

Ben's Sniff Hunt



A Digraph WH Decodable Book • Level 2 • Kindergarten–1st Grade



Mom got a bad whiff in the hall.
"What is that smell?" she said.
"Where is it from?" "I will
help," said Ben. "I will find what
it is." Ben set off on a sniff hunt.



He sniffed the bin. He sniffed Gus's bed. Gus sniffed it too. Ben sniffed his own socks. It was not them! When Ben got to his bag, he got a big whiff.



In the bag was his white lunch box. It still had old fish and milk in it! "Oh no! That is the smell!" said Ben. Ben dumped the whole mess in the bin.



He scrubbed the box while Gus sat with him. Then he set the bag out in the sun. Mom sniffed the hall. "No bad whiff! Thank you, Ben," she said.

Words in This Book

Focus skill

WH digraph (initial)

Digraph WH words

whiff, where, when, white, whole, while

High-frequency words

a, the, is, she, it, he, was, to, and

Other story words

Mom, got, bad, in, hall, what, that, smell, said, from, I, will, help, Ben, find, set, off, on, sniff, hunt, sniffed, bin, Gus, bed, too, his, own, socks, not, them, bag, big, lunch, box, still, had, old, fish, milk, oh, no, dumped, mess, scrubbed, sat, with, him, then, out, sun, thank, you

Talk About It

1. Where did Mom get a bad whiff?
2. What was in Ben's lunch box?
3. What did Mom say to Ben at the end?

Read It Again

Read the book again. Point to every word from the Digraph WH list. How many can you find?