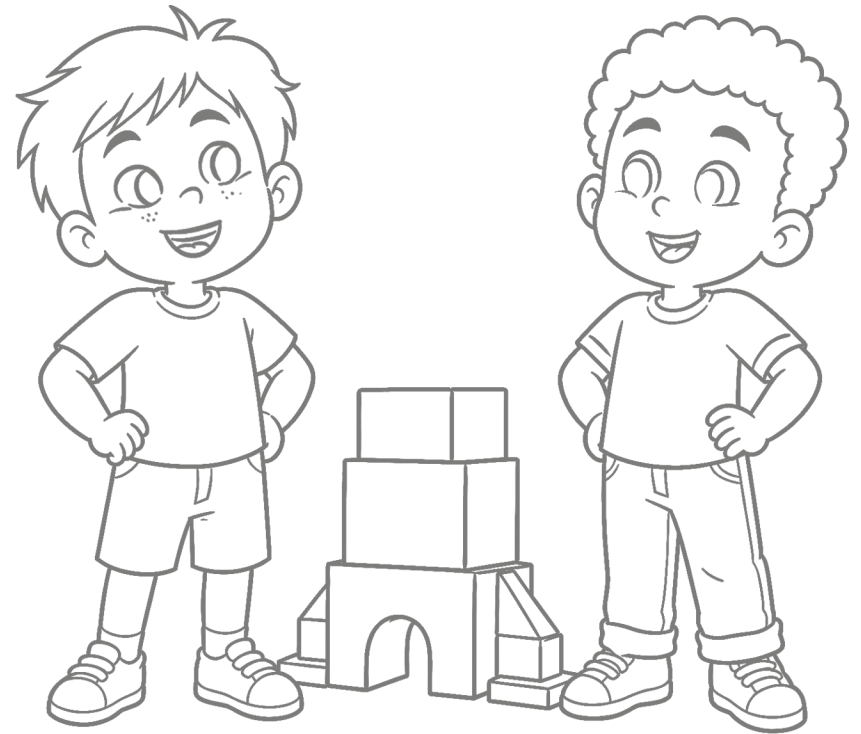




Blix and Glen plan a
big blastoff.



The blocks go up.
The blocks go tall.



Blix grabs a big
black block. Clack!



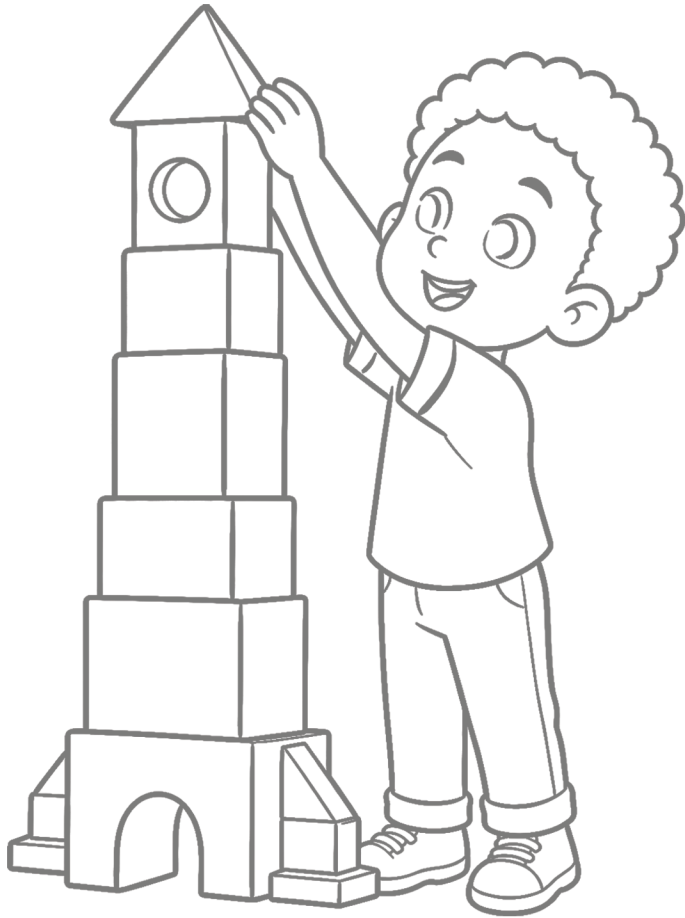
They build with
black blocks, red
blocks, blue blocks,
and yellow blocks.



Blix and Glen like to
play and build with
blocks.



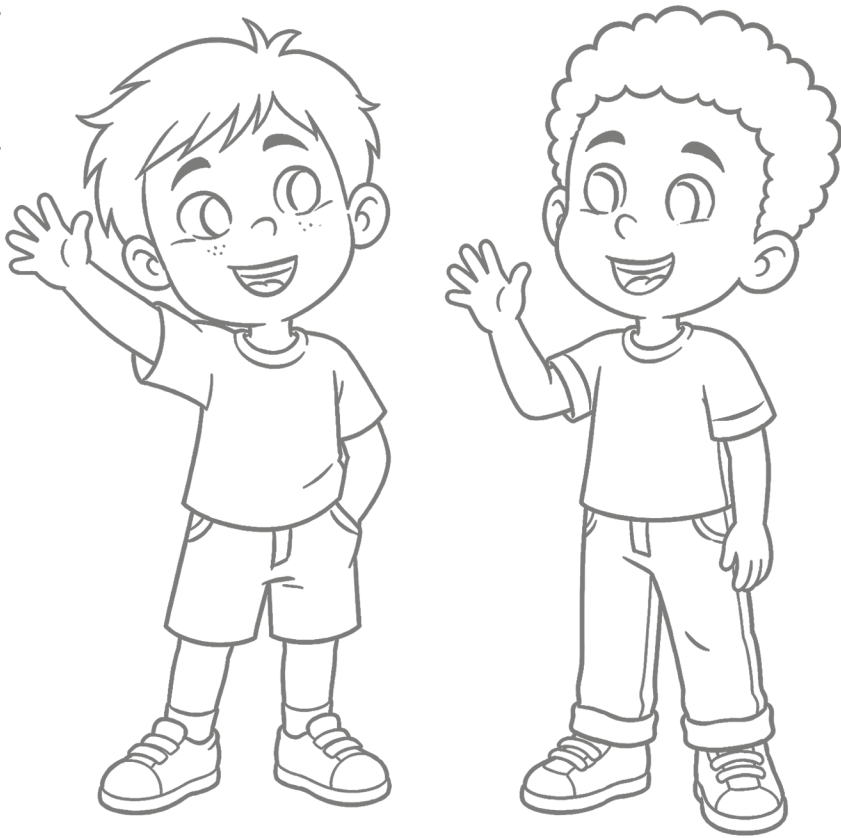
On top, Blix stacks a
red block. Clack!



Glen stacks the blue
and yellow blocks all
the way on top.



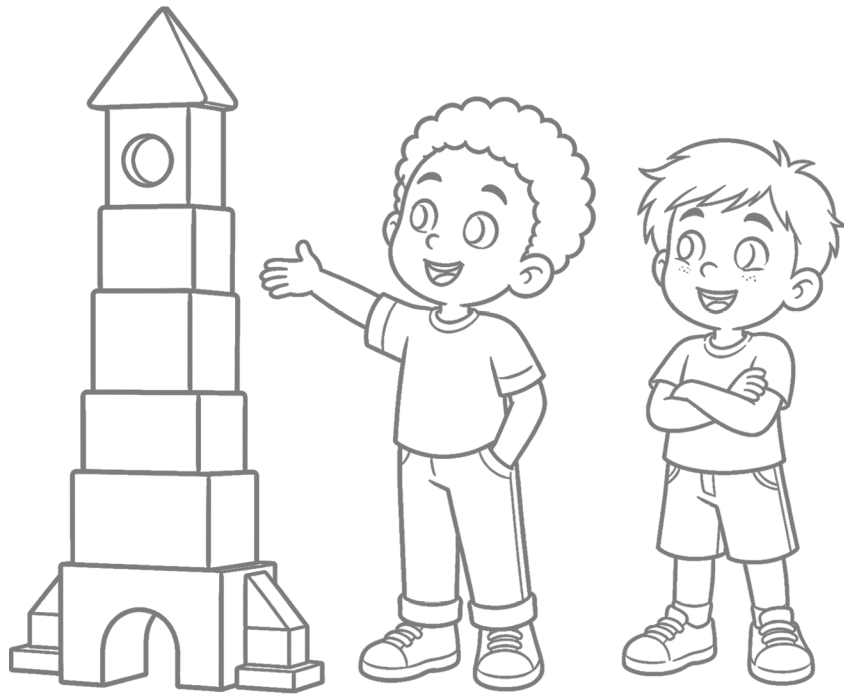
“Let’s play!” says
Glen.



“Hi, Blix!”
“Hi, Glen!”



“Yes!!” They clap
and jump!



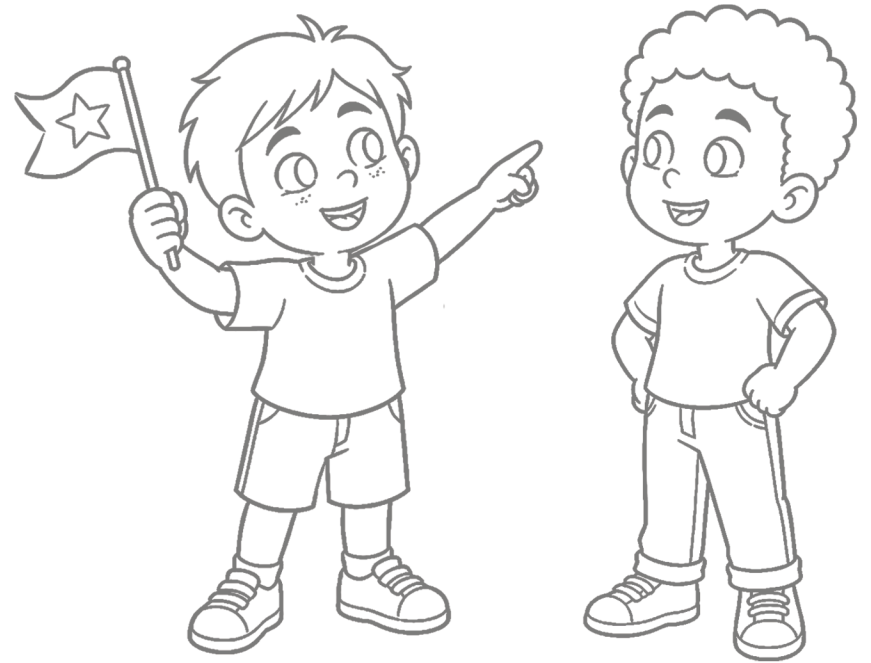
“Get the rocket set!” says Glen.



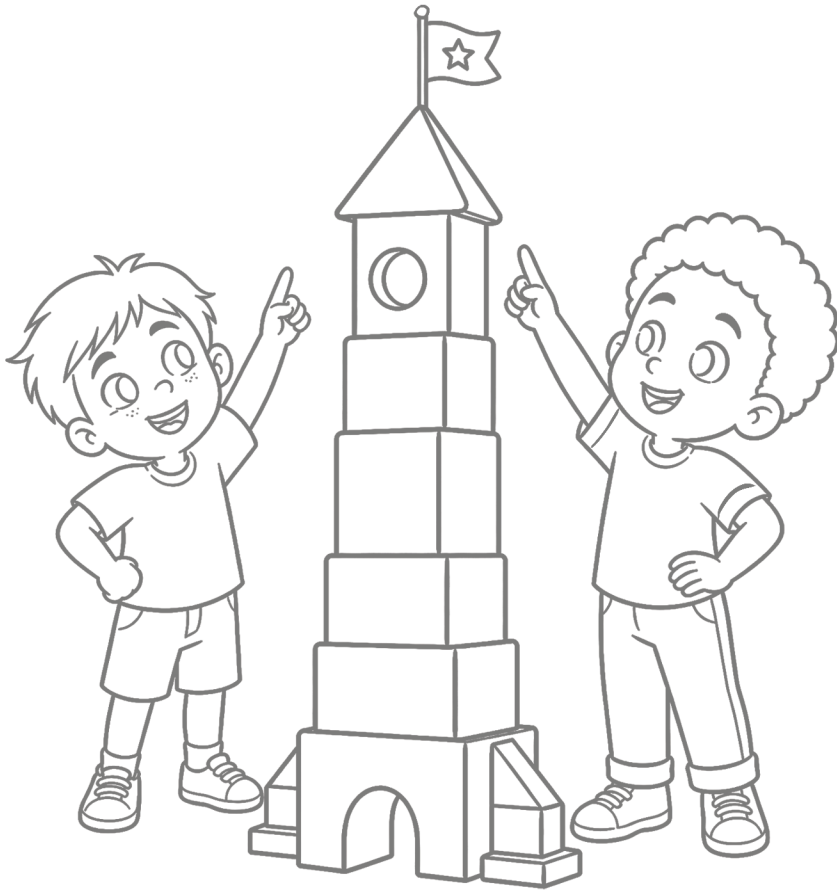
Glen sled down the hill fast. Zoooom!



He got his hat, a flag,
and a lot of blocks.



“Get the flag!”
says Blix.



“To Planet X! Here
we go!”



Glen quickly got on
the sled with a grin.



Blix and Glen are
best pals. They like
to play a lot.



5...4...3...2...1.....
BLASTOFF!!!



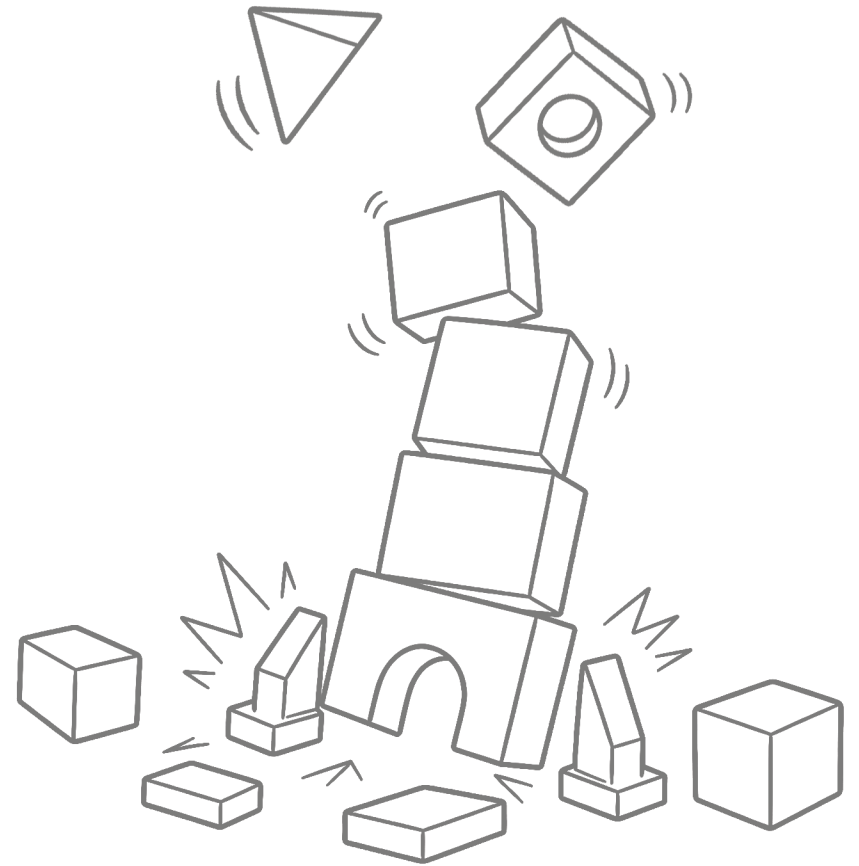
The blocks slam.
Slam! Bam!



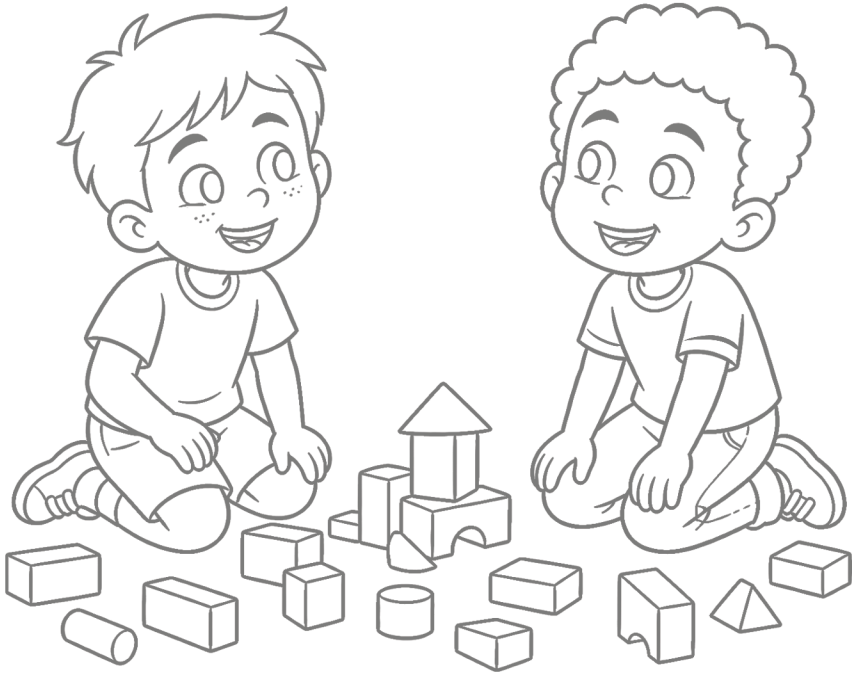
Blix was happy! He
jumped and clapped.



“Glen will come!”
said Mom.



The blocks slip.
Plop! Slap!



“That was fun!”
They grin.



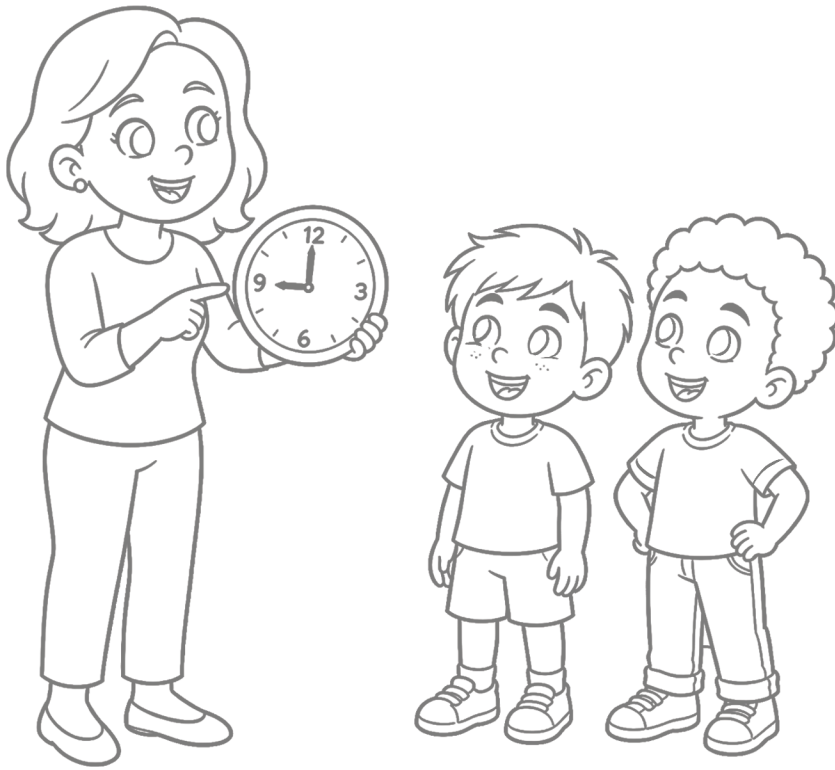
Mom called Glen’s
mom. “Can Glen
play?”



“I want to play with
Glen and have fun!”
said Blix.



“Let’s build again!”
The pals build and
play all day!



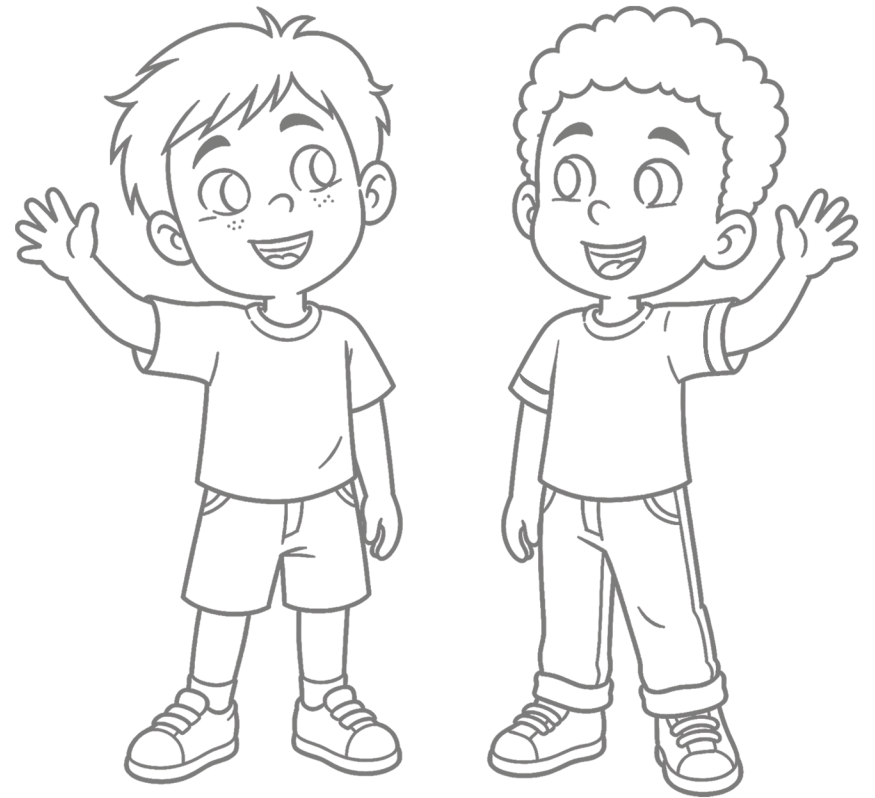
Mom looks at the
clock and says,
“Pals, it is time to
go to bed.”



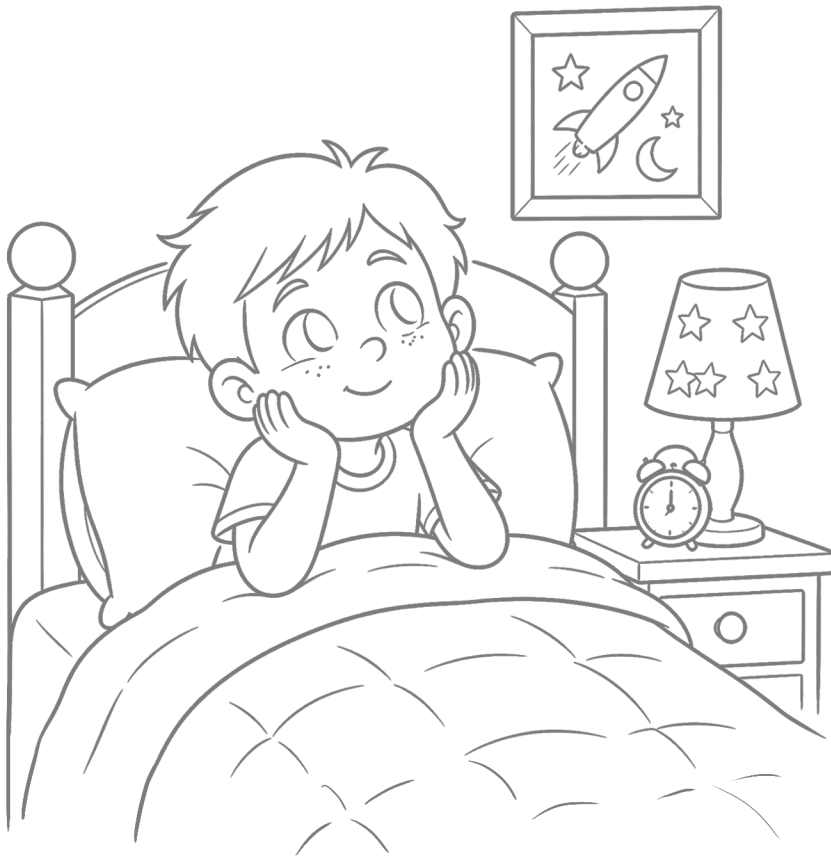
“Mom, will you call
Glen to come and
play with me?”



He wanted to play,
but he did not
have a pal.



“See you, Blix!”
says Glen.
“See you!” says Blix.



Today was so fun!



Blix was glum.

In This Reader:

Phonics Skill

Beginning L-Blends

A consonant blend is two consonants next to each other in a word, and each consonant keeps its own sound. In this reader, the beginning L-blends are bl, cl, fl, gl, pl, and sl.

Decodable Words

bl	cl	fl	gl	pl	sl
black Blix block blocks	clack clap	flag	Glen glum	plan pop	slam slap sled slip

Other Decodable Words: big, can, did, fun, get, got, his, mom, not, on, pal, set, top, up, yes, that, with, clock, all, will, tall

Heart Words

Previously Taught: a, and, are, big, but, come, down, go, have, he, here, his, I, like, on, said, the, they, to, up, want, was, with, yes, you

New: again, best, call, can, did, fun, get, got, happy, hi, me, mom, not, pals, that, will

Challenge Words

blastoff, blue, clapped, planet, play, grabs, grin, stacks, jumped, quickly, rocket

Talking about the Book!

You can use these comprehension questions to test your students' understanding of each story. Their responses can be verbal, or they can point to the answers in the book.

Q: Who came to play with Blix?

A:

Q: What did Blix and Glen build with the blocks?

A:

Q: How do you know Blix was happy to have Glen come and play?

A:

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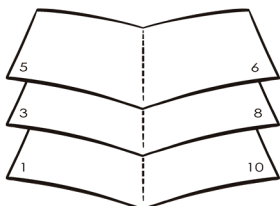
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1. Stack



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