LET THE WILD RUMPUS START!

Where the Wild Things Are Activity Booklet
Dear Friend:

In the forty-six years since Max first cried out these famous words, Maurice Sendak’s classic picture book *Where the Wild Things Are* has become one of the most highly acclaimed and best-loved children’s books of all time.

In celebration of the ongoing wild rumpus we have all enjoyed since Max’s imagination first captivated us, HarperCollins is pleased to offer the *Where the Wild Things Are* Wild Rumpus Event Kit. Help us send another generation of children on a journey to where the Wild Things are with the following kit components:

- "Let the Wild Rumpus Start!" poster
- Party crowns for giveaway
- Reproducible name tags
- *Where the Wild Things Are* movie bookmarks
- Reproducible activity suggestion booklet

Host your own Wild Rumpus!

- Create a party atmosphere by decorating with streamers, balloons, and more!
- Play music and share treats with your guests.
- Have guests wear crowns.
- Read aloud from *Where the Wild Things Are*. Go around in a circle and have everyone share their favorite part.

We hope this kit will provide everything you’ll need to start your own Wild Rumpus. Enjoy!

Sincerely,
The Marketing Department
HarperCollinsChildren’sBooks
SAIL INTO THE NIGHT MAZE

Can you help Max find his way to where the Wild Things are? Join Max on the tumbling ocean and mark his path in the maze below.

Begin Your Adventure!…

Let the Wild Rumpus Start!

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WHAT KIND OF WILD THING WOULD YOU BE?

Imagine you lived with Max in the forest among the Wild Things.
Draw a picture to show what kind of Wild Thing you would be.
CAN YOU FIND MAX?

Max is hiding in FIVE different places in the picture below.
Try to find all of the images of Max and circle each one.
WHAT’S DIFFERENT?

1. Look carefully at the pictures below and circle the one that is different in each row.
2. For even more fun, find the THREE things that are different on the picture you chose.

Answer key:
- In the top row Max in the middle is different. The three differences are a missing button, a missing whisker on his face, and a missing claw on his foot.
- In the middle row the monster on the right is different. The three differences are missing beard, missing tooth, and a missing claw on the hand.
- In the bottom row the monsters on the left are different. The three differences are a missing horn on the smaller monster, missing claws on the smaller monster’s foot, and missing teeth on the larger monster.
MATCH THE PICTURE WITH THE WORD

Draw a line to connect each picture on the right with the matching word on the left.

- DOG
- TREE
- BED
- BOAT
- CROWN
- MOON