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for

The House on Mango Street

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INTRODUCTION

If you already own the LitPlan for this title, this Puzzle Pack will refresh your Unit Resource Materials and Vocabulary Resource Materials sections plus give you additional materials you can substitute into the tests. If you do not already have a complete LitPlan, these pages will give you some supplemental materials to use with your own plan. There are two main groups of materials: one set for unit words (such as characters' names, symbols, places, etc.) and one set for vocabulary words associated with the book.

WORD LIST

There is a word list for both the unit words and the vocabulary words. These lists show you which words are being used in the materials and the clues or definitions being used for those words. You may want to give students a word list with clues/definitions to help them, or you may want students to only have a word list (without clues/definitions) if you want them to work a little harder. Both are available for duplication. The word lists can also be your "calling key" for the bingo games.

FILL IN THE BLANK AND MATCHING

There are 4 each of the fill in the blank and matching worksheets for both the unit and vocabulary words. These pages can be used either as extra worksheets for students or as objective parts of a unit test. They can be done individually if students need extra help or as a whole class activity to review the material covered.

MAGIC SQUARES

The magic squares not only reinforce the material covered but also work on reasoning and math skills. Many teachers have told us that their students really enjoy doing these!

WORD SEARCH PUZZLES

The word search words go in all directions, as indicated on your answer keys. Two of the word search puzzles have the clues listed rather than the words. This makes the puzzle a little more difficult, but it reinforces the material better. Two word search puzzles have words only for students who find the clue puzzles too difficult.

CROSSWORD PUZZLES

Both unit and vocabulary word sections have 4 crossword puzzles.

BINGO CARDS

There are 32 individual bingo cards for the unit words and 32 individual bingo cards for the vocabulary words. You can use your word list as a "call list," calling the words at random and marking them off of your list as you go, or you could use the flash cards by cutting them apart and drawing the words at random from a hat (or box or whatever). To make a better review, you might ask for the definition and spelling of each word as you call it out—or you could call out the definitions and have students tell you the words they need to look for on the puzzle.

JUGGLE LETTERS

The vocabulary juggle letter game is intended to help students learn the spellings of the words. One sheet has the definitions listed on it as an extra help for students who need it or to reinforce the definitions if you choose to do so.

FLASH CARDS

We've included a set of vocabulary flash cards you can duplicate, cut, and fold for your students. Some teachers make a few sets for general use by the class; others make a set for each student. Some teachers duplicate them for each student and have the students cut & fold their own. You can cut out just the words and put them in a hat, have each student pick out one word and write the definition and a sentence for that word. Students then swap words and papers, with the next student adding a sentence of his own under the last one. You can have students swap as many times as you like. Each time the student will read the sentences written prior to his own and then add a sentence. You can cut out the words and definitions separately and play "I Have; Who Has?" Each student in the room draws a word and definition. The first student says, "I have (the name of the word). Who has the definition?" The student with the definition reads it then says, "I have (the name of the vocabulary word she has). Who has the definition?" The round continues until all words and definitions have been given.

House on Mango Street Fill In The Blank 1

- _____ 1. Chinese year of Esperanza's birth
- _____ 2. Says the neighborhood is getting bad
- _____ 3. The family owns the house here
- _____ 4. The only ones who understand Esperanza
- _____ 5. Aunt ____; died the day the girls made fun of her
- _____ 6. Owner of the used furniture store
- _____ 7. Mr. ____; grocery store owner
- _____ 8. Home between Mango and Keeler
- _____ 9. Ruthie's dog
- _____ 10. Says a cloud was God
- _____ 11. Esperanza compares her hips to one
- _____ 12. Younger sister to Esperanza
- _____ 13. Esperanza noticed him looking at her
- _____ 14. ____ Rican; Marin's nationality
- _____ 15. Esperanza wants to eat there
- _____ 16. ____ Vargas; has too many children
- _____ 17. ____ Garden; kids go there to play
- _____ 18. Three ____ told Esperanza to come back to Mango Street
- _____ 19. Likes to drink coconut and papaya juices
- _____ 20. Kids don't agree on what his wife looks like

House on Mango Street Matching 1

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|---------------------|--|
| ___ 1. MARIN | A. Home between Mango and Keeler |
| ___ 2. MUSIC | B. Esperanza chipped in to buy it |
| ___ 3. RUTHIE | C. Esperanza noticed him looking at her |
| ___ 4. LUCY | D. ___ Box; made Esperanza feel stupid |
| ___ 5. SIRE | E. Tells fortunes with cards |
| ___ 6. MANGO | F. Esperanza wants to eat there |
| ___ 7. MAMACITA | G. Louie's cousin who sells Avon |
| ___ 8. GERALDO | H. The family owns the house here |
| ___ 9. SISTERS | I. Writes poems at night |
| ___ 10. DAVEY | J. ___ The X; the name Esperanza wants |
| ___ 11. EDNA | K. Says a cloud was God |
| ___ 12. MONKEY | L. Ruthie's mother |
| ___ 13. BENNY | M. His brother has a crooked eye |
| ___ 14. ALICIA | N. Dies in hit and run accident |
| ___ 15. ELENITA | O. Great-___; Esperanza is named for her |
| ___ 16. NACHO | P. The big sister, born in Texas |
| ___ 17. GRANDMOTHER | Q. Adult who likes to play |
| ___ 18. LOOMIS | R. Mr. ___; grocery store owner |
| ___ 19. CANTEEN | S. Is afraid of mice |
| ___ 20. DARIUS | T. Esperanza's last name |
| ___ 21. BUICK | U. ___ Garden; kids go there to play |
| ___ 22. CORDERO | V. Esperanza compares her hips to one |
| ___ 23. ZEZE | W. Three ___ told Esperanza to come back to Mango Street |
| ___ 24. BIKE | X. Uncle ___; dances with Esperanza |
| ___ 25. MINERVA | Y. Sits by the window and plays the Spanish radio |

House on Mango Street Magic Squares 1

Match the definition with the vocabulary word. Put your answers in the magic squares below. When your answers are correct, all columns and rows will add to the same number.

A. SALLY
B. MAGDALENA
C. ZEZE
D. MAMACITA
E. EDNA
F. GRANDMOTHER

G. ELENITA
H. DARIUS
I. SISTERS
J. LOIS
K. NENNY
L. EARL

M. DAVEY
N. VARGAS
O. ESPERANZA
P. PAULINA

1. Likes to tell stories
2. Sits by the window and plays the Spanish radio
3. Sire's girlfriend
4. Ruthie's mother
5. Three _____ told Esperanza to come back to Mango Street
6. Great-_____; Esperanza is named for her
7. Home before Keller
8. _____ The X; the name Esperanza wants
9. Says a cloud was God
10. Younger sister to Esperanza
11. Wants to love and love
12. Angel _____ ; tried to fly and dropped from the sky
13. Nenny's real name
14. His brother has a crooked eye
15. Tells fortunes with cards
16. Kids don't agree on what his wife looks like

A=	B=	C=	D=
E=	F=	G=	H=
I=	J=	K=	L=
M=	N=	O=	P=

House on Mango Street Word Search 1

T	R	E	E	S	D	K	M	S	I	S	T	E	R	S	S	B	P
M	U	S	I	C	A	E	N	A	M	L	N	C	G	B	I	R	S
A	T	I	N	E	L	E	J	M	G	E	R	A	L	D	O	Y	W
M	L	X	A	Z	E	L	D	I	H	D	Z	D	C	S	L	B	P
D	V	R	B	T	A	E	Z	N	Z	N	A	I	A	H	H	M	O
B	L	V	N	P	F	R	H	E	A	B	C	L	C	V	O	E	N
W	U	A	D	M	A	X	E	R	V	X	A	L	E	L	N	M	F
S	C	I	M	O	R	U	E	V	Y	V	T	A	S	N	L	E	K
B	A	N	C	N	M	P	L	A	B	A	H	C	R	O	A	Y	M
N	A	L	Y	K	S	E	S	I	I	R	Y	N	O	R	N	A	Z
E	W	B	L	E	S	X	X	C	N	G	N	M	H	N	N	C	S
N	S	D	Y	Y	L	I	I	I	N	A	I	D	E	G	E	U	T
N	T	A	V	U	Y	L	R	I	C	S	K	B	O	K	I	Z	P
Y	X	V	P	R	A	G	R	E	K	A	Q	R	I	R	Y	L	V
P	U	E	R	T	O	A	Z	E	Z	E	N	B	A	L	U	C	Y
H	J	Y	X	K	M	B	H	H	C	O	R	D	E	R	O	P	M

Angel ____ ; tried to fly and dropped from the sky (6)

Aunt ____; died the day the girls made fun of her (4)

Chinese year of Esperanza's birth (5)

Dies in hit and run accident (7)

Esperanza chipped in to buy it (4)

Esperanza compares her hips to one (5)

Esperanza noticed him looking at her (4)

Esperanza wants to eat there (7)

Esperanza's last name (7)

High ____; a woman gives some to the girls to play with (5)

His brother has a crooked eye (5)

Home before Keller (7)

Home between Mango and Keeler (6)

Home street between Paulina and Loomis (6)

Is afraid of mice (6)

Kids don't agree on what his wife looks like (4)

Likes to drink coconut and papaya juices (7)

Likes to tell stories (9)

Louie's cousin who sells Avon (5)

Mr. ____; grocery store owner (5)

Nenny's real name (9)

Owner of the used furniture store (3)

Ruthie's dog (4)

Ruthie's mother (4)

Says a cloud was God (6)

Says the neighborhood is getting bad (5)

Sire's girlfriend (4)

Tells fortunes with cards (7)

The ____ Boy; sings Pepsi commercials (4)

The big sister, born in Texas (4)

The family owns the house here (5)

The only ones who understand Esperanza (5)

Three ____ told Esperanza to come back to Mango Street (7)

Type of car Louie's cousin steals (8)

Uncle ____; dances with Esperanza (5)

Wants to love and love (5)

Won the contest and broke both arms (4)

Writes poems at night (7)

Younger sister to Esperanza (5)

____ Box; made Esperanza feel stupid (5)

____ Garden; kids go there to play (6)

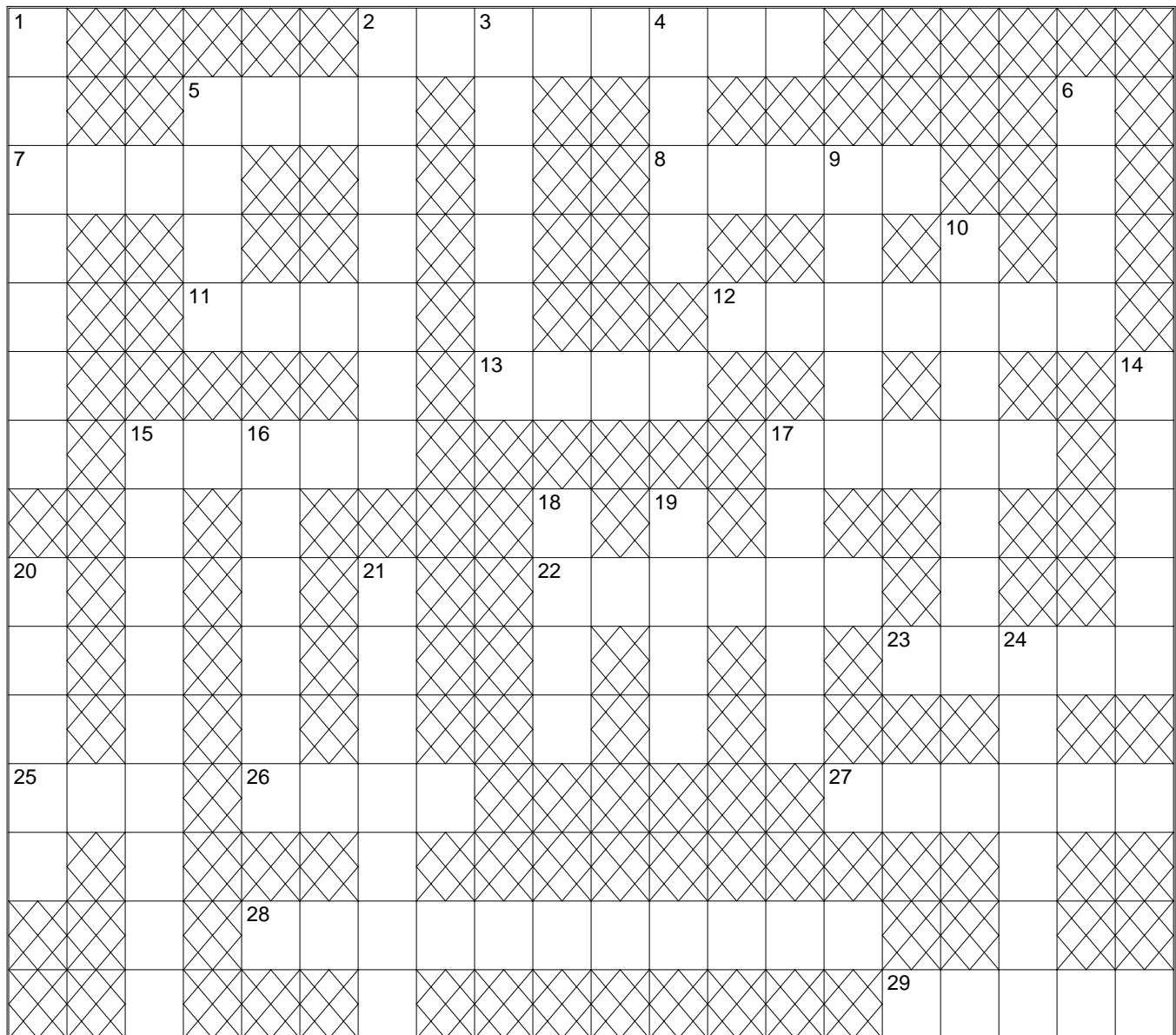
____ Rican; Marin's nationality (6)

____ The X; the name Esperanza wants (4)

____ Vargas; has too many children (4)

____-American; Esperanza's nationality (7)

House on Mango Street Crossword 1



Across

2. Type of car Louie's cousin steals
5. Ruthie's mother
7. ____ Vargas; has too many children
8. Says the neighborhood is getting bad
11. Aunt ____; died the day the girls made fun of her
12. Dies in hit and run accident
13. Esperanza noticed him looking at her
15. Louie's cousin who sells Avon
17. Mr. ____; grocery store owner
22. Is afraid of mice
23. His brother has a crooked eye
25. Owner of the used furniture store

Down

26. Sire's girlfriend
27. ____ Rican; Marin's nationality
28. Great-____; Esperanza is named for her
29. ____ Box; made Esperanza feel stupid
1. Esperanza's last name
2. Esperanza wants to eat there
3. Says a cloud was God
4. The big sister, born in Texas
5. Kids don't agree on what his wife looks like
6. Ruthie's dog
9. Chinese year of Esperanza's birth
10. Tells fortunes with cards
14. Younger sister to Esperanza
15. Nenny's real name

16. The little sister, born in Chicago
17. Esperanza compares her hips to one
18. The ____ Boy; sings Pepsi commercials
19. Esperanza chipped in to buy it
20. The family owns the house here
21. ____-American; Esperanza's nationality
24. Angel ____; tried to fly and dropped from the sky

House on Mango Street

ESPERANZA	MAGDALENA	VARGAS	LUCY	SISTERS
MANGO	EDNA	TREES	MINERVA	NENNY
ROSA	MARIN	FREE SPACE	DARIUS	NACHO
LOOMIS	MAMACITA	LUPE	BIKE	GERALDO
BUICK	EARL	MEME	ALICIA	CORDERO

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MUSIC	DAVEY	SALLY	SIRE	RUTHIE
BOBO	MEXICAN	MONKEY	HEELS	ELENITA
HORSE	LOIS	FREE SPACE	CATHY	GIL
PUERTO	RACHEL	PAULINA	RAFAELA	CANTEEN
GRANDMOTHER	BABY	BENNY	KEELER	CORDERO