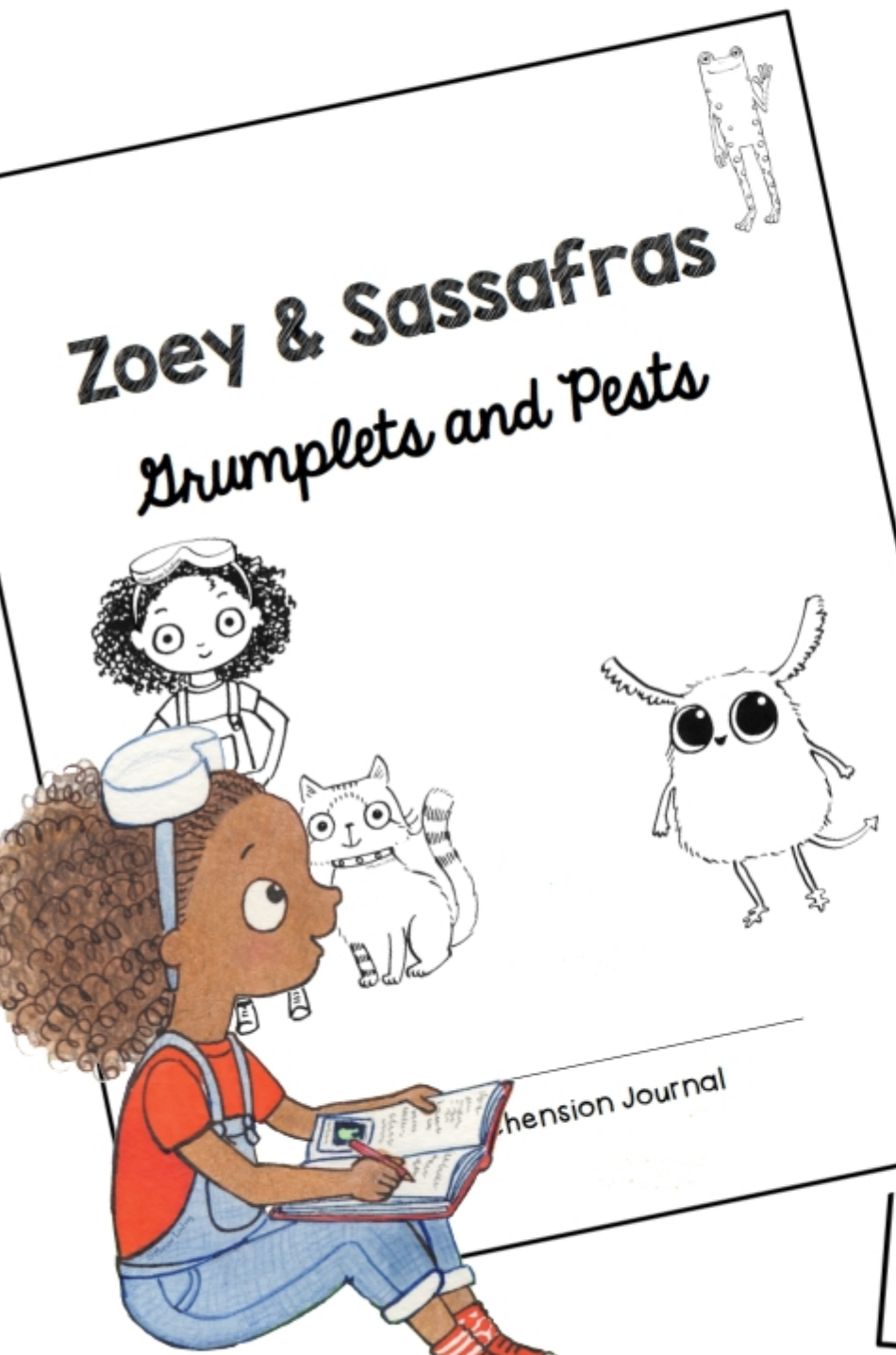


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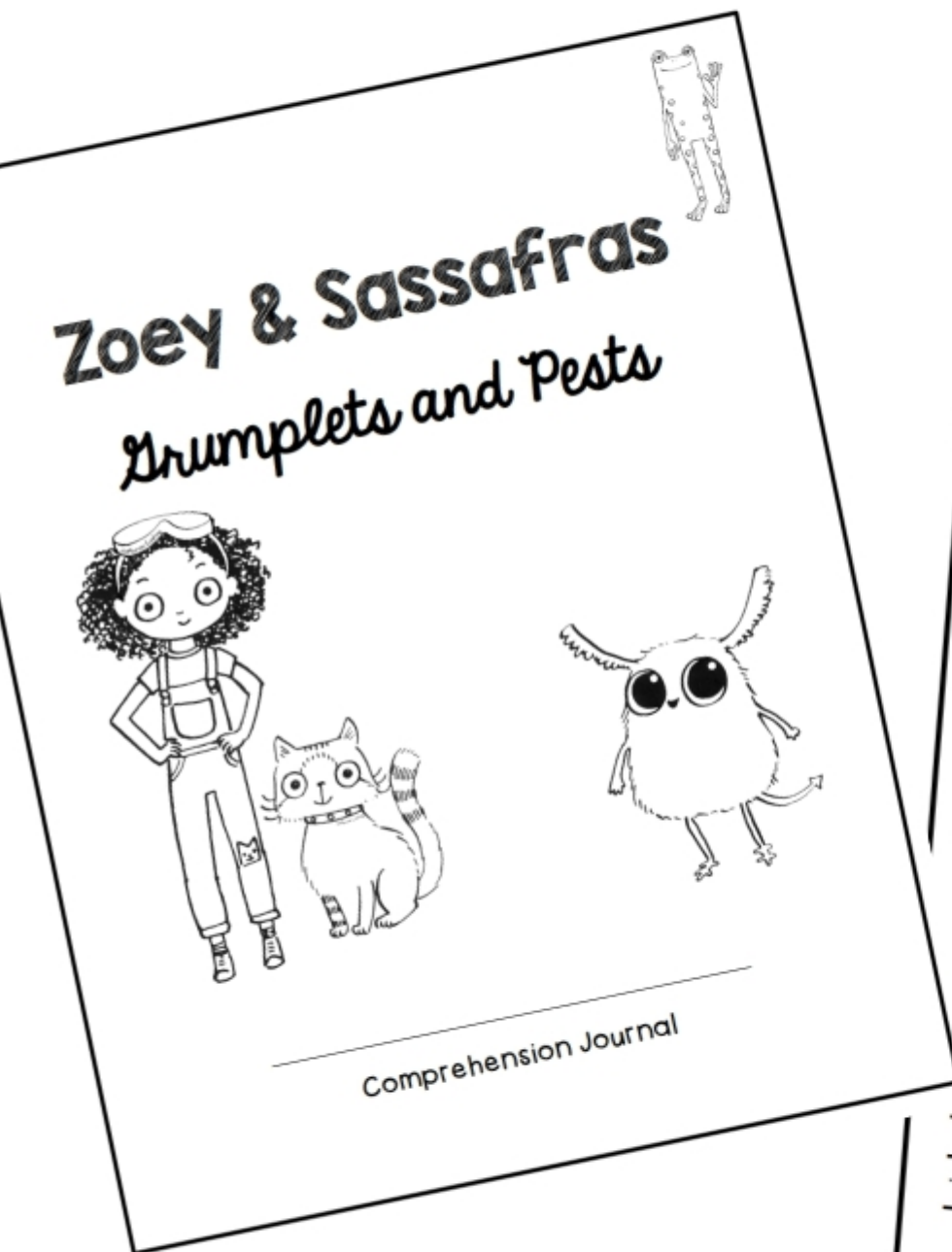
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1. What kind of pest was on Zoey's kale?

2. List some of the things that Zoey saw at the market.

3. Do you think Mina is an expert gardener? Why or why not?

4. In the story, Zoey was feeling **grumbly**. What's something that makes you feel **grumbly**?

Find, Mark, Discuss

Make a prediction. Do you think the ladybug larvae will help the garden? Find some evidence.

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Chapter 16

1. How did Zoey feel at the beginning of this chapter? Why?

Zoey feels disappointed because
she doesn't think the Grumplets
are coming.

2. How did Zoey know the Grumplets were coming?

Zoey noticed Sas safras' tail
was chattering.

3. What do the Grumplets do after eating the berries?

They made a little bed in a
tree to sleep.

4. In the story, the Grumplets were **gathering** up moss.
What could you **gather** up?

Answers vary.

Find, Mark, Discuss

What is the most important part of this chapter?

Sample answers.



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Teaching Notes

This resource includes chapter questions for each chapter of Zoey & Sassafras Grumplets and Pests by Asia Citro with pictures by Marion Lindsay.

To use this resource, it might be easiest to print all the chapter questions double sided with the cover like a packet. You can also print chapter by chapter.

Some of the questions are literal and some are inferential.

Each chapter includes 1 vocabulary connection word which has the word used as it is in the text, and then students are asked to use the word in their own response.

There is a 'find, mark, discuss' question for each chapter. This is a great thing to have students do if they finish answering the chapter questions. I have students mark the spot with a sticky note in their book. Depending on the student they can also write a sentence or two on the sticky note to get them ready to discuss with a partner or group.

There is a suggested answer page for each chapter question page. This does not include complete/ the only answers that make sense. All of the vocabulary connection words and opinion responses will vary.



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