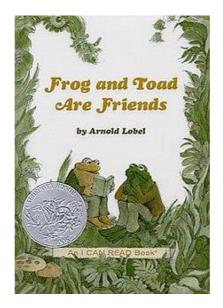
Story Time: EYFS



Frog and Toad are Friends (The Letter) by Arnold Lobel



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Book Summary

While visiting Toad's house, Frog notices Toad looking sad. Toad explains that he is waiting for the mail because he never gets any. Feeling sad for his friend, Frog goes home and writes a letter to him, and asks a snail to deliver the letter to Toad's house. Returning to Toad's house, Frog tries to convince Toad to wait for the mail again but ends up waiting for it himself. When Toad asks why, Frog mentions the letter, which cheers up Toad enough to wait for it. It takes four days for the snail to reach Toad's house, but he eventually arrives with Toad's letter, and Toad is very happy to know it was worth the wait.

Discussion Prompts

- 1) If you were going to write a letter to Toad... what would you write in it?
- 2) Have you ever received a letter?
- 3) Have you ever written a letter? Who to?
- 4) Arnold Lobel said he was similar to both Frog and Toad. Are there any characters in stories who are a bit like YOU?