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#### Dear Boys and Girls

We had a great time celebrating Lasagne Day. We learnt how it's made in Italy and about the different types one can make. Sally was a great help but needed an eye on her as she found the meat sauce too tempting. Timid Timothy had a bit of trouble with the cheese sauce bit and at one stage she was covered in cheesy bits.

Our red fire precaution card brightly decorates our fridge now and we all carefully read it before heading out.

Eager Emily is getting excited with Arbour Week around the corner. She's started whistling as she collects her nuts.

All my love

Martha Mouse

P.S. Did you spot the mistake we made in Rain Door last month?

### **Eager Emily's Listening Challenge**

Eager Emily has issued everyone a challenge. Where do you think Sally Scribbler will choose?

Pick two of these places:



- Your garden
- A park
- The pool
- Next to a river
- In a forest
- Alongside campfire

Sit or stand as quietly as possible, close your eyes for three minutes, and listen to the sounds around you.

Can you hear the wind? The rustling leaves of the tree? Any birds or insects? Do you hear people in the distance?

How many different sounds do you hear?

Can you imitate any of the sounds you hear?

Make a list of the sounds you heard for each place.

Take a picture of each place you did the listening at.

#### Timid Timothy's One Liners

What kind of flower grows on your face? Tulips!

What did the big flower say to the little flower? Hey, bud!

Why was the pine tree sent to its room? Because it was being knotty!

Why did you give the tree some aspirin? Because I heard it was a sycamore!

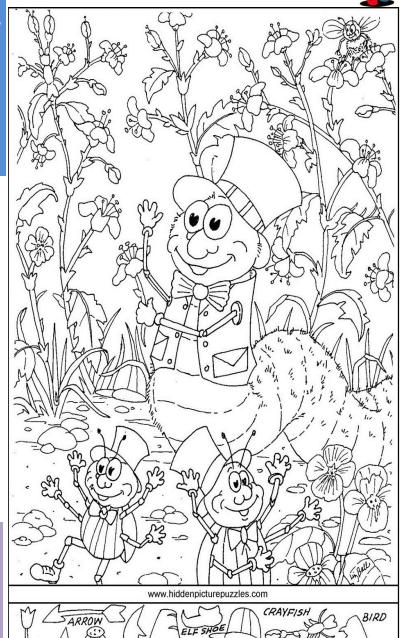
## **Eager Emily's Book Suggestions**



# August 2015

Sally Scribbler has asked for a challenge so I thought she could help find these items.

Sally Scribbler's Hidden Pictures



# **How Never-ending Stories Began**

PEAR MUSHROOM CANDLE

SHAKER MOON

At first it was small, insignificant things like a piece of thread, an old shoelace or a hairclip. It seemed to happen in a flash. Before you could blink in fact. At first Martha Mouse thought she was getting old and misplacing things until she asked eager Emily one morning to help.

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