

Year 3  
Guided Reading

Remote Learning  
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# Lesson 1

Have a look at these pictures and imagine you are there.

What can you see?

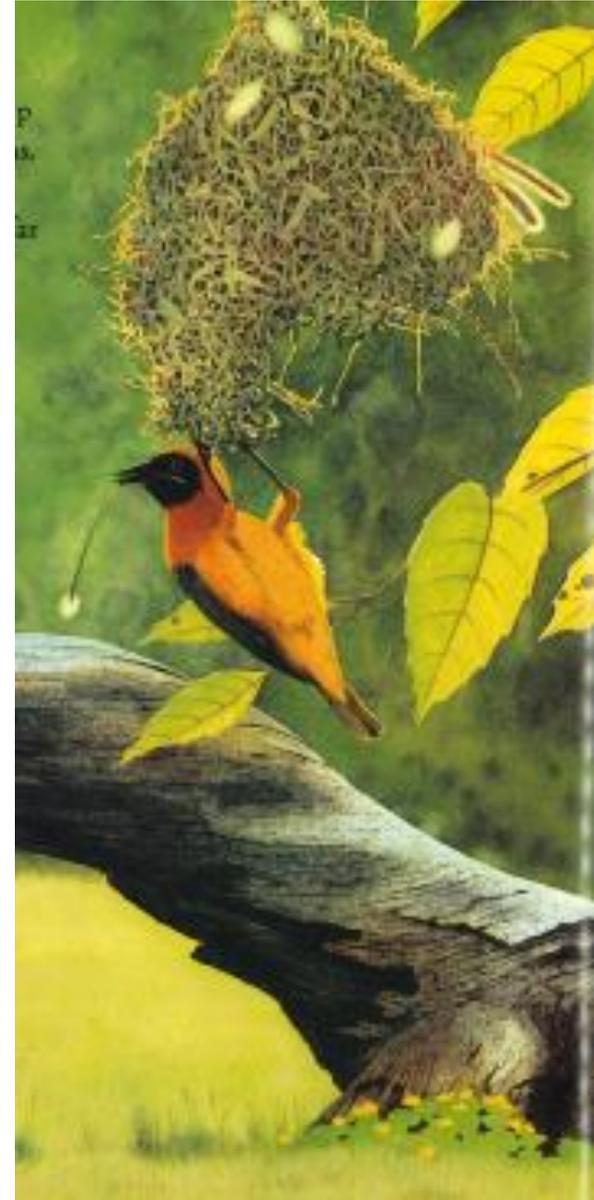
What can you hear?

What can you feel ?

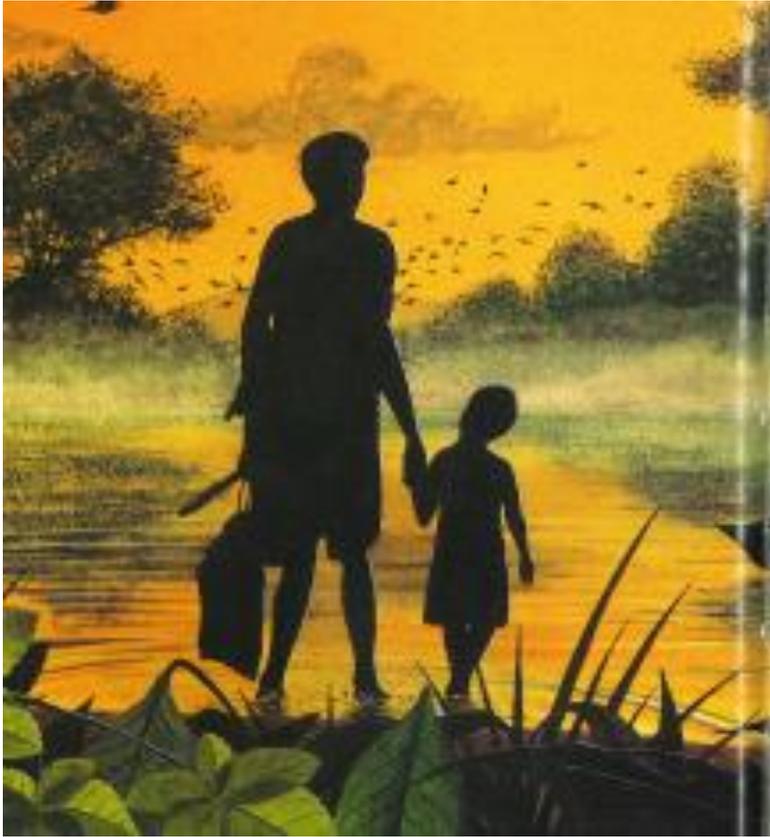
What is the weather like ?

What temperature is it ?

How do you know?

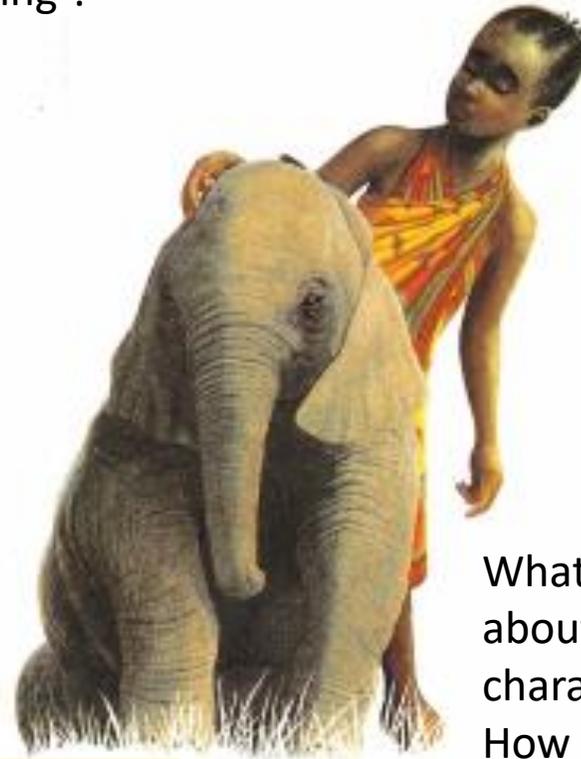


Answer these questions in your book.



Who do you think is the main character?  
Where are the characters going?  
How do you know?

What emotion is she feeling?  
How do you know?



How does she feel about the elephant?  
How do you know?  
Is the elephant grown up?  
What can you tell us about the elephant?

What can you predict about these two characters?  
How do you know?



LESSON 2 - fluency  
read the words



want bird  
old played  
man noon high  
deep wind  
were going  
bush turn  
sad many  
sound shot

read the words



think since  
forest eyes  
honey pride  
lion hunter  
tracked breath  
listened called  
tug tugged mighty  
around

read the words



elephant grandfather  
wandered silence  
nowhere heard  
desperate Jamina  
rhino sense  
danger stalked



## The Hunter by Paul Geraghty

In the early morning, Jamina went with her grandfather to collect honey. They followed the honey bird far into the bush.

"I want to see elephants!" Jamina cried. "Grandfather, do you think we will?"

"You'll be lucky," said the old man. "We don't see many now. Not since the hunters came."

"Hunters! Jamina's eyes lit up. "I'm going to be a hunter."

Jamina played hunters. She shot the mighty elephant; she tracked a rhino deep into the forest; she stalked a pride of lions.

Then she turned back to look for her grandfather. But she had wandered too far into the bush and the old man and the honey bird were nowhere to be seen. She called out but there was silence.

Then, far away on the wind, Jamina heard a sound. A sad desperate cry that tugged at her heart. She held her breath and listened.

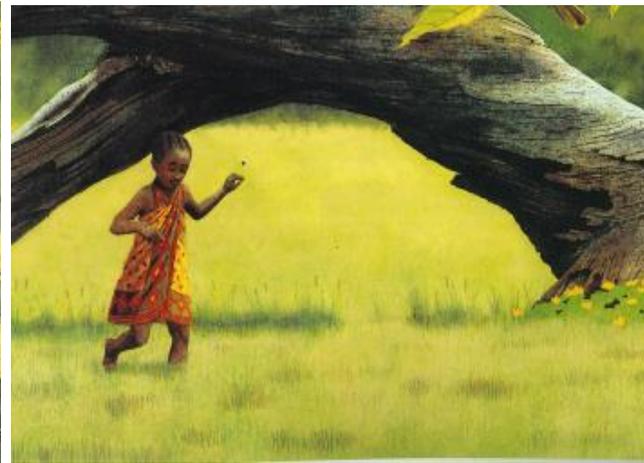
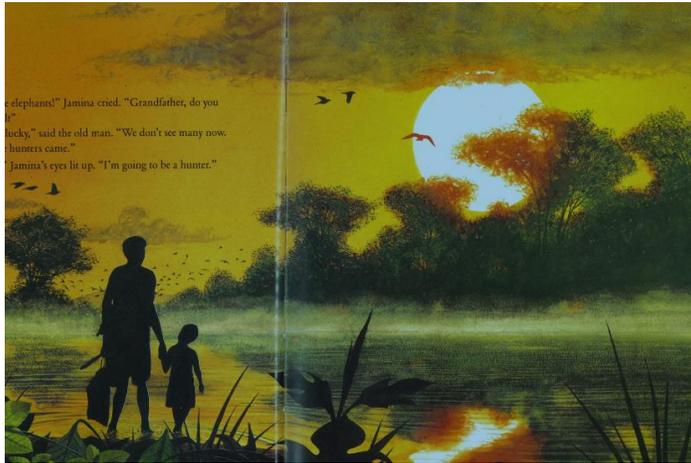
Jamina look up. Vultures hung high in the heavy noon heat, and all around she could sense danger.

# LESSON 3

Imagine you are Jamelia ( Jamil -change character to a boy)

Create **still frames**

- Holding hands with grandfather heading towards the bush
- Searching for the honey bird
- Plays at being a hunter
- Holding her breath as she listens to a desperate cry.



Answer these questions in your book:

Why were you going into the bush? Who were you with? How did you feel?

What did you play? What did you imagine?

What did you hear? What did it sound like? How did you feel?

What made you hold your breath? How did you feel?

LESSON 4 - fluency -  
read the words



read the words



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sound help

been found

vain tiny

cry baby

heat river

were gleam

step rest

went

alone warned

couldn't nearby

afraid insect

heard

tilted perhaps

wake little

clearing lead

family

frightened

further

rasping

Jamina

parents

survive

mournful

endless

I am learning to read with support – share the reading



I am learning to read  
with expression



"Never go alone into the bush," her parents had warned. But the sound was so mournful she couldn't help but follow. Further and further she went....until she came to a clearing. There she found a tiny elephant, trying on vain to wake his mother. The hunters had been and , like Jamina, he was lost and afraid.

"Don't cry little one, "She whispered.

Jamina tilted her head to listen. Perhaps the rest of the heard nearby. But all she could hear was the endless rasping of insects in the heat.

She knew the baby would not survive alone. She could try to lead him home with her and perhaps they would find his family on the way.

But the bay was frightened.

"I'm not a hunter," she said softly. For a long time she spoke to the elephant until her grew calm and nuzzled her with his trunk.

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with expression



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As the skies cleared, the baby grew excited and for a moment she thought she could hear elephants.

But when she stopped to listen there was only the whispering of the wind in the grass. For a long time the elephant would not move. Then, sadly and silently, he carried on.

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# Lesson 5

Draw the outline of a person. This represents Jamina.

Read the parts of the story from the previous slides.

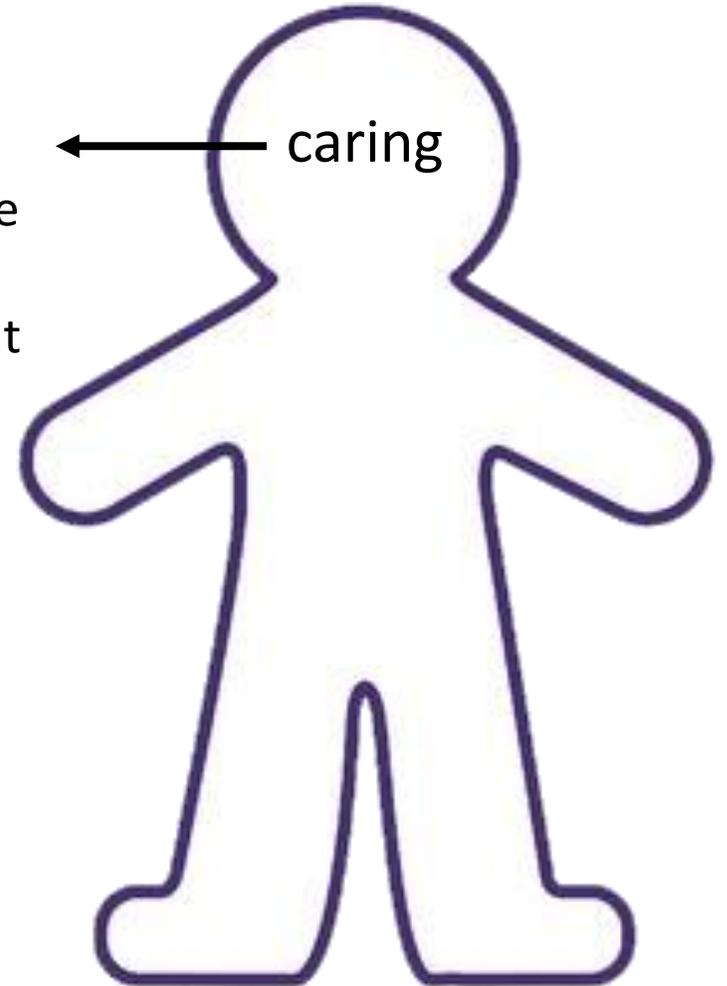
On the inside of the person, write words to describe how Jamina is feeling. On the outside, write how you know using clues from the text.



Here's some words  
to help you:

sad  
excited  
eager  
worried  
cheerful  
nervous  
anxious

She  
looked  
after the  
baby  
elephant



caring

