

The Accidental Diary of B.U.G. SISTER ACT

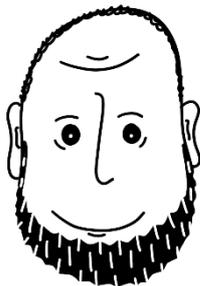
KEY STAGE TWO ACTIVITY PACK

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1. HEART-HEATING (PSHE)

Read up to **page 34**. Billie describes 'Heart-Heating'. Your challenge is to do a bit of heart-heating today. Paying someone a compliment can really brighten someone's mood.



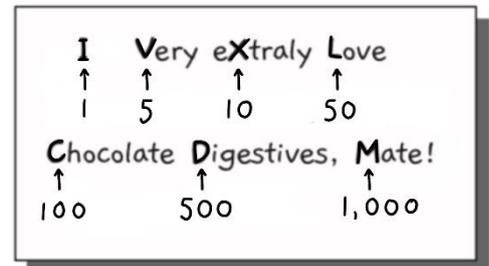
2. ANY-WAY-UP FACES (Art)

On **page 38**, Billie shares this picture of an any-way-up face. See how the man looks sad if you turn your paper upside down?

Can you draw an any-way-up face of your own?

3. ROMAN NUMERALS (Maths)

On **page 83**, Billie describes a method she uses to remember the main Roman Numerals. Can you make one up of your own?



4. INFERENCE DETECTIVES (Literacy)



When you've read the chapter entitled 'Heart Attack' (**Pages 96-98**), see if you can answer these five questions:

- Why does Billie call the place Kathleen lives *Something-by-the-Sea*?
- Why do you think Billie *really* wants to go to *Something-by-the-Sea*?
- Can you describe why you think Billie *gulps* after Mum K has told her that turning up without warning might cause an old woman to have a *heart attack*?
- What do you think *feasible* means?
- Why do think Billie thinks Margaret will be '*bitterly disappointed*' next Sunday?



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5. DEAR DIARY (Creative Writing)

When you've read up to **page 107**, write a diary entry from the point of view of Great Nan. Remember, as well as describing what happened, talk about how you feel now you've met your sister.



OR



Read up to **page 135** and think about how Janey might be feeling. Is she sorry? Does she wish she'd behaved differently? Is she worried about what Layla will think of her? Does she have a plan to put things right? Now write a diary entry from Janey's point of view.

6. DIFFERENT FAMILIES (PSHE)

Read up to **page 144**. Families are made in lots of different ways. Draw pictures of as many different types of families as you can think of. Discuss as a class whether one type of family is better than another. Make a poster that illustrates '**Different Families, Same Love**'.



7. PLAY SCRIPTS (Drama)

Read **pages 151-153**. Billie and her friends have added a scene to *Chiffchaff's New Gaff*. Using the information from these pages, can you continue writing the scene as script on a separate sheet of paper? Maybe you could even perform it in groups.

INITIATIVE SCENE, a dry day...

Ozzy Ostrich: (offers everyone a jelly snake, leaving the packet with the Narrator)

Duddly Muck: The weather's very dry at the moment. I can't believe this unseasonable rack of lain!

Robin & Turkey: (perform a rain dance)

Puffin: (moans, holding her pregnant belly)



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8. THRANIMALS (Art)

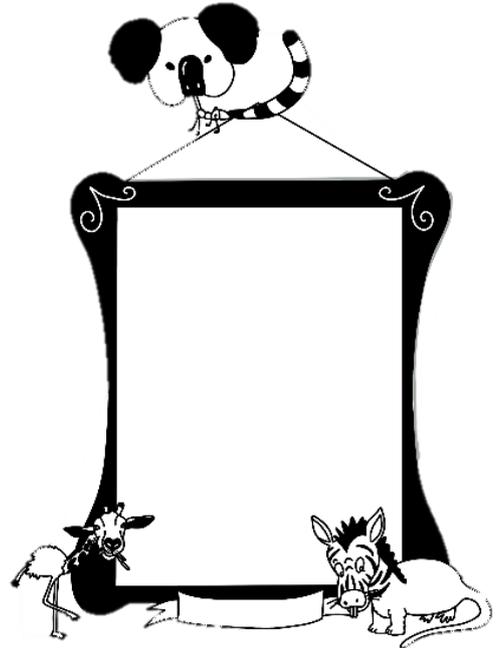
Read up to **page 173**. Billie is convinced THRANIMAL might make it into the dictionary. Now have a look at **page 233** and label the animals around this frame.

Can you design your own thranimal?
Remember it should be three existing animals merged into one with a fun name.

Do you use any made-up words you think deserve to be in the dictionary?

My word is:

It means:



9. GAME TIME (Just for fun)

Billie loves a good game. Why not try some of them yourself.

- Answer the Question Before* can be hilarious. Recap the rules on **page 22** then try it out on a friend.
- Unique Pictures* requires quick and original thinking. Re-read **pages 180-182** then try it with a group next time it's wet play. Use different letters each time you play.
- Two Truths And A Lie* is a fun game to play. Re-read **pages 211** and **249**. Can you fox anyone into believing your lie?

