

Classroom Discussion and Activity Guide

Extension Activity: Reflection—Text-to-Self; Text-to-World

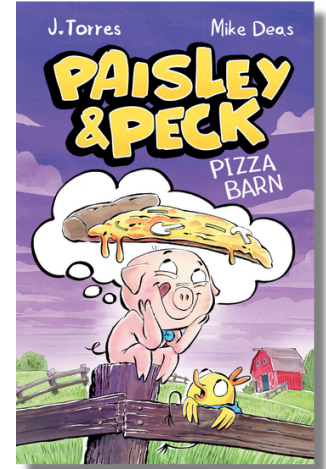
Extension Activity: Writing & Visual Arts—Create a Pizza Shop

Paisley & Peck: Pizza Barn

by J. Torres, illustrated by Mike Deas

The second book in a riotous graphic novel series following two misfit barnyard friends

Paisley and Peck return in a quest for something crucial to every farm foodie ... pizza!



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Ages 6 to 9; Grade: 1-2

Before Reading:

- Look at the cover. Do you ever daydream? What do you think about?
- What toppings do you like on your pizza? What is the most popular topping in your class?

After Reading:

Reflection—Text-to-Self

- Paisley is excited to try a new food. What new food have you tried recently? How did you feel before and after eating it?
- Turnip doesn't like Slick's impolite behavior, but she welcomes him to the farm because she doesn't want to be rude. What are some polite and impolite behaviors you've seen?

Reflection—Text-to-World

- Slick is from the city and the other animals are from the countryside, so they have different experiences. How would your life change if you moved to a place that is different of your hometown?



CURRICULUM CONNECTIONS

Text Forms: Comedic Text

Language Arts: Visual Literacy; Dialog;
Story Elements

Social-Emotional Learning: Social Awareness

Character Education: Problem-Solving

READING LEVELS

Fountas & Pinnell: K

Reading Recovery: 20

Lexile® Measure: GN510L

Common Core: RL.2, W.2, SL.2, L.2



WRITING AND VISUAL ARTS: CREATE A PIZZA SHOP

Paisley was so excited to try some pizza from Pizza Barn. Maybe your store can make his dream come true! Create a pizza shop and menu to present to your class.

Use this mindmap to help you plan your shop.

LET'S BUILD A PIZZA SHOP!

