

Julius

(Grade 2 Theme 1 Selection 2 Summary)

Maya's granddaddy came to Maya's house with a big box. It was a gift for Maya. Maya hoped it was a big brother or a horse. But it was a pig. His name was Julius. 13
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At first, Maya's mom and dad did not like Julius. He was messy. He ate a lot of food and left crumbs on the sheets. He made a lot of noise. 49
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But Julius loved Maya. Julius and Maya had a lot of fun together. They liked to try on hats, swing for hours, and eat peanut butter together. Julius taught Maya how to dance. And Maya showed Julius how to be nice. 79
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Julius tried not to be messy. Maya's mom and dad like that. They started to like having Julius in their house. And that was a good thing, because Julius and Maya were best friends. 120
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