

NOISY NIGHT

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Host a Storytime!

Make storytime party time with NOISY NIGHT!

Looking for a read-aloud complete with colorful illustrations, clever sound effects, and pages that will keep kids guessing? *Noisy Night* by *New York Times*-bestselling author Mac Barnett and gifted illustrator Brian Biggs is the perfect choice for storytime events.

Below are some suggestions for how to make this event special . . . and noisy!

Make some noise

Let your customers know that the event is coming! Included in this kit is reproducible promotional signage. Just fill in the time and date of the event, and display the signs around your store.

Get set up

Encourage kids to come to the event dressed in their pajamas. Make the reading area comfy (try arranging pillows or bean bags for kids to sit on). But don't worry about anyone actually falling asleep . . . this book is too noisy!

Provide snacks that kids can munch on noisily. Try chips for crunching and juice boxes for slurping!

Pro tip:

Ask other local businesses to hang up flyers, too!



Fun and Games

While you're reading, encourage kids to guess who (or what!) is making so much noise on each page. After you've finished reading, ask the kids questions about the book: which noisy neighbor did they like the best, which one was the funniest or most surprising? Ask for volunteers to make their own noises and have the other children guess who they are.

This kit is full of fun things to do after storytime! Included are reproducible activities, an oversized poster for group coloring, and free lift-the-tab memory games for each child to take home.



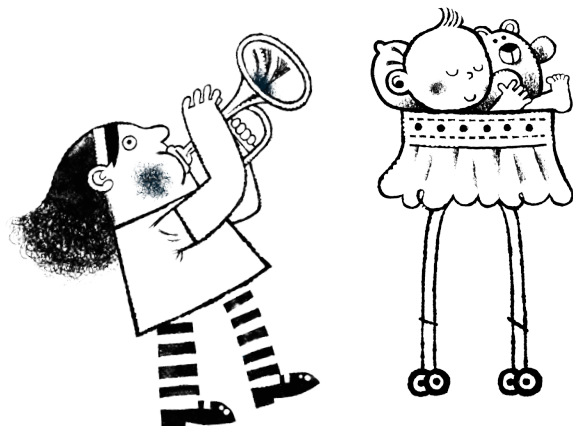
The page is decorated with numerous blue, five-pointed stars scattered across the white background, primarily forming a border around the central text.

Make Some Noise!

**There are so many things that make noise at night.
Draw a picture of something noisy you hear at night!**

Color That Noise!

What is going on in this apartment building?
Color in all of the noisy people!



What Is That?!

Who is making all that noise? Match the noise on the left with the person or animal on the right!

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GAW
GAW
GAW



BAA BAA
BAA



cha cha cha



About the Book

It's a noisy night in this city building!

What could be making those baa-ing, cawing, cha-cha-cha-ing sounds? Climb floor by floor and page by page to find out whose singing, dancing, cheering, and cooing are keeping a grumpy old man awake in a multi-story apartment building deep in the city.

With innovative split-level spreads that offer the feeling of climbing a building level by level, this clever and colorful collaboration between *New York Times*-bestselling author Mac Barnett and gifted illustrator Brian Biggs offers an irresistible investigation of one noisy night. It's sure to be a bedtime favorite!



About the Author

Mac Barnett is a *New York Times*-bestselling author of more than 24 books for children, including two Caldecott-Honor-winning collaborations with Jon Klassen, *Sam & Dave Dig a Hole* and *Extra Yarn*. His picture books *Leo: A Ghost Story* and *The Skunk*, illustrated by Patrick McDonnell, were named two of the Ten Best Illustrated Books of 2015 by *The New York Times*. Mac writes the Brixton Brothers series of mystery novels and, with Jory John, the Terrible Two series. He lives in Berkeley, California.



About the Illustrator

Brian Biggs is the illustrator of approximately one bazillion children's books, three of which he also wrote. Brian creates his pictures in an old, one-story garage studio in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. He lives with his wife and teenage kids nearby in a three-story house, right next to some very noisy neighbors.