

High Expectations: Read Together

Teacher: "...Fish was the most beautiful fish in the..."

Child: Sea.

Teacher: "...in the sea, but he never played with any other..."

Child: He'd never play with the other fish.

Teacher: You...

Teacher: Turn your page. Okay, you got yours. Good job! "He went to the starfish for..."

Child: He went to the starfish for...

Teacher: For help.

Teacher: This is what?

Child: This is an octopus!

Teacher: That's an octopus. Whoa. "Suddenly..."

Child: Suddenly...

Teacher: "...the little blue fish was back."

Child: The blue fish was back.

Teacher: "'Please,' he said..."

Child: "Please," he said.

Teacher: "...'could I have just one scale?'"

Child: "Could I have one scale?"

Teacher: Show me one finger. Good job, Darius! Ooh!

Teacher: Count those fish for me.

Child: 1.

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Child: 2.

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Teacher 2: Look.

Child: All of them are gone.

Teacher: All of them, gone?

Child: And then...

Child 2: [Screaming]

Teacher 2: Emma, you...

Child: All of the fish came back.

Teacher: All the fish came back!

Child: He got one of the scales. He got one of the scales. And he got one of the scales. And he got one of the scales.

Teacher: So did —

Child: And he got one of the scales.

Teacher: Did he give all his scales to some of his friends?

Child: Mm-hmm.

Teacher: Yes, he sure did.