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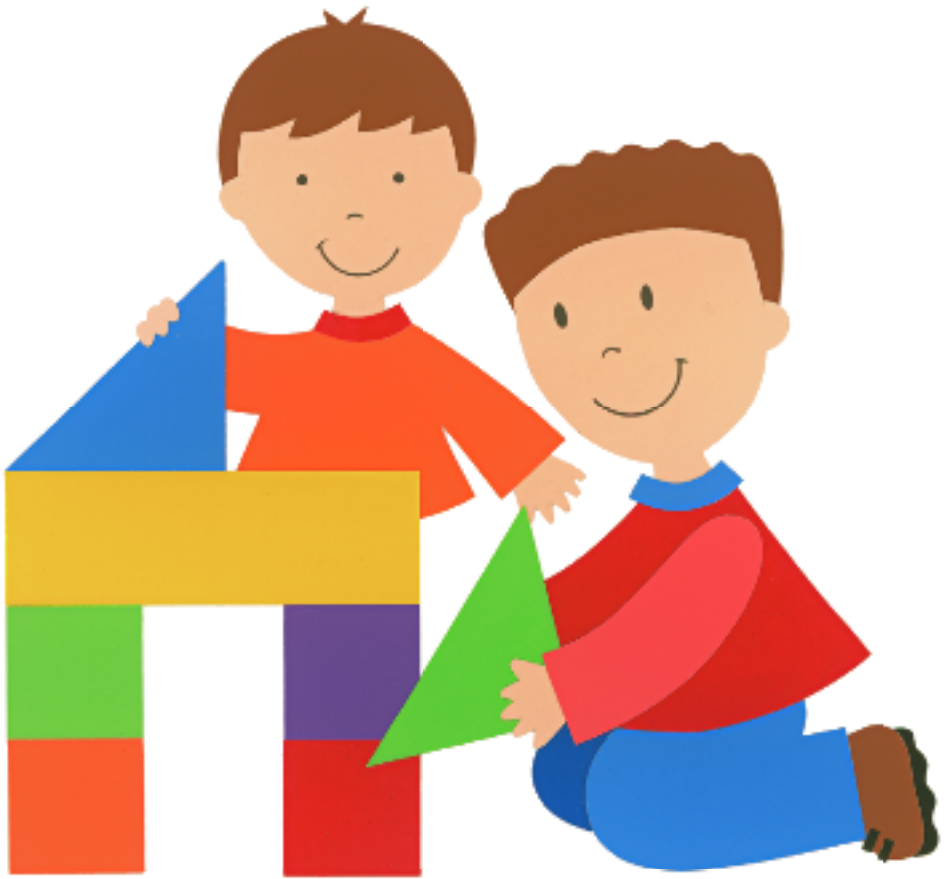
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🔊 Ned can build a house  
with me.



🔊 Ned can bake a cake  
with me.



🔊 Ned can paint a picture with me.



🔊 Ned can read a book  
with me.

One! Two!  
Three!

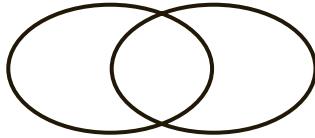


▶ Ned can play a game  
with me!

# Responding

  **TARGET SKILL** **Compare and**

**Contrast** This story is about two brothers. How are they alike or not? Make a diagram.



  **Write About It**

**Text to Self** Draw two pictures. Show a friend or family member in one picture and you in the other. Write a sentence telling how you are alike or not.





## WORDS TO KNOW

me

with



## TARGET SKILL

### Compare and

**Contrast** Tell how two things are alike or not.



## TARGET STRATEGY

### Monitor/Clarify

Find ways to figure out what doesn't make sense.

**GENRE** Realistic Fiction is a story that could happen in real life.

**Level:** B

**DRA:** 2

**Genre:**

Realistic Fiction

**Strategy:**

Monitor/Clarify

**Skill:**

Compare and Contrast

**Word Count:** 38

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