

## Week of March 22nd

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| <p><b>Monday</b></p>    | <p>The Wild Robot - Lessons from Chapters 57-63: <b>Growth Mindset</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <b>Summarize</b> for those that haven't read and to put class on the same page for discussion. Can have students summarize or can read this summary: In Chapters 50-63 Roz puts out a fire in the second lodge and saves the animals that were in there. Spring comes and the island thaws out and begins to have life again. Roz explores all over the island, happy to be back out. In usual fashion, he mediates problems, helping relocate Rockmouth out of the pond and back to his original home in the river. Roz's name continues to be one of hero and joy as animals around the island speak of her. Brightbill returns from migration and her and Roz begin to catch up on the winter.</li> <li>● <b>Discussion:</b> We've talked about mindset many times this year.             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ What is the difference between a fixed mindset and a growth mindset?</li> <li>○ How did the beavers display a fixed vs. growth mindset? Who assisted them in changing their mindset towards Rockmouth?</li> </ul> </li> <li>● <b>Read Aloud:</b> <a href="#">Rosie Revere, Engineer</a> or <a href="#">How to Catch a Star</a></li> </ul>  |
| <p><b>Tuesday</b></p>   | <p>The Wild Robot - Lessons from Chapters 63-69: <b>Inclusion</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <b>Summarize</b> for those that haven't read and to put class on the same page for discussion. Can have students summarize or can read this summary: In Chapters 63-69 Roz and Brightbill share their stories of their winters - the island and migration. They are so thrilled to be back and together and both learned the hard lessons of winter and the circle of life. Roz tells Brightbill she was so worried about being alone over winter, but he actually felt included and that all the animals like him. Roz decides to throw a party for the island animals to celebrate the end of winter and feeling included - she calls it the Party Truce. The next morning, as the party truce ended, Brightbill and Roz go on their favorite climb/fly. They run into something called RECOs, who are at the island, looking to collect all of the robots that were lost in the hurricane and Roz is their last one.....</li> <li>● <b>Discussion:</b> How would Roz's celebration have changed if not all of the animals would have been invited? Why is it important to include everyone?</li> <li>● CH/LE: Read Aloud <a href="#">Can I Play Too?</a> By Mo Willems             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Post Read: Take an opportunity to remind the children that they have chances every day to be a good friend like Piggy. Invite a friend to join in. Find a way for everyone to participate. Be a good problem solver. Don't say, "I don't want to play with you."</li> </ul> </li> <li>● UE/AP: Read Aloud <a href="#">Red, A Crayon's Story</a></li> </ul> |
| <p><b>Wednesday</b></p> | <p style="text-align: center;"><b>*Trivia drawn today - get your trivia questions turned into the office prior to lunch time!*</b></p> <p>Forward Testing for all 3rd+ graders:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <a href="#">Zones Check-In</a>- What are you feeling today? What Zone are you in? Why?</li> </ul>   |
| <p><b>Thursday</b></p>  | <p>Forward Testing for all 4th+ graders:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <a href="#">Zones Check-In</a>- What are you feeling today? What Zone are you in? Why?</li> </ul>  |
| <p><b>Friday</b></p>    | <p>The Wild Robot - Lessons from Chapters 70-80: <b>Optimism</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <b>Summarize</b> for those that haven't read and to put class on the same page for discussion. Can have students</li> </ul>  |

summarize or can read this summary: In Chapters 70-80 the animals of the island come to Roz's rescue, making sure to destroy the RECOS. The last words from the RECO to Roz was that it doesn't matter if they killed him, the RECOS will keep sending more until they get Roz and all the robot parts left on the island. Roz is severely hurt, with no arms or legs and to the point where even the wise animals can't figure out how to fix this for Roz. The words of the RECO remain with Roz and he announces to the animals that he must leave the island and go back before more RECOS arrive and cause more damage to the animals and the island. On the journey back, all Roz can think about is how he will get fixed and then escape back to his home and friends on the island.

- **Discussion:** What is the last line of the novel? How did you feel as you read that line? Optimism is the belief that good things will happen. How does Roz show optimism? Did the author leave you feeling optimistic?
- There is a sequel to this book, called The Wild Robot Escapes that you can check out if you want to read on and see what happens next with Roz!