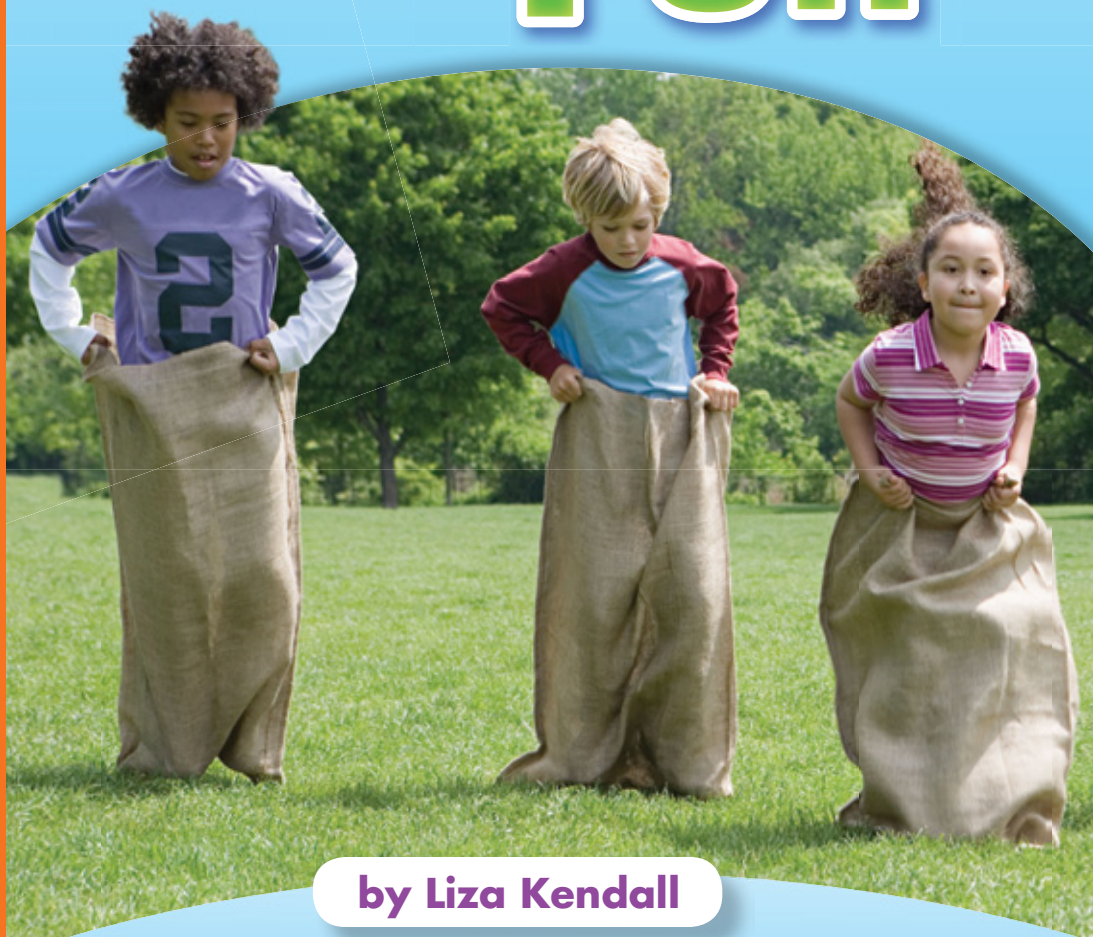


Nonfiction

Friends Are Fun



by Liza Kendall

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READ

Poetry

STRATEGIES & SKILLS

Comprehension

Strategy: Ask and Answer Questions

Skill: Key Details

High-Frequency Words

fun, make, they, too

Phonics

Short o

Content Standards

Social Studies

Civics

Word count: 122**

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Genre Nonfiction



Essential Question

What do friends do together?

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Poetry: I Like to Play13



Friends are fun.
You can run with
a friend.



You can hop with a friend too.

Friends like to play.



Friends can help you.
They can help
you ride.



They can help make
a fort.
Friends like to help.



Friends can share.
They can share
a book.



They can share an
apple too.
Friends like to share.



Friends can be big.
Friends can be small.



Look at this friend.



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Friends are fun!

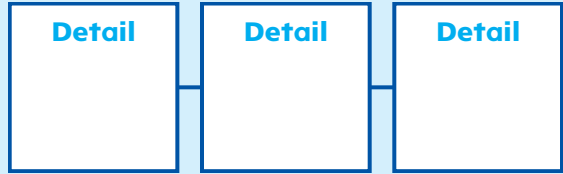


What can you do
with your friends?

Respond to Reading

Retell

Use the chart to help you retell *Friends Are Fun*.




Text Evidence

1. Look at page 3. What do you see? **Key Details**
2. Look at page 5. What do the friends make? **Key Details**
3. Is *Friends Are Fun* a pretend story or is it real? **Genre**

Compare Texts

Read about what these friends like to play.

I Like to Play



With my friend Sam
I like to race.
We shoot our rockets
into space.



With my friend Ana
I like to run.
Playing soccer is lots
of fun.

With my friend Dan
I like to dig.
We make a castle,
tall and big.



Make Connections

Look at the story and the poem.
How do the friends play together?

Text to Text

Focus on Social Studies

Purpose To find out what your friends do together

What to Do

Step 1 Make a chart like this.

My friends	Like to
Joe and Jan	run

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Step 2 Ask three friends what they like to do with other friends.

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Step 3 Fill in the chart. Talk about what you learned.

Thinkmark

The Topic

What is *Friends Are Fun* about?

Author's Purpose

Why did the author write *Friends Are Fun*?

Make Connections

How are your friends like the friends in *Friends Are Fun*?