

CBM #12/Grade 1

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Instructions

You are going to read this story titled Looking for a Partner out loud. This story is about when Fox tries to find a partner for the big dance contest (place the reading passage in front of the student, face down). Try to read each word. You can use your finger to keep your place. If you come to a word you don't know, I'll tell it to you. You will read for one minute. Be sure to do your best reading. Do you have any questions? (Turn the passage right side up). Put your finger on the first word. Begin.

Looking for a Partner

One day Fox decided to enter THE BIG DANCE CONTEST. 10

"Who will be my partner?" he asked. 17

"Don't look at me," said Carmen. "I don't dance." 25

"Why not ask Raisin?" said Dexter. "She's a great dancer." 33

"She's mad about something," said Fox. 39

"Ask her anyway," said Carmen. "Here she comes now." 47

"Uh," said Fox. 50

"Yes, what is it?" said Raisin. 55

"Will you be my partner in THE BIG DANCE CONTEST?" asked 66

Fox. 67

"Are you sure you are good enough?" said Raisin. 75

"Don't worry about *that*!" said Fox. 81

Every day Fox and Raisin practiced hard for THE BIG DANCE 91

CONTEST. They did the waltz. They did the boogie. They did the stomp. 104

They even did The Fox Trot. Raisin was very good. But she was still mad 118

about something. 120

"I'm sure they will win first prize," said Dexter. 128

On the day of THE BIG DANCE CONTEST Fox went to Raisin's 139

house. 140

"Sorry, Fox," said Raisin's mom. "Raisin has the mumps." 147

"Oh, no!" cried Fox. 151

Fox went home. He sat down in front of the TV. But he didn't even 166

turn it on. He was too upset. Suddenly he had an idea. 178

"Come here, Louise!" he cried. 182

"What did I do?" said Louise. 187