

Lizzy McTizzy and the Busy Dizzy Day

by Sarah Weeks; illustrated by Lee Wildish

About the Book

Lizzy McTizzy is late to a party and can't find her other shoe! She'll stop at nothing to find it even if that means swinging from the chandelier or looking under the cat. The search leaves her dizzy just minutes before the celebration and she's still one blue shoe short.

Join Lizzy as she finds out that being yourself is the best accessory of all!

Storytime Activities

HIDE AND SEEK: Lizzy looks everywhere for her missing shoe, even in the most unlikely hiding places. Ask the children to share their favorite hiding spots at home, and then play a round of hide-and-seek together.

A LOST CAUSE: Ask the children to write about a time that they lost something important. How did they feel (e.g., anxious, frustrated, confused, angry)? Where did they look? Did they find it, and if so, where? Then ask the children to suggest ways to avoid losing things (e.g., designate a special spot for an item, keep an item in its box).

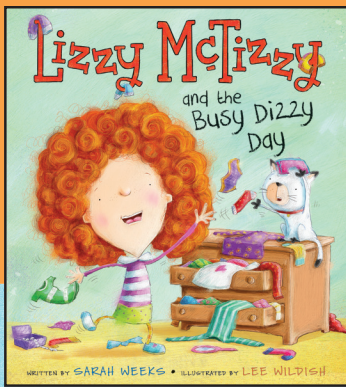
MAKE ROOM: Wildish's illustrations provide the reader with a lot of information about Lizzy's home. Ask the children what they noticed about Lizzy's room and her house. Then have the children create a detailed picture of their house, labeling rooms and items in them to share special details about their home with the rest of the group.

WACKY WARDROBE: Lizzy goes to the party

wearing a red boot and blue shoe. She says it doesn't matter, because "you have to be YOU." Discuss what Lizzy means by this, and why it does not matter that her shoes don't match. Then ask the children to choose a wacky outfit that expresses who they are and allows them to be themselves, regardless of what others might think. You can hold a Wacky Wardrobe Day and have the children wear their outfits to school, or you can have them bring in a photo of their wacky wardrobe or draw a picture of it.

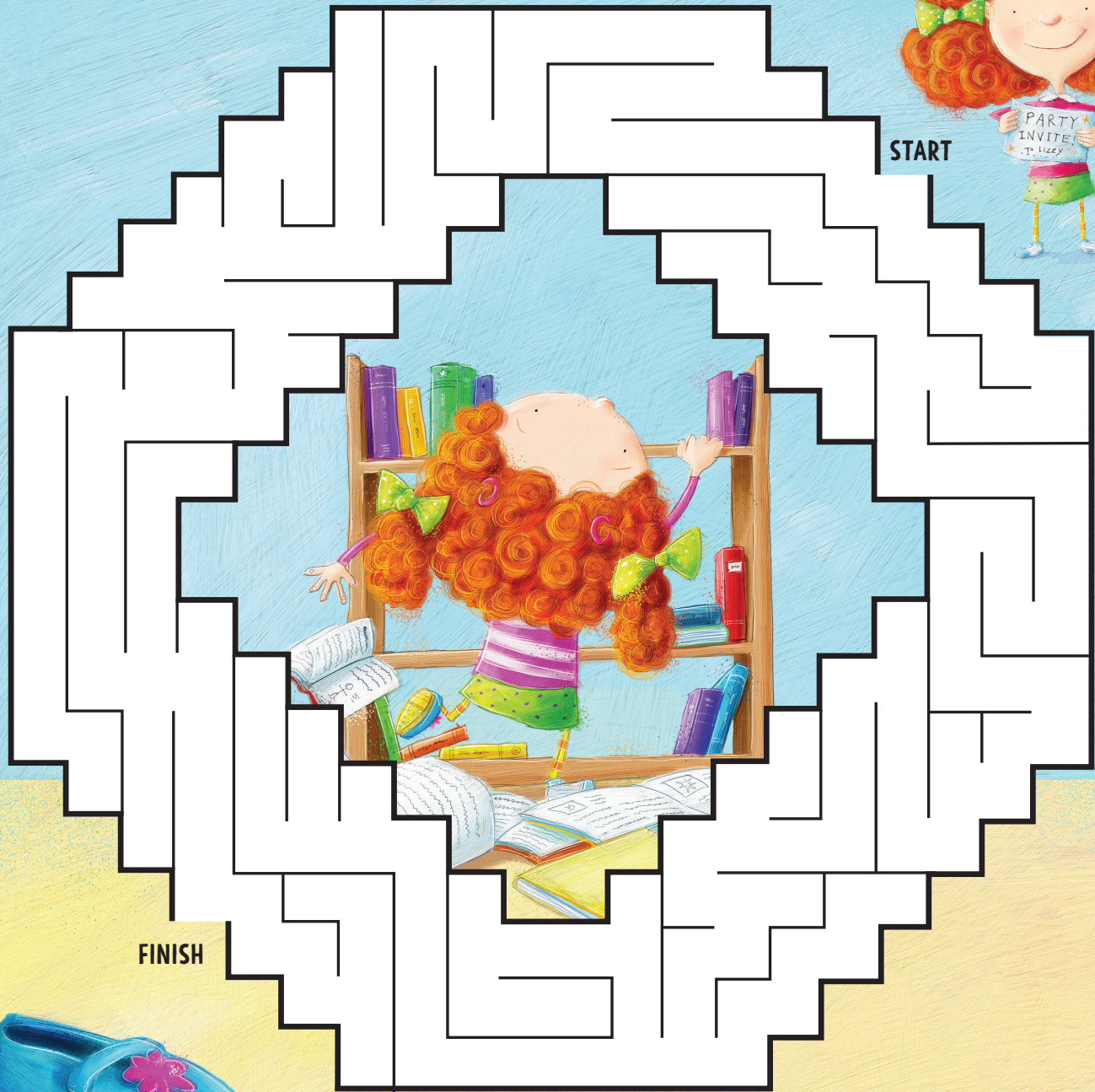
THE BEST BIRTHDAY: Lizzy finally arrives at the birthday party and has a wonderful time. Ask the children to imagine that they can celebrate their birthday any way they choose. Where would they have their party? What would they do there? What would be their favorite birthday present? Have the children write about and illustrate their best birthday party ever!

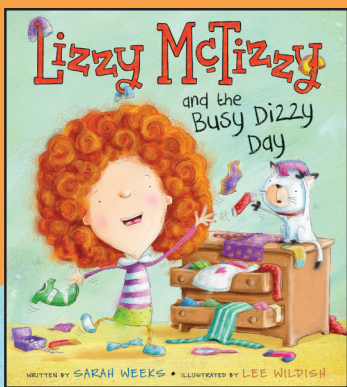




The Long Lost Shoe

Lizzy McTizzy needs to find her shoe in time for the party, but she'll need to make it through the maze to get it! Can you help her find her lost shoe?





Two Shoes for You

Lizzy wears two different shoes to the birthday party to be unique!
Color in the shoes below so they are unique to you!

