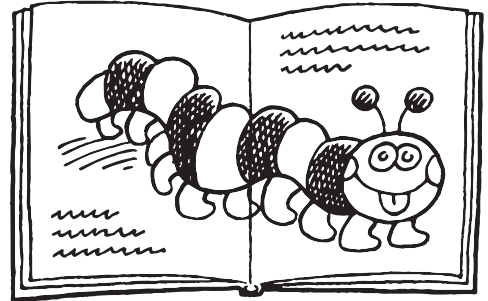


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IT TAKES TWO

A **spread** is two pages that face each other in a book. In picture books, the two pages of a spread can work together as if they are one. The art and the words can go across the center, or **gutter**.

Find a two-page spread in the book you are reading. How do the two pages work together?



1. The spread is on pages _____ and _____.

The book is titled _____.

Describe the art on the page. What does it show?

How much space does the art take up?

Describe what is drawn in the gutter (where the two pages meet)?

2. Describe the text on the page.

Are the words on both sides of the spread?

Yes No

Are words written across the gutter?

Yes No

3. Put your ideas together. How do the author and the illustrator use these two pages to tell this part of the book's story?
