

Genre

Realistic Fiction





Blackout

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The lights went out during the storm.

Everything went quiet.



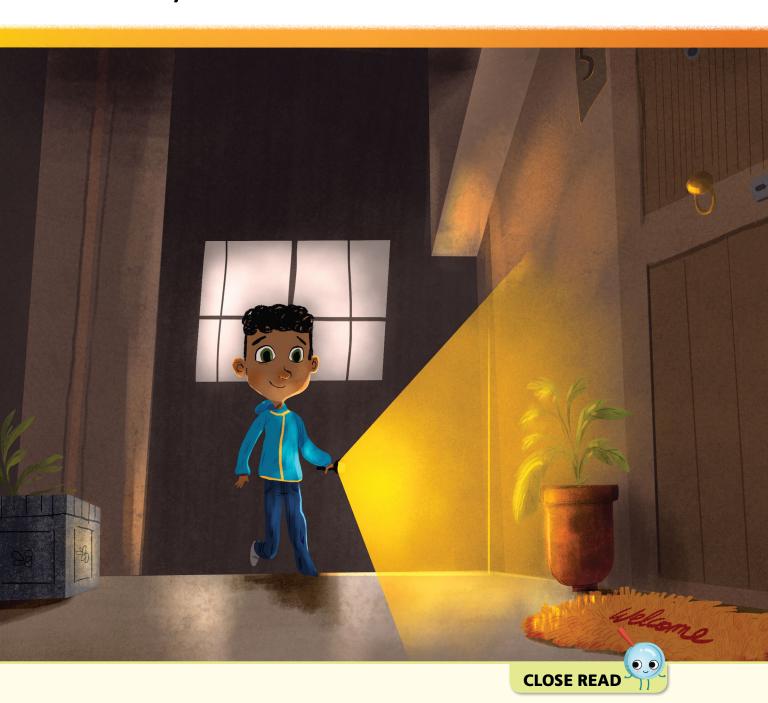
"I will check on Mr. Stevens," Mama says.



"I will check on Martha and Todd," Papa says.



"I will check on Mrs. Johnson," I say.



<u>Underline</u> the words that tell what the boy says.

I go upstairs with my flashlight.



Mrs. Johnson's radio was always on. But now it is silent.



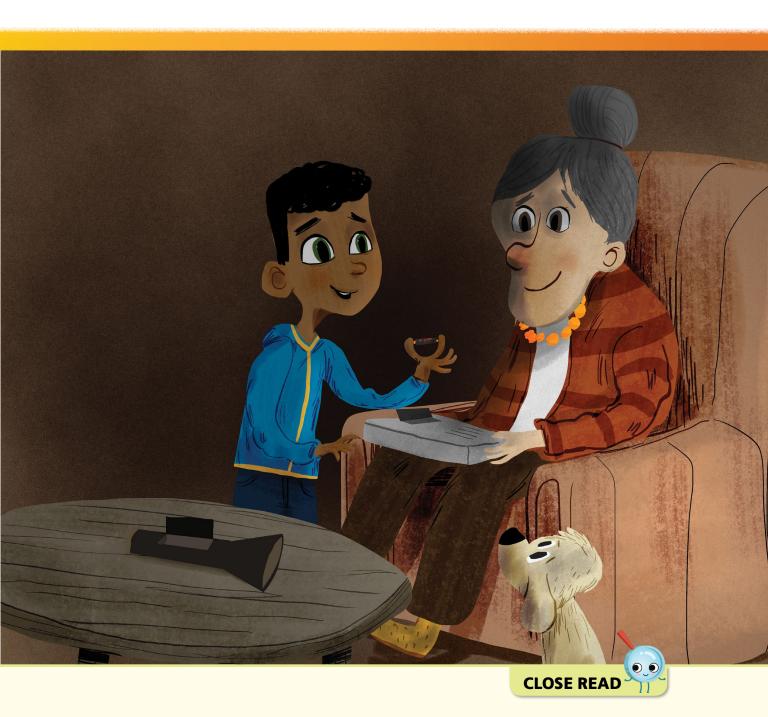
VOCABULARY IN CONTEXT

<u>Underline</u> the words that help you figure out what **silent** means.

"I need a battery,"
Mrs. Johnson mutters.



I give her my battery.



How would you describe the boy?

Highlight the details that help you.

Mrs. Johnson puts my battery in her radio.

It works!



Everyone comes.

We all listen until the lights come back on.

