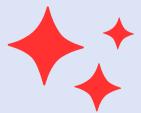






JUMPING BEANIE & THE MUSTARD SEED

BOOK DISCUSSION GUIDE

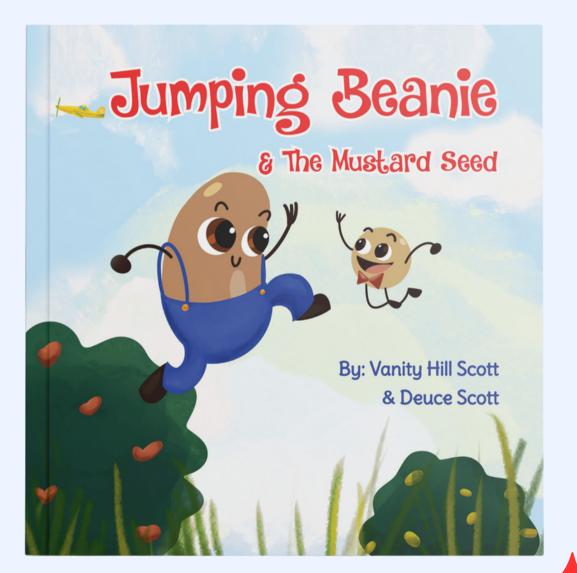




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THEMES TO DISCUSS

BELIEVING IN ONESELF

- Talk to your child about what faith the size of a mustard seed means to you. Describe a time where you had to have faith the size of a mustard seed.
- Discuss the importance of believing in their abilities. Share personal stories of when you faced challenges and how belief in yourself made a difference.

COURAGE WITH EVERYDAY LIFE

• Encourage your child to identify moments in their life where they demonstrated courage. Discuss how facing fears can lead to personal growth.

BUILDING STRONG FRIENDSHIPS

• Discuss what qualities make a good friend, using Jumping Beanie and Mustard Seed as examples. Encourage your child to reflect on their own friendships.

THE POWER OF POSITIVE WORDS

• Explore positive reinforcement by incorporating affirmations into daily routines. Discuss with your child how positive words can impact their confidence and outlook.

BOOK DISCUSSION QUESTIONS



FAITH AND BELIEF

- How does Jumping Beanie's journey reflect the importance of faith in overcoming challenges?
- Can you recall a personal experience where faith played a role in your or your child's life?

COURAGE AND PERSERVERANCE

- Discuss instances in the book where Jumping Beanie demonstrates courage. How does his courage inspire young readers?
- How can parents and educators encourage children to develop perseverance and face challenges with bravery?

FRIENDSHIP AND SUPPORT

- Explore the dynamic between Jumping Beanie and Mustard Seed. How does their friendship contribute to the overall message of the book?
- Share examples from your own life or your child's life where friendship provided essential support.

POSITIVE AFFIRMATIONS

- How do positive affirmations contribute to Jumping Beanie's journey?
- Discuss ways in which parents and caregivers can implement positive affirmations to boost a child's confidence.



Beyond the Book Activities

Create a Friendship Collage

Use magazines, photos, and drawings to create a collage that represents the qualities of a good friend.

Role-Playing Scenarios

Act out scenes from the book with your child. Discuss the choices the characters make and how they relate to real-life situations.



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Positive Affirmation Jar

Together, create a jar filled with positive affirmations. Each day, pick an affirmation to share with your child, emphasizing the importance of selflove and confidence.

Faithful Artwork

Encourage your child to draw a picture of that represents their interpretation of faith. Ask them to explain their artwork and how it relates to the book.





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