# ELephantic

#### Elephantic Lesson Plan Year 1 - 2

NZ Curriculum Dance Level 1 - Improvise and explore movement ideas in response to a variety of stimuli.

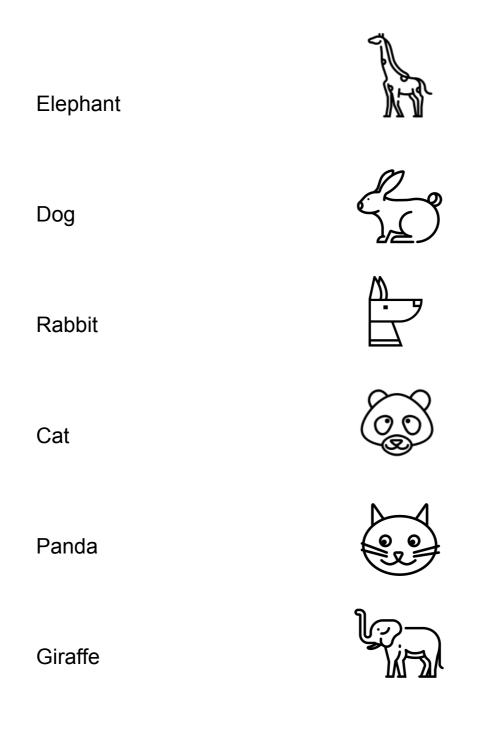
- 1. Watch Elephantic
- 2. Class discussion
  - How was Isaac different from the other kids in his class?
  - What animal did Isaac's ears remind you of?
  - What are some emotions that Isaac felt?
  - How could you tell how he was feeling?
- 3. Follow up activity ideas
  - Movement activity: How can you show different feelings with your body and facial expressions without using sounds or words? Go through different emotions, getting students to use movement and facial expressions to portray emotions.
    E.g Show me what sad looks like? How can you move your body to show you are happy?
  - Elephantic word find
  - Elephantic picture match
  - Elephantic colouring pages



Word & Picture Match (Years 1 - 2)

#### **Animal Ears**

In *Elephantic* Isaac is born with big ears that are compared to an elephant. Think about the ears of other animals: their shape; size; colour; texture and then match the names of animals to the corresponding pictures below.



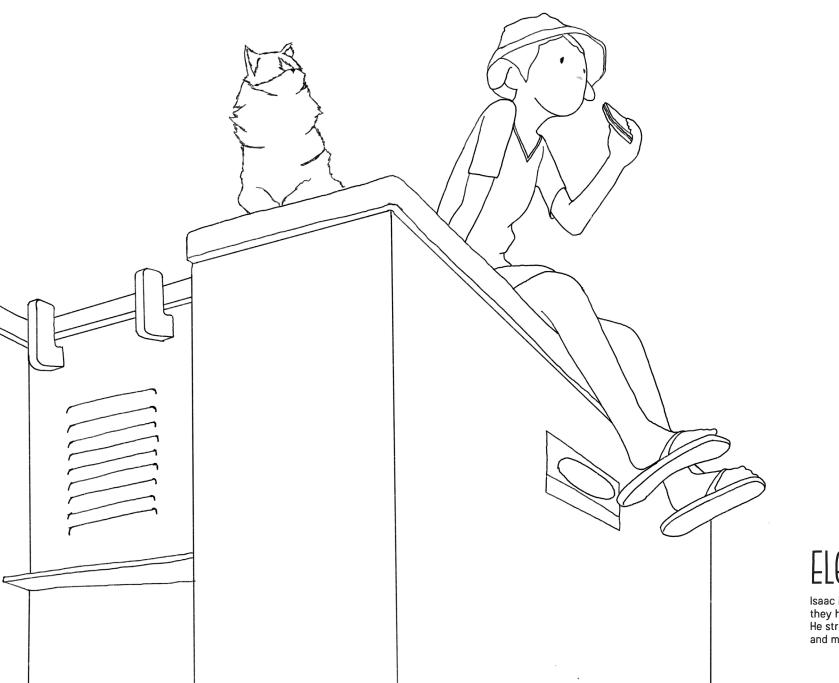
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### **Elephantic - Animal Ears**

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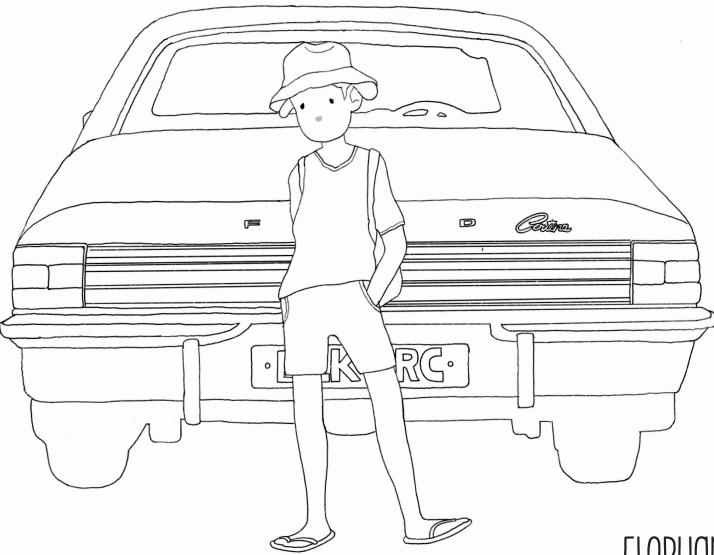
Find the following words in the puzzle. Words are hidden  $\rightarrow$  and  $\checkmark$  .

| CAT      | GIRAFFE | RABBIT |
|----------|---------|--------|
| DOG      | MONKEY  | RAT    |
| ELEPHANT | PANDA   |        |



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