



Just for Fun

Now that you and your child have read the story, enjoy one or more of the following activities. Remember, it's also OK to read the story again and again!

Just This Once

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Activities

- Liz and her hippopotamus are studying travel posters on the first page of the story. Make a travel poster. First, you and your child should choose something to represent a familiar location. Then use colored paper, markers, or pictures from magazines to make a large poster.
- Howling is one way of showing strong feelings. Exchange “howling” for other words, such as “stamping her feet,” and read the story again.
- Make two lists when planning for a trip—“What I Must Take” and “What I Could Leave Behind.” Check off items as they are packed.

Read More About It!

If you and your child enjoyed this book, look for these related titles at your local library or bookstore: *Noisy Nora* by Rosemary Wells, *Bedtime for Frances* by Russell Hoban, *I Won't Go to Bed!* by Harriet Ziefert.

