

Name _____

Helping Words Fill-Ins Answer Key

1. Can you please
2. Could you help me
3. Would you mind

Teacher's Guide:

- **Differentiation Tips:** Provide a word bank of polite request phrases for students who need extra support. Challenge advanced learners to come up with three new polite phrases not used in the story.
- **Engagement Strategies:** Act out the story with props such as markers or glue sticks to model tone and politeness. Encourage students to take turns asking for help using kind words.
- **Extension Ideas:** Have students write or draw their own short story about asking for help at home, school, or on the playground. Discuss how polite words make others more willing to help.