



WAYS TO EXPLORE READING “NEVER PAT A PORCUPINE”

- 1. SEE IF YOU CAN FIND A MOUSE ON EACH OF THE PAGES.**
- 2. HOW MANY ANIMALS CAN YOU FIND ON EACH PAGE? WHAT ARE SOME OF THE FUNNY THINGS THAT THEY ARE DOING? WHAT ARE YOUR FAVORITE ANIMALS?**
- 3. THE LITTLE OLD MAN TELLS THE BOY HE SHOULD NOT DO CERTAIN THINGS WITH DIFFERENT ANIMALS. WHAT ARE SOME OF HIS SUGGESTIONS?**
- 4. HOW DOES THE LITTLE OLD MAN GO AWAY? IS IT MAGIC?**
- 5. THE DOG IS A MAJOR CHARACTER IN THIS BOOK. WHAT IS THE DOG’S NAME? CAN YOU SEE WHAT IS ON HIS COLLAR?**
- 6. NOTICE THE AUTHOR DOES NOT TELL US THE BOYS NAME. WHAT DO YOU THINK WOULD BE A GOOD NAME FOR THE BOY?**
- 7. DO YOU THINK IT WOULD HURT YOUR HAND IF YOU TRIED TO PAT A PORCUPINE?**
- 8. WHAT IS THE MAJOR MESSAGE THE AUTHOR HOPES TO DELIVER IN THIS BOOK? DISCUSS THIS AND HOW EACH OF US CAN HELP ACHIEVE THIS GOAL.**