POLAR BEAR ISLAND

by LINDSAY BONILLA  illustrated by CINTA VILLALOBOS

ACTIVITY KIT
Find these words from the book in the word search below. Do you remember them from the story? You can search the grid horizontally, vertically, and diagonally—and backward and forward, too—to find the hidden words. (Letters may be used more than once.)

**WORD BANK**

- S P S X S R G I X Y S Z Q O U
- C R O U O L C M R I E E Y H F
- N A E Y I E D A R N N P A W S
- V I A P F T E V P U O B I X W
- E M U L P B C Z Y W C Z J R G
- C K O G R I V A I U W D A G S
- D E U A N R L I S I O N Z V R
- F Z L J Y E C S M E N A M W F
- X O P P M N P Q R G S L K F R
- P M Y E N R U O J E L S D O I
- A W Q R B X J G F G P I J I E
- C K O S L E D B E D S P B D N
- X O V Z F J N U N R D H I A D
- G Q N I K Z K I B M T W V L S
- J T D K Q G D F B Q G H Q U F

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Kirby makes Flipper Slippers. The polar bears she meets are eager to have pairs of their own. If you could design your own Flipper Slippers, what would they look like?
Help Kirby find her way to Polar Bear Island.
1. Why do you think Parker didn’t want others on his island? How do you think Kirby felt knowing that Parker didn’t want her on Polar Bear Island? Why do you think Parker changed his mind about having Kirby on the island?

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2. Kirby and her family members each bring a special skill to Polar Bear Island. What special skill or ability would you bring to Polar Bear Island for everyone to enjoy?

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COLOR A PICTURE
CROSSWORD

Read the clues below and fill in the spaces of the crossword. Look back through the story and use the word bank if you get stuck!

DOWN:
1. Kirby’s cousin shoveled snow ______
2. Penguin and Polar Bear Island became a great place to live for ______
4. Parker slipped on some ______
5. Polar Bears have ______, not flippers
8. Kirby sent a ________ to her family

ACROSS:
3. The Bears woke up Parker with their______
6. No ______ allowed
7. Kirby _______ where the wind blew
9. Polar Bears peeked out of their ______
10. Flipper slippers help you _____ on ice
11. Parker is the _____ of Polar Bear Island
ANSWER KEY

WORD SEARCH

CROSSWORD PUZZLE

MAZE

POSSIBLE PUZZLE ANSWERS:

CROSSWORD PUZZLE

1. CHERV

3. LAUGHTER

6. OTHERS

9. DENS

10. SKATE

11. MAYOR

SPXXSRGIYXYSZQOU
CRQULCMRIEEYHF
NAEYIEDARRNPAWS
VIAFTPTEVPUOBIWX
EMULPCZYWCZJRRC
CKOGRIVALUWDAGS
DEURNLISIONZVR
FZLJYECSEMANMWF
XOPPMPNQRGSLKFR
PMVENRJOJELOSDOI
AWQRBXJGFPIJE
CKOSLEDBEDSPBDN
XOVZFJUNRDHIAD
GQNIKZKIBMTWVLS
JTDKQGDFBQGHQUF