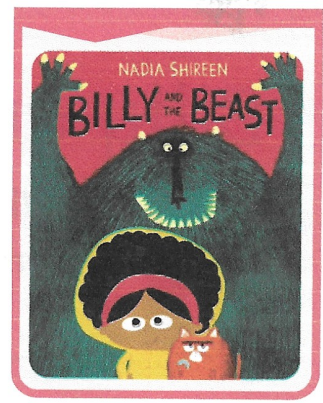


# Billy and the Beast



Billy and Fatcat were dumped on the ground with a THUD.  
And they saw ... a very big THING.

“Who are you?” asked Billy.

“I am a TERRIBLE BEAST!” said the Terrible Beast. Billy was not impressed.

“Why have you taken us?” she asked.

“Because I am making a big pot of TERRIBLE SOUP,” said the Terrible Beast.  
“And I need all sorts of unusual ingredients.” And sure enough, then they saw...

Hedgehog...

Fox...

the mice...

and the adorable little  
bunny rabbits. None of  
them looked especially  
happy to be there.

“Right! What’s for the pot?”

hooted the Beast.

“Ooh, yum . . . grated hedgehog!” Well. Billy couldn’t just stand by and let  
the Terrible Beast eat everyone up. She had to think fast.



# Billy and the Beast Quick Questions



1. What word tells you that the Terrible Beast's soup is made from strange ingredients?

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2. Number the boxes 1-3 to show the order that they happen in.

Billy sees Hedgehog and Fox.

The Terrible Beast says, "Ooh, yum..."

Billy and Fatcat are dumped on the ground.



3. Why has the Terrible Beast taken Billy and Fatcat?

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4. What do you think that Billy will do next?

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