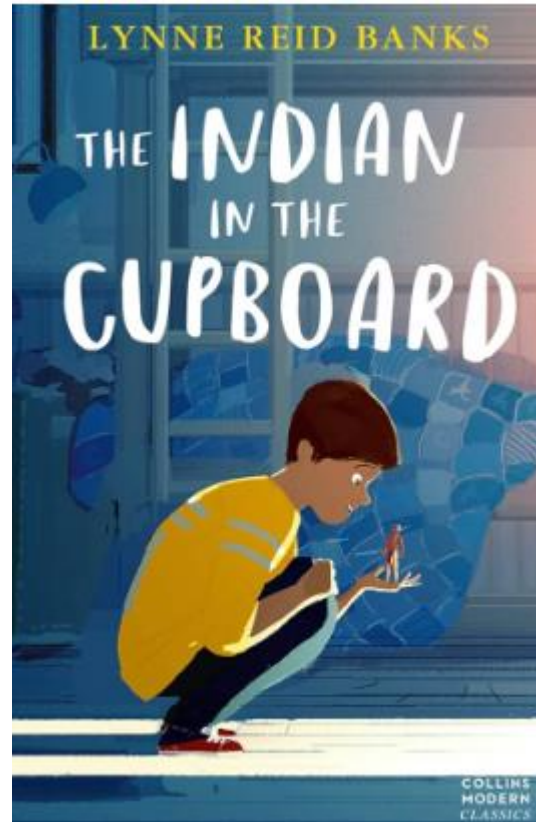


Overview

This story will allow children to embark on an adventure as they follow the story of Omri and his birthday present – a little plastic Indian figurine. Omri was disappointed with his present at first, so he put the toy inside a cupboard and locked the door, but something unexplainable happened. Omri's life was about to change...

This book has a lot of noteworthy qualities. The children will enjoy this book because of the complexity of the characters and the exciting plot. The book also portrays valuable character lessons about integrity, bravery, and friendship.



Punctuation opportunities;

We will be focusing on correctly using;

- Commas to separate clauses
- Inverted commas for direct speech
- Apostrophes to indicate possession for singular and regular plural nouns

Some vocabulary we will see in the text;

petrified, coherent, intricate, falteringly, ravenously, crestfallen, ventured, seething, brandishing, reckless, reluctant, foreboding, bewildered

Some of our writing opportunities this term;

- Letter
- Recount
- Diary written in character
- Narrative

Characters

Omri is the novel's nine-year-old hero. He is smart, resourceful, and empathic, he takes good care of the living figurines.

Patrick is Omri's close friend and classmate. He uses Omri's cupboard to bring his toy cowboy (Boone).

Little Bear is Omri's toy Indian who comes to life. He is a member of the Iroquois tribe, a chief's son, and a fierce warrior.

