Lesson 2

Words to Know

- Read each Context Card.
- Choose two blue words. Use them in sentences.

1. He walked across the street with his friends.

2. Children look at water from the fire hose.

Words to Know

- he
- look
- have
- for
- too
- what

Vocabulary Reader

Context Cards
3. have
   Firefighters have fast trucks to get to a fire.

4. for
   The girl went to the doctor for a visit.

5. too
   They took hats and the sunblock, too.

6. what
   What do people do to help you feel safe?
Word to Know: Storm Clouds

1. Look at the sky!
2. What does the boy see?
3. Dark clouds have moved closer.
4. There is thunder, too.
5. The boy heads for home.
6. He wants to stay dry!

How do you know a storm is coming? What do you see and hear in a storm?
Comprehension

**TARGET SKILL** Understanding Characters

**Characters** are the people and animals in a story. When you read, think about what the characters say and do. Good readers use these clues to figure out how characters feel and why they do the things they do.

Read **The Storm**. Use the words and pictures to figure out what Pop says and does to help Tim.

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Meet the Author and Illustrator

Raúl Colón

As a little boy in Puerto Rico, Raúl Colón was often very sick. He spent a lot of time inside, drawing. He even made his own comic books. Today Mr. Colón lives in New York and works as an artist and a writer.

WORDS TO KNOW

he for look too have what

TARGET SKILL

Understanding Characters Tell more about the characters.

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TARGET STRATEGY

Infer/Predict Use clues to figure out more about story parts.

GENRE

Realistic fiction is a made-up story that could happen in real life.
The Storm
written and illustrated by Raúl Colón

Essential Question
What clues tell you how a character feels?
Pop has come in.
Look! He is wet.
Tim and Rip ran to him.
Tim, Rip, and Pop have fun.
Tim had to go to bed.
What did Tim and Rip see?
Tim hid in his bed!
Rip hid, too!
Look what Pop had for Tim. Tim had a sip.
Pop had a hug for Tim.
He had a hug for Rip, too.
Pop sat with Tim and Rip.
Grammar

Nouns Some words name places. Some words name things. Words that name places and things are called **nouns**.

**Nouns for Places**
- house
- sky
- road
- pond
- garden

**Nouns for Things**
- book
- bed
- chair
- door
- rug
Talk about each picture with a partner. Name the nouns you see. Then write a noun from the box to name each picture. Use another sheet of paper.

milk   coat   room   city   clock

1. 
2. 
3. 
4. 
5. 

Grammar in Writing
Share your writing. Talk about the nouns you used.