

Kindergarten and Grade 1

Who is the main character in the story?

Where does the story take place?

Who is telling the story?

What story does Emaye tell Alemitu when they are walking to the watering hole?

Why is water important to Emaye?

What does it mean when the fierce lion roars in Alemitu's belly?

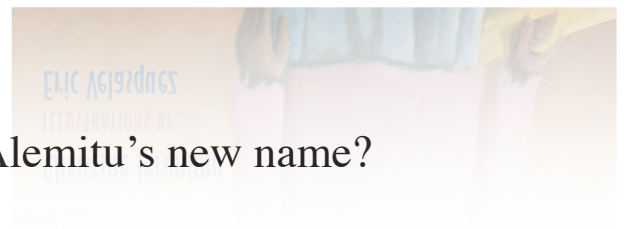
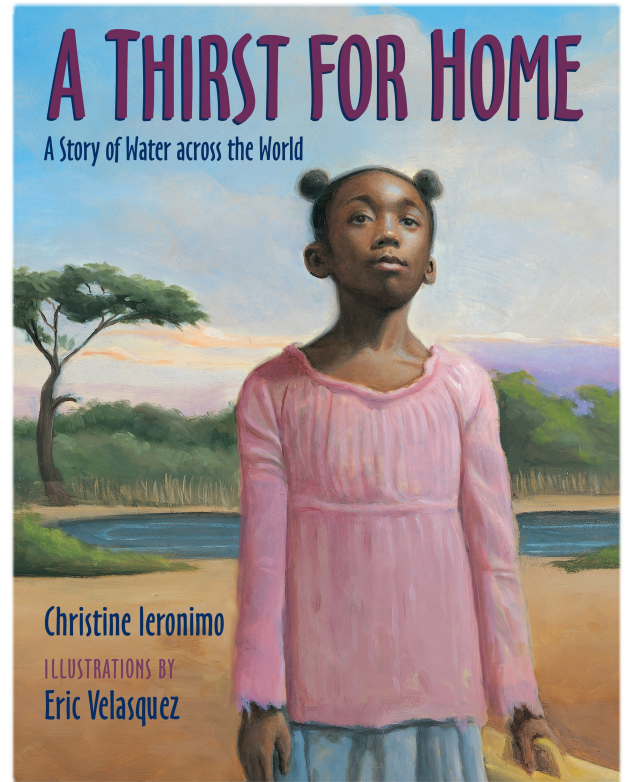
Why does Emaye leave Alemitu with the nannies?

In her new home in America, what is Alemitu's new name?

Why does Eva want to show Emaye the water from the faucet?

Why does Eva eat the crust of her sandwich?

What colors are the butterfly?



What does Eva see in the puddle and why does this make her happy?

How does water connect everyone in the world?

PROMPT:

Imagine you were to look down into a big sparkling puddle, describe what you would see?

Teachers, children can illustrate what they see in their puddle.

DISCUSSION:

Compare the illustrations of Eva's home in Ethiopia to her home in America.