

Week 2 Monday Reading Pig the Fibber

1. Why is it important to tell the truth?

2. Trevor is shocked that Pig blames him because they are supposed to be friends.

- How should people behave with their friends?

- Do you need to be extra-specially nice to people who are your friends?

- Do you think it's important to behave well with people who aren't your friends? Explain your answer.

3. Look at Pig's plan to steal all of the treats. He is so greedy that he has made one big mistake in his plan.

- What is it?

- Will he be able to blame Trevor for stealing the treats? Why/why not?

4. What kind of dress does Pig destroy in the book? Aaron Blabey doesn't explain the dress in the text, but he gives us clues in the illustrations. What clues does he give us?

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5. Does Pig deserve what happens to him? Why/why not? Why do you think the author chose to teach Pig a lesson in such a dramatic way?

6. Look at the last page of Pig the Fibber. How does the illustration here build up to the revelation of what has happened to Pig? What effect does this big reveal have?

7. Is Pig the Fibber a humorous story?

- What makes it funny?

- How do the illustrations work together with the text to make the story humorous?

- How does the author use humour to convey the moral of the story?
