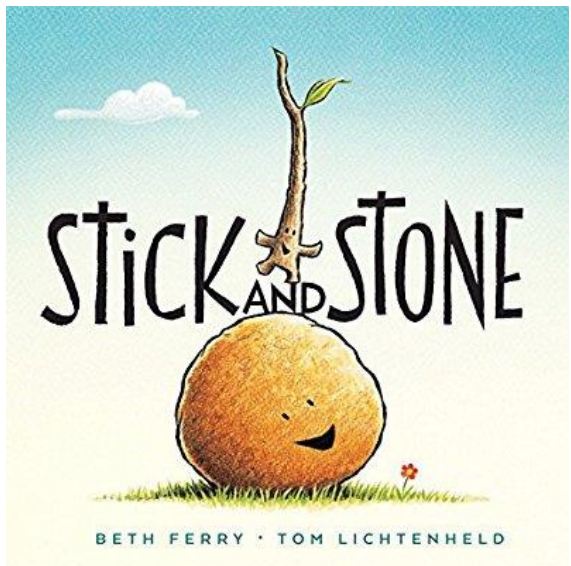


# FRED CO KIDS 2018 READING CHALLENGE

## ACCEPTANCE

### #FCPREADTOME



When Stick rescues Stone from a prickly situation with a pinecone, the pair becomes fast friends. But when Stick gets stuck, can Stone return the favor?

In the book Stick and Stone, Stone finds himself lost in a

rainstorm while searching for his friend, so let's experiment with rainclouds!

### MATERIALS:

1. Glass cup or vase
2. Shaving Cream
3. Food coloring
4. 3 small cups with about 1 oz of water in each
5. 3 Droppers

### INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Fill your glass cup almost to the top with water
2. Spray shaving cream on the top to create the cloud
3. Mix a few drops of food coloring into each cup of water (so you have 3 colors)
4. Use a dropper (we didn't, but we wish we did!), to put drops of colored water on the cloud
5. Watch the cloud to start raining!

### VOCABULARY:

1. RESCUE: SAVE SOMEONE FROM A DISTRESSFUL SITUATION
2. ALONE: HAVING NO ONE ELSE AROUND
3. VANISH: CEASE TO BE VISIBLE
4. EXPLORE: TRAVEL THROUGH AN AREA TO LEARN SOMETHING
5. HURRICANE: A STORM WITH A VIOLENT WIND

### DISCUSSION QUESTIONS:

WHAT DOES A GOOD FRIEND DO?

HOW DOES IT FEEL WHEN SOMEONE TEASES YOU?

HAVE YOU EVER SEARCHED FOR A FRIEND?

HAS A FRIEND EVER RESCUED YOU? HOW DID IT FEEL?

HAVE YOU EVER RESCUED SOMEONE ELSE? HOW DID IT FEEL?

WHO IS YOUR FRIEND?

WHAT DO YOU LIKE ABOUT YOUR FRIEND(S)?

HOW CAN YOU BE A GOOD FRIEND?



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