

**Thinksheet** 

Rising 1st Grade

The Squirrels Who Squabbled By Rachel Bright

## **Home Activities and Virtual Links**

## **The Squirrels Who Squabbled - Read Aloud**

Greedy squirrels Cyril and Bruce both have their sights on a very special prize: THE VERY LAST NUT OF THE SEASON! As the nut bounces crazily through the forest, the squirrels race after it, between the trees, over boulders, down the river and - ARGH! - right to the edge of a waterfall! Working together might be the only way to save themselves now!

Learn about the author and her other published books: Rachel Bright

**Squirrel Activities & Fun Ideas for Kids - ChildFun** 

Does your student want to learn more about squirrels and how they live in their habitats?

- Squirrel University: Discover the True Answer: Do Squirrels Eat Acorns?
- National Geographic Kids Video: Eastern Gray Squirrel
- Eastern Gray Squirrel Facts for Kids
- America's National Parks Video: Squirrels Surviving in the Wild- Who are Their Predators?
- Squirrels: Diet, Habits & Other Facts | Live Science

**Go on a Nature Walk!** Discuss the things you see in your own yard or near your home that are similar to those you see in the story, such as trees, pinecones, rocks, and animals.

**Creation Station:** While outside, collect small leaves, twigs, pebbles, and other items to make a picture of the outdoors. Paste these items on a piece of paper, or create a display, and write about what was created.



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