



CHARLIE Wears A Mask

Instructional Aid and Guided Questions

1. What is Charlie's dog's name?
Mango
2. What do Charlie and Mango do every day?
Play in the field in the purple flowers
3. Why does Charlie wear a mask?
To keep him and others safe
4. Why does Charlie take an extra mask with him?
In case anyone else needs a mask, he will help them by giving them his extra mask
5. What does a mask do?
It keeps the bad air from getting in or out and making us or someone else sick
6. What do Charlie and Mango's masks look like?
They are beautiful and have purple roses on them
7. Why does Mango wear a mask?
To stay safe
8. Do Charlie's friends wear masks?
Yes, Taryn, Carter and Penelope wear masks
9. Why does Charlie give Taryn his extra mask?
Because she doesn't have one and he wants her to stay safe
10. Why is Charlie happy?
Because he is safe, and he has helped Mango and all his friends stay safe by wearing masks too



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Key Messages:

1. Wearing a mask helps keep you safe, and helps you keep others safe
2. We should be generous and lend a helping hand or mask to others
3. We should take care of ourselves, our pets, and others by wearing masks

Activities and Discussion:

1. Draw or make a mask
2. Draw or trace Charlie and Mango wearing masks
3. Talk about how to help a friend by lending them a mask
4. Talk about why we wear masks
5. Discuss why Charlie is happy

Tips:

1. Point to the characters
2. Discuss the story as you go, and who is wearing masks and why
3. Bring a mask to the class to show them what a real one looks like
4. Talk about the characters in the story who are wearing masks
5. Ask the Early Reader who their favorite character is and why