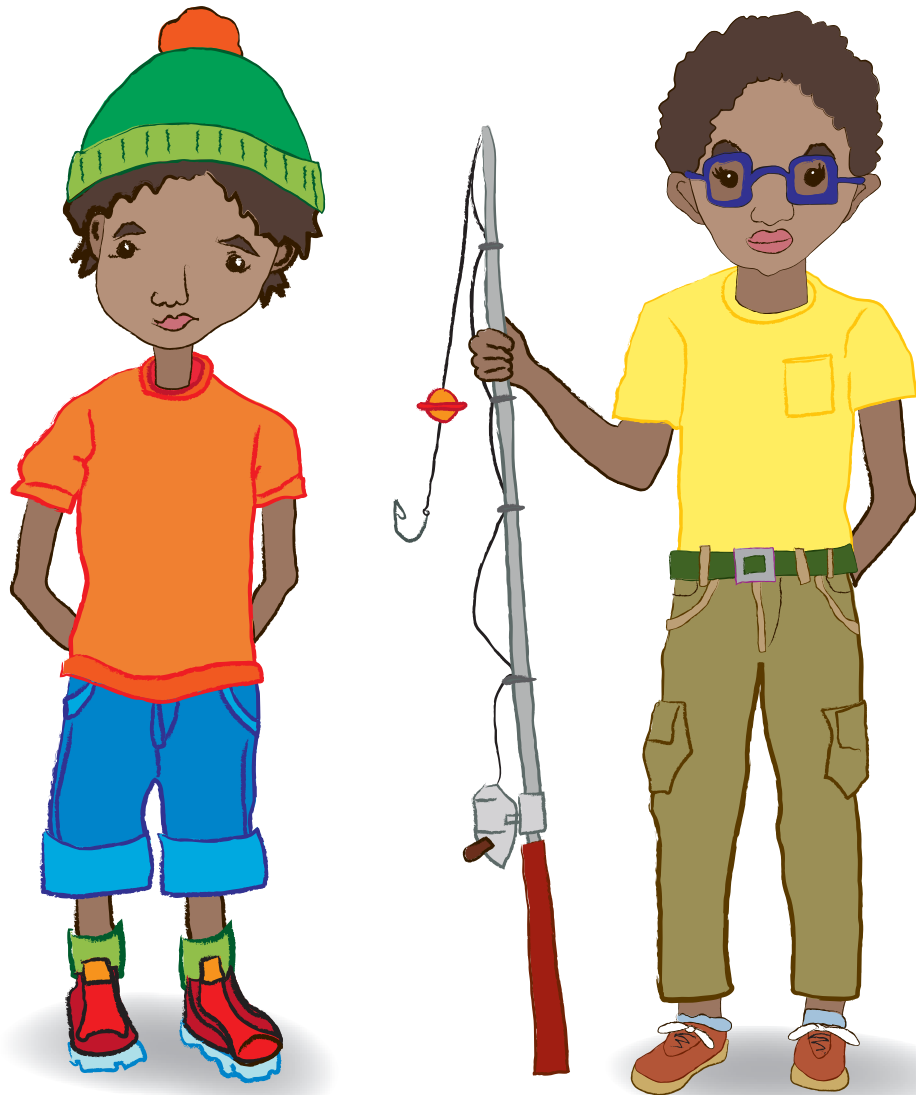


Do Fish Eat Cheese?

Cycle 3 Decodable
Student Reader



James was happy to tell Sam some news. "We can catch fish in the creek now!" says James. "Really?" says Sam.

"Yes. Before, we could only feed the fish in our park. Now we can use a fishing pole to catch fish. But we have to put them back in the creek."

James and Sam walk to the park. There is a big pond and some creeks and streams.

"I have never been to that stream," says James. James and Sam go to the stream.

"What do fish eat?" asks Sam.
"I think they will eat cheese.
I will put it on our line," says
James. *Do you think they will
eat cheese? What do you think
fish eat?*



Sam and James stand under a tree next to the stream. The green leaves give them shade from the heat.

Sam has never been fishing before. James teaches him. James casts his fishing line. He does not catch a fish. Sam does not catch a fish.

"Maybe they are asleep?" asks Sam. "Or maybe they are down really deep? So they can not see our cheese?"

"It is not easy to catch fish!"
says Sam. "Yes, but it is still
really fun to try!" says James.
"We will try again this
weekend," says James as
they leave for home.

Sunnyside City Park is New and Improved!

By Sasha Scribbles

Sunnyside City Park is new and improved! Mayor Mack and volunteers of the Sunnyside neighborhood have been hard at work, cleaning up the park and making it more fun and useful for the residents of Sunnyside.

The most recent work has been done on Eagle Pond and the surrounding creeks and streams. Volunteers have worked to clean up the area. Trash has been removed from the grounds and stepping stones have been added to the paths leading to the pond. New trashcans and recycling bins have been added throughout the park.

The pond has been stocked full of fish, mostly catfish. Park visitors may bring their own fishing pole and bait and catch up to 5 fish in a day. Fish must be released back into the pond or stream.

Plans for future improvements include new playground equipment and new picnic benches.

