

Reading into Success Story Guides

Social Emotional Learning

Before Reading:

- Read the title aloud, along with the author and illustrator. Ask for a prediction on what the book will be about, after showing the cover.
- Do a picture walk by flipping through the pages looking at the illustrations. Let the child make observations. You do not have to read text, unless you want to draw attention to any special features.
- What do you do when a game you are playing becomes hard to play (or does not go, as you would like)?

During Reading:

- What is Amani determined to do? Why is she determined?
- How does the moon help Amani?

After Reading:

- What became hard for Amani in the book? (*hide and seek game or finding last friend*)
- How did Amani show determination?

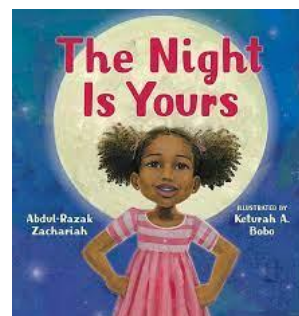
Putting into Practice:

- What can we do when something is not easy or starts to become hard for us?
- Why is it important to have patience? How is patience useful?
- How does playing games help us in our daily lives?

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A storybook guide for **The Night is Yours** written by Abdul-Razak Zachariah and illustrated by Keturah A. Bobo.

SEL Competencies

Self-Awareness, Self-Management, Relationship Skills

Themes

Friends, Summer, Playing at Night, Problem Solving, Determination

Book

Description

Amani enjoys playing in the night, under a full moon with her neighborhood friends.