

10 WAYS TO EXPLORE THIS BOOK

There's a Bear on my Chair

by Ross Collins

- 1 **COUNT** all the words that appear in red together
- 2 **IMITATE** the sounds of a mouse and a bear
- 3 **THINK** of all the words that rhyme with bear
- 4 **LEARN** the meaning of the word endangered
- 5 **CREATE** a story about mouse in bear's house
- 6 **READ** another book about polar bears
- 7 **NAME** the mouse and the bear
- 8 **TALK** together about ways to get the bear to leave
- 9 **HELP** your child retell the story using the illustrations
- 10 **MAKE** a small chair for mouse using things from around your house



FIVE WAYS TO DISCOVER ANY BOOK WITH A CHILD

1

Talk about what the book makes you both think or feel.

2

Sing a song that is related to a character or something in the book.

3

Act out parts of the story.

4

Draw a picture of something that happened in the book.

5

Retell the story using the illustrations.

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