

THE LITTLE BUTTERFLY THAT COULD

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**KEEP TRYING
DON'T GIVE UP!**

What happened to the butterfly in the beginning of the story?

Why did the butterfly want to live in the whale's belly?

Other Butterflies

Impatient Butterfly

How did the whale help the butterfly? Explain.

What does it mean to migrate? Why do butterflies migrate?

He finds his way.
I did it!

The butterfly asks the whale if he has seen a group of migrating butterflies.

What happened in the end? Did the butterfly make it?

Have you ever thought you couldn't do something but...

The other butterflies eat up before he is dormant in winter.

Whale tells the butterfly they flew 200 miles away. Butterfly says he will never make it.

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Name _____

<p>Whale tells the butterfly they flew 200 miles away. Butterfly says he will never make it.</p>	<p>He finds his way. I did it!</p>
<p>Butterfly decides to go live inside of whale.</p>	<p>The butterfly says life was so much easier as a caterpillar and chrysalis.</p>
<p>Butterfly convinces himself he can do it.</p>	<p>The butterfly asks the whale if he has seen a group of migrating butterflies.</p>
<p>Butterfly is worried he will get lost, caught in a storm or eaten.</p>	<p>Whale tells him... "You have to keep trying! Believe you can".</p>
<p>The other butterflies tell him to eat up before he is dormant in winter.</p>	<p>Whale tells butterfly that...</p>

Find the Butterflies!

ROLL 2 DICE. FIND THE SUM. MOVE TO THAT NUMBER. IF YOUR NUMBER ISN'T THERE, YOU LOSE YOUR TURN. FIRST PLAYER TO THE FINISH WINS.

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butterflies



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How
long is
winter?



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Whale



Whale tells butterfly
that everyone gets
scared sometimes.



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Flowers

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THAT **COULD**

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Have you ever
thought you
couldn't do
something but
then did? Explain.

GIVE UP!

VOCABULARY

EMERGED

MIGRATING

IMPATIENT

DORMANT

Name _____

THE LITTLE BUTTERFLY THAT COULD

ALPHABETIZING

abcdefghijklmnopqrstuvwxyz

impatient butterflies miles be
whale dormant winter
migrating trying scared

1 _____ 6 _____
2 _____ 7 _____
3 _____ 8 _____
4 _____ 9 _____
5 _____ 10 _____

Name _____

Word Search

impatient migrating butterflies
scared miles trying flowers
believe whole dormant winter

b	b	q	i	m	y	n	p	q	h	e	y	h	i	d
u	u	w	m	r	b	i	w	f	m	h	r	k	a	
t	f	e	p	g	w	r	y	r	w	i	n	t	e	r
f	f	a	r	a	b	e	g	r	u	j	i	d	r	h
e	e	f	f	a	e	s	e	m	r	e	h	y	t	
r	r	y	i	t	c	y	w	b	s	m	i	b	n	
f	f	u	e	i	q	j	w	r	e	w	n	t	i	
l	l	i	n	n	f	w	h	d	j	r	s	g	e	j
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e	e	e	p	d	n	h	f	l	o	w	e	r	s	r
s	b	e	l	i	e	v	e	d	w	h	f	h	q	n

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Syllables

impatient	1	2	3	4	5
migrating	1	2	3	4	5
butterflies	1	2	3	4	5
scared	1	2	3	4	5
miles	1	2	3	4	5
trying	1	2	3	4	5
flowers	1	2	3	4	5
believe	1	2	3	4	5
whole	1	2	3	4	5
dormant	1	2	3	4	5
winter	1	2	3	4	5
could	1	2	3	4	5

PUNCTUATION

What if I get lost again . ? !
They went that way . ? !
Only 200 more miles . ? !
Can I take a plane . ? !
When I emerged, I was lost and alone . ? !
What if a snake tries to eat me . ? !
We all get scared . ? !
Don't give up . ? !
Nothing can stop me . ? !
Believe you can . ? !
I did it . ? !

Name _____

Making Words

believe in you

Name _____

THINGS I CAN DO

THINGS I CAN DO

Name _____

MY OPINION OF THE BUTTERFLY

Story Mapping Opinion

I agree/disagree	I love	My favorite	I would rather	I like
In my opinion	I feel	I like/don't like	If I had	I believe

Middle Details

First	Second	Third	Last
Next	Also	Another reason	Finally

Closing or Conclusion

That's why | As you can see | In conclusion | To summarize | All!

Name _____

MY OPINION OF THE BUTTERFLY

Name _____

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Name _____

RETELLING STORY

First Next

Then After that

Next Finally

Name _____

RETELLING

Name _____

RETELLING

Name _____

Find the Butterflies!

Roll 2 dice. Find the sum. Move to that number. If your number isn't there, you lose your turn. First player to tie finish wins.

Name _____

BUTTERFLY BINGO

Spin the spinner. Add 10 to the number you rolled. Cover the answer on your board. If it is already covered, you lose your turn.

13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	11	12
14	15	16	17	18
18	19	13	20	11
12	15	13	18	19

Name _____

Tens & Ones

Spin the spinner. Cover a number that is underlined with the same place value. If there are no numbers left, you lose your turn. The first player to cover all the numbers wins.

25	31	54	39	2
73	96	43	30	7
88	25	58	58	4
55	42	27	79	8

BUTTERFLY CRAZ

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BUTTERFLY CRAZ