



Mr. Grizley's Class ★

Mordecai's



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CHAPTER 1

First Day

Mordecai set his backpack down on his assigned desk.

“You must be the new kid,” a student said. “My name is Shaw.”

Mordecai smiled.

“I’m Mordecai,” he said.

“Wow!” Zoe said. “Your backpack looks really heavy.”

Mordecai patted the backpack.

“I brought a few things I might need,” he said. “Just in case.”





Mr. Grizley stood up from his desk.

“Class, we have a busy morning,” he said. “But first, let’s welcome our new student, Mordecai.”



“Hello, Mordecai!” the class
cheered.

Mordecai waved.

“I’d let you tell us more about yourself,” Mr. Grizley said. “But we need to get to a special assembly. As you leave the room, take a look at these.”

Mr. Grizley pointed to posters hanging on the walls around the room.





“I’d like you to make one of these, Mordecai,” Mr. Grizley said. “They’re called talent posters. Every student makes one. You draw yourself in the middle and then write or draw your talents around the edges.”



“What if I only have one talent?” Mordecai asked.

Mr. Grizley smiled.

“Sometimes that one talent makes all the difference,” he said.