

1st Grade

# Gingerbread House



## Escape Room

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# Print & Two Digital Options

## Digital Instructions

[Click here](#) to access the Google Slides version of this resource.

[Click here](#) to watch a video to see how to use the print and digital version of this resource.

## Printable Directions

### Materials:

- Printed cards for each team
- Computer or tablet for videos (optional)

**Duration:** Approximately 90 minutes. You can also split this up into four 20 to 30-minute activities over four days, having students complete one challenge per day.

**Prep:** Print challenge cards and recording sheet for each team. Place challenge cards into envelopes.

### Directions:

1. Split your class into teams of 4-5 students. Ensure teams are multi-level.
2. (Optional) Show the introduction video.
3. Give each team their envelope for challenge #1.
4. Allow time for the teams to work through each challenge. Once they complete the challenge, they should record answers in their brochure. Then, they will turn the code in to the teacher to check before the teacher assigns the next challenge. (Optional) Teacher may show completion videos after each challenge is solved. Students can also scan the provided QR codes to view the videos.
5. The first team to complete all four challenges escapes the gingerbread house first!
6. Assign "oops" cards to help create equity. Give an "oops" card to students who are taking the lead, to encourage them to step back and give other students a turn.

### The Story

Scan the QR code or [click here](#) to view the video.





# Print Friendly Version

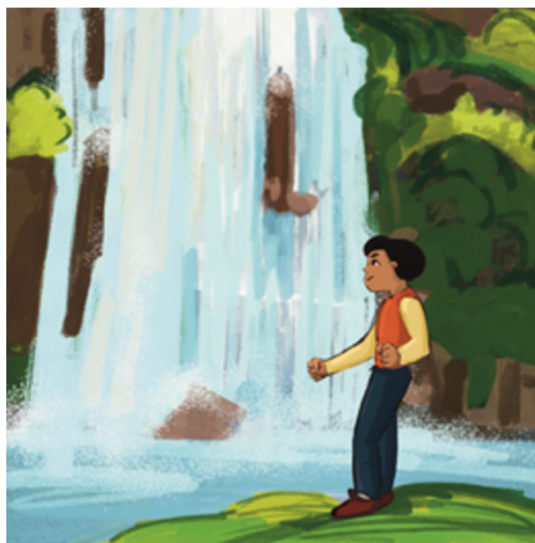
## Heartflower

I hike through the dense forest. The deeper I go, the darker it grows. This part of the forest is forbidden. My sister needs me to come here, though. It's the only place to get petals from the heartflower. Without it, she can't be cured of her sickness.

She's counting on me. I won't let her down.

I hear water ahead. I move faster. I reach a big waterfall. What I need is behind it.

I take in a deep breath. I step through the waterfall. The water is freezing. I want to turn back. I think of my sister and keep walking. Soon the water is behind me, and I'm in a big cave.



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# Digital Webscape™ & Google Slides

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**Get Started!**





# Webscape™ is Interactive & Self-Correcting!

## Challenge #1

Click on the book to read the text, then click on each clue and answer the questions. Answer carefully, because the right answers will give you the clues to solve the challenge!

How did you walk around the melting floor?



Clue #1



Clue #2



Clue #3



Clue #4



Clue #5

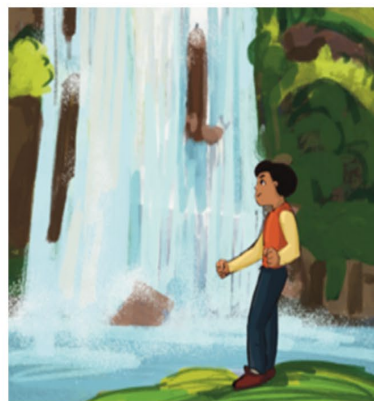


Clue #6



# Webscape™ Includes Audio Option!

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Nazar wants the petals because his grandmother loves them.

Nazar wants the petals for his mom's flower store.

Nazar wants the petals to help his sick sister.

Nazar wants the petals for himself.



Webescape™ has clear and simple directions.

Great work! Collect the second puzzle piece!



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# Videos Tell the Story





# Challenges Assess Various Skills

## Challenge #1

1. Read the story.
2. Answer the questions.
3. Collect your puzzle piece.



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# Comprehension Questions

1. Why does Nazar want the heartflower petals?

- a. Nazar wants the petals because his grandmother loves them.
- b. Nazar wants the petals for his mom's flower store.
- c. Nazar wants the petals to help his sick sister.
- d. Nazar wants the petals for himself.

2. Where does Nazar go to find the heartflower petals?

- a. Nazar swims to the bottom of the pond.
- b. Nazar goes through the water-fall.
- c. Nazar climbs up the tree.
- d. Nazar crawls on the ground.

3. Read the sentence.

*"This part of the forest is forbidden."*

What is the meaning of the word "forbidden" in the sentence?

- a. beautiful
- b. not allowed
- c. green
- d. magical



# Students Collect Puzzle Pieces After Each Challenge

We are going to build a gingerbread house! Collect the puzzle pieces to complete the gingerbread house at the end.



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# Printable Version Includes "Ooops!" Challenges



Ooops!

You dropped your glasses in the candy c



NO USING YOUR EYES FOR 5  
MINUTES!

Ooops!

You forgot to decorate your gingerbread house!



YOU MUST STAY QUIET FOR 5  
MINUTES. NO SPEAKING!





# Solve 4 Challenges to Earn Your Certificate!



## Gingerbread House Challenge Complete



\_\_\_\_\_  
(Name)

has successfully completed the challenges  
and escaped the gingerbread house!



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(Date)

