

Reader Guide:

Reader's Guide for "Surf Soup and the Magical Hair-No Haircuts! The Hairy Chase Book 11 Volume 4: An Adventure of Friendship, Ocean Conservation, and Enchanting Hair":

- Discuss the theme of friendship in the book. How does Koa demonstrate his loyalty and support for his friend Jelly? How do their actions and interactions reflect the importance of friendship?
- Explore the concept of standing up to bullies. How does Koa handle the bullies who target Jelly? What lesson about empathy and friendship is conveyed through Koa's mischievous plan with his magical hair?
- Reflect on the significance of Koa's magical hair in the story. How does his hair become a symbol of his unique identity and resilience? Discuss the different ways Koa's hair showcases its extraordinary abilities and the impact it has on those around him.
- Dive into the theme of ocean conservation and plastic pollution. How do Koa and Jelly raise awareness about these issues? What lessons do they learn about the importance of protecting the ocean and its fragile ecosystem?
- Discuss the role of imagination and creativity in the book. How does Koa's magical hair inspire curiosity, wonder, and a newfound appreciation for nature? How does Koa's imagination help him navigate through life's challenges?
- Art Activity: Create Your Magical Hair Masterpiece

Materials needed:

Paper or canvas

Watercolor paints or markers

Glitter or sequins

Craft glue

Scissors

- Instructions:
- Ask the students to imagine their own magical hair. Encourage them to think about what makes their hair special and unique. Is it a certain color or texture? Does it have any magical abilities?
- Provide each student with a sheet of paper or canvas. Instruct them to draw an outline of a head, including the hair.
- Using watercolor paints or markers, have the students color in their hair, experimenting with different colors and patterns. Encourage them to be creative and let their imagination run wild.
- Once the paint is dry, ask the students to cut out small shapes from glitter or sequins to represent magical elements of their hair, such as stars, flowers, or sparkles.
- Using craft glue, have the students carefully attach the glitter or sequins to their artwork, placing them strategically on the hair to highlight its magical qualities.
- After the glue has dried, invite the students to share their artwork with the class. Encourage them to describe their magical hair and explain the inspiration behind their design.
- This art activity allows students to express their creativity, embrace their uniqueness, and visually represent the concept of magical hair inspired by the book. It also provides an opportunity for them to discuss their own imaginative ideas and the magical qualities they would like their hair to possess.

