

Tuesday May 4th, 2026  
Reading Comprehension  
Activity #3

Book: David and The Great Detective  
Pages: 22–28

### Part 1: Vocabulary

Write the meaning of these words from the story.

1. detective: \_\_\_\_\_
2. crime: \_\_\_\_\_
3. rushes: \_\_\_\_\_
4. entrance: \_\_\_\_\_
5. pathetic: \_\_\_\_\_
6. disaster: \_\_\_\_\_

### Part 2: Multiple Choice

Choose the correct answer.

1. What is David imagining in his notebook?  
a) A football game  
b) A detective story in New York  
c) A school trip
2. Why does Mr. Johnson get angry with David?  
a) He is late to class  
b) He talks too much in class  
c) He is in the wrong classroom and distracted
3. What nickname do Jack and his friends call David?  
a) The Detective  
b) Dave the Dreamer  
c) King of Crime
4. Who helps defend David from Jack?  
a) Mr. Johnson  
b) Mickey Malone

c) Zadie and Holly

5. What punishment does David get after class?

- a) Cleaning the classroom
- b) Writing “I must not talk in class” 100 times
- c) Staying in the library

### Part 3: True or False

Write T or F.

1. \_\_\_\_\_ David enters the correct classroom immediately.
2. \_\_\_\_\_ David likes maths class.
3. \_\_\_\_\_ Other students laugh at David.
4. \_\_\_\_\_ David writes lines as punishment.
5. \_\_\_\_\_ David stops imagining detective stories.

### Part 4: Short Answer Questions

Answer in complete sentences.

1. Why do you think David daydreams so much?
2. How do David’s daydreams affect his school life?
3. How does David probably feel when his classmates laugh at him?
4. Do you think Jack is a good friend? Why or why not?

### Part 5: Writing

Imagine you are David. Write 5–7 sentences in your diary about your bad day at school.

Start like this:

Today was a terrible day at school because...