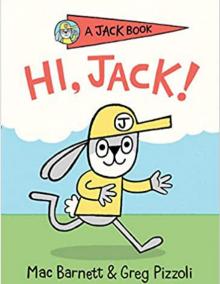
KINDERGARTEN JAN. 18-22: BOOKMAKING INVITATION

MAC BARNETT AUTHOR AND ILLUSTRATOR SPOTLIGHT

Using language in creative and playful ways helps us understand how language works. Listening and speaking builds our understanding and helps us to learn.





GATHER MATERIALS

- Paper or your pre made books
- Writing and drawing tools
- Stapler (optional) or other way to attach your book

LISTEN AND THINK

Read along with one or more of author Mac Barnett's books about his world of shapes:

- <u>Circle</u> If you close your eyes what shape do you picture?
- <u>Triangle</u>
- <u>Square</u>

CREATE & SHARE

Make your own book inspired by Mac Barnett.

• What adventures might your Circle, Triangle or Square characters take?

GO BEYOND

Read along with <u>A Jack Book: HI JACK!</u> At the end of the book learn how the illustrator drew the characters, including Jack and Rex.

- Create your own "Jack" book
- If you like this book, you can find Mac Barnett's other six adventures about Jack at your library.