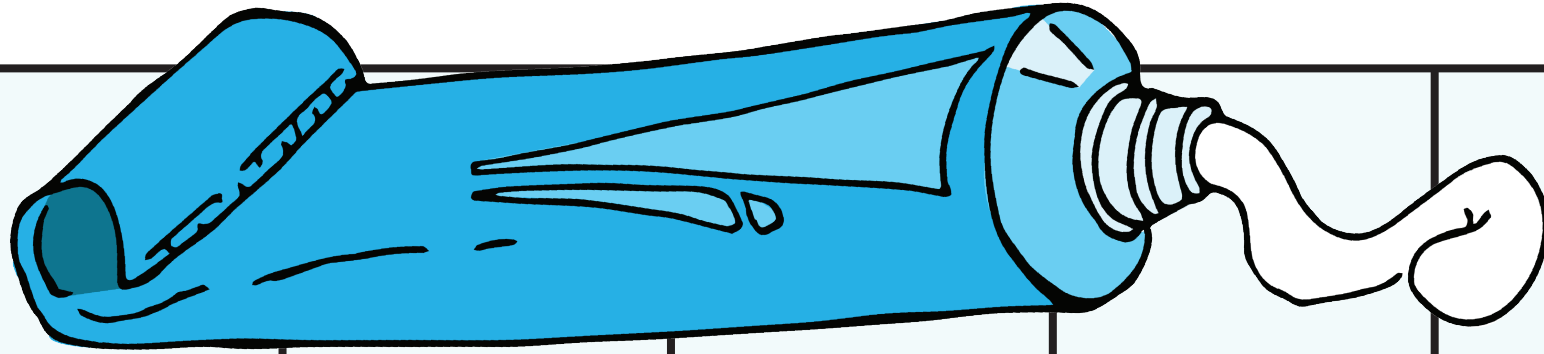
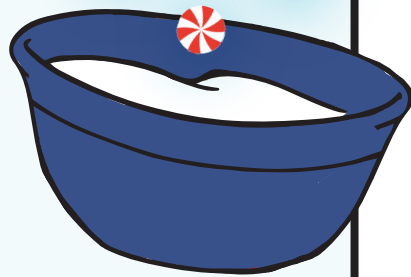


# March

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# Daily Activities

## Day 1, March 6: Chapter One

1. Design a floorplan of your home. If you could add a room to your home, what would it be? Draw a picture of it.
2. Make a list of things you could do to welcome a new neighbor or a new student in your class.

## Day 2, March 9: Chapters Two & Three

1. Draw a map from school to your favorite store.
2. With a parent, use your map to get to your destinations on your map to be sure it works. Make any corrections that will help make the directions clearer.
3. Make a chart showing the differences and the similarities between toothpaste and paste for paper.
4. Make a list of reasons to brush your teeth.

## Day 3, March 10: Chapters Four, Five, & Six

1. Design a label for Rufus' toothpaste.
2. Discuss your favorite flavor or flavors of Rufus' toothpaste. Would you use it to brush your teeth?
3. Make a list of your friends and family and write a compliment you could give to each of them.
4. Draw a picture of your favorite class and a picture of your least favorite class.

## Day 4, March 11: Chapter Seven

1. Where does your family's last name come from? If you could create your name, what name would you make?
2. Draw a picture of an ad that has exaggerations and a picture of an ad that just tells the truth. Which ad do you like better?

## Day 5, March 12: Chapter Eight

1. If you had a business, draw a picture of the space where you would run your business.
2. What ideas do you have about ways Rufus might have been able to pay his workers if he had had to?

## Day 6, March 13: Chapter Nine

1. Draw a picture of your favorite breakfast.

## Day 7, March 16: Chapter Ten

1. Draw a picture of make a diorama of what the auction room might look like with all the products up for sale.
2. Write a scene about the auction and act it out.

## Day 8, March 17: Chapters Eleven & Twelve

1. Think of another way to fill the tubes, other than using a spoon, that's neater and easier and without wasting toothpaste?
2. Draw a picture of your version of a machine to fill toothpaste tubes.

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## Day 9, March 18: Chapter Thirteen

1. Draw a picture of the Toothpaste factory.

## Day 10, March 19: Chapter Fourteen

1. Make a list of other ideas for other ways Rufus and Kate could raise the money needed for the Toothpaste business.

## Day 11, March 20: Chapters Fifteen & Sixteen

1. Hector believes Rufus is a genius. Make a list of things that make a person a genius. Make a list of geniuses.
2. Make a collage or chart that shows all the challenges Kate and Rufus have had to face in setting up their toothpaste business and how they solved each problem.
3. Make up a class discussing problems you would enjoy solving (i.e. a class about books, cars, toys, etc.)

## Day 12, March 23: Chapters Seventeen & Eighteen

1. Are there any ads on tv that you like? If you do like an ad, what is good about it? If you don't like any ads, what could make ads better?
2. Design the cover of Business Month with you as Businessperson of the Year. What would your product or service be that got you on the cover of the magazine?

## Day 13, March 24: Chapter Nineteen

1. Cast and act out the movie scene that Kate wrote.
2. Write the next scene in the movie. Outline how you think the movie should end.

## Day 15, March 25: Chapters Twenty, Twenty-One & Twenty-Two

1. Draw a picture of you going on a bike trip to another state or on a camping trip. Make a list of survival skills you might need.
2. Make a collage of what you could do with one million dollars in the bank. Would it change your life? If yes, how? If no, why not?
3. Draw a picture or write a story about what you would like to do during your summer vacation.

