



# Mimi Can't Camouflage



A STORY ABOUT AVOIDING BIAS

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# Meet Mimi



HOBBIES: dancing, monkey bars at the playground, hanging out with friends

FAVORITE BOOKS: *Giraffes Can't Dance*

FAVORITE FOOD: oysters and shrimp

FUTURE GOALS: to become a teacher

## GOALS FOR THIS YEAR

- PERFECT CAMOUFLAGE
- SPEAK UP MORE
- BECOME BRAVE

"Ready or not, here I come!" Mimi yelled. In the flick of a tentacle, Barbara disappeared.



Mimi searched around the schoolyard. She checked behind the swings and under the seesaw, but no luck.





WOOSH! Barbara appeared! She was hiding on the slide the whole time.

"Barbara! You are the best at hide-and-seek," said Mimi.

"Thanks," said Barbara. "Your turn to hide, Mimi."





"Ready or not, here I come!" yelled Barbara.



"That was a world record, two seconds!" Barbara shouted.

Mimi always tried her best to hide, but her friends always found her right away.

In Mimi's kindergarten class, all the other octopi could change themselves to look like things you might find on the ocean floor.





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Check  
this out!