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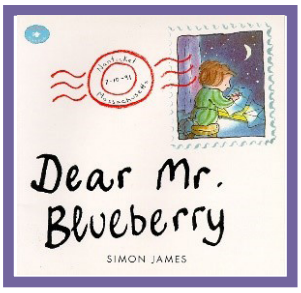
## 1ST GRADE




# Dear Mr. Blueberry

By Simon James

SUNCOAST Summer Reading Challenge
Reading is the key to succeeding

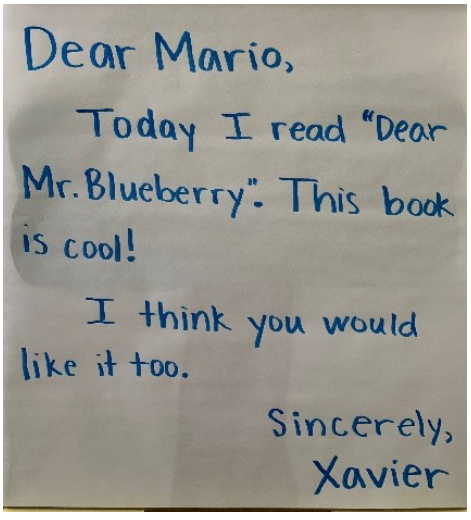
## ACTIVITY: WRITE A LETTER!

### SUPPLIES:

- Paper
- Pencil
- Envelope
- A stamp

### DIRECTIONS:

1. Start your letter with "Dear (name)," then write 1-3 paragraphs about something exciting that has happened to you, such as your involvement in "This Book Is Cool!" Don't forget to put your name at the end of the letter.
2. Fold your letter and put it inside an envelope.
3. Now have an adult help you address the envelope.
4. Add a stamp and put it in the mailbox.


Dear Mario,

Today I read "Dear Mr. Blueberry". This book is cool!

I think you would like it too.

Sincerely,
Xavier

Take a pic!

**Take a photo of your letter and send it along with your name to:**
**connect@gradelevelreadingsuncoast.net**

Name: _____

## Dear Mr. Blueberry

Find the hidden spelling words.

| a | i | z | t | t | o | o | b | a | w |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| z | b | o | b | l | q | q | l | t | g |
| m | u | o | l | r | c | l | u | e | t |
| w | n | t | r | o | o | m | e | l | r |
| d | u | e | b | t | h | w | c | c | u |
| p | m | n | o | o | n | t | i | m | e |
| q | n | k | r | o | o | f | t | o | p |
| c | w | g | l | u | e | w | u | q | u |

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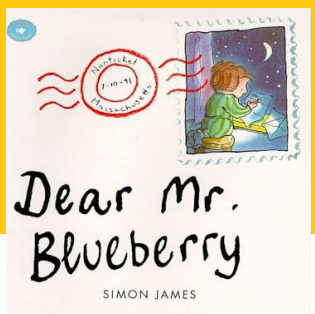
| blue | glue | room | zoo |
| clue | noontime | too | |
| due | rooftop | true | |

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**1st Grade - Week 5, Book 2**

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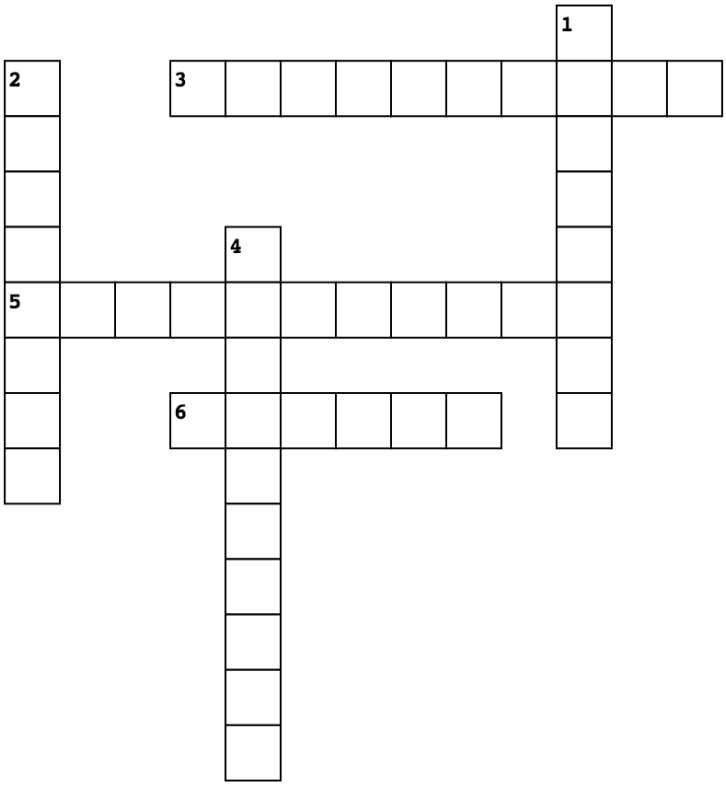
## WORD BANK: Crossword Puzzle

Can you use the clues below to fill in the words from our Word Bank?

*information, stroke, forcibly, distance, disappoint, protecting*




**Across**

3. to make someone feel unhappy
5. facts, knowledge obtained from investigation, study, or instruction
6. pet

**Down**

1. the amount of space between two places
2. in a way that uses power or has a strong effect
4. keeping someone or something safe from harm or injury

Answer Key:
across - 3. disappoint, 5. information, 6. stroke, down - 1. distance, 2. forcibly, 4. protecting

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**EXPAND YOUR VOCABULARY!**