# BUDDY and EARL go to school



### **Activity Guide**

Inspired by Buddy and Earl Go to School by Maureen Fergus, illustrated by Carey Sookocheff.

Buddy and Earl know that with the right education they can become anything — even a dentist or a hot-dog vendor! So they eagerly gather their silly, smelly supplies and head to school.

When their teacher, Miss Meredith, is called away, Professor Earl takes charge of the classroom. Buddy works hard at lessons like Sniffing Things and Tail Chasing. And when Professor Earl announces that one very special student is going to win a major award, Buddy cannot imagine who that lucky student might be...

In this fourth book in the critically acclaimed Buddy and Earl series, the dog who likes to play by the rules and the hedgehog who knows no limits learn just how much fun school can be.

# BUDDY and EARL go to school MAUREEN FERGUS pictures by CAREY SOOKOCHEFF

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### About the Author

Maureen Fergus is an award-winning author of books for kids of all ages. Her novels

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### About the Illustrator

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# Classroom Objects

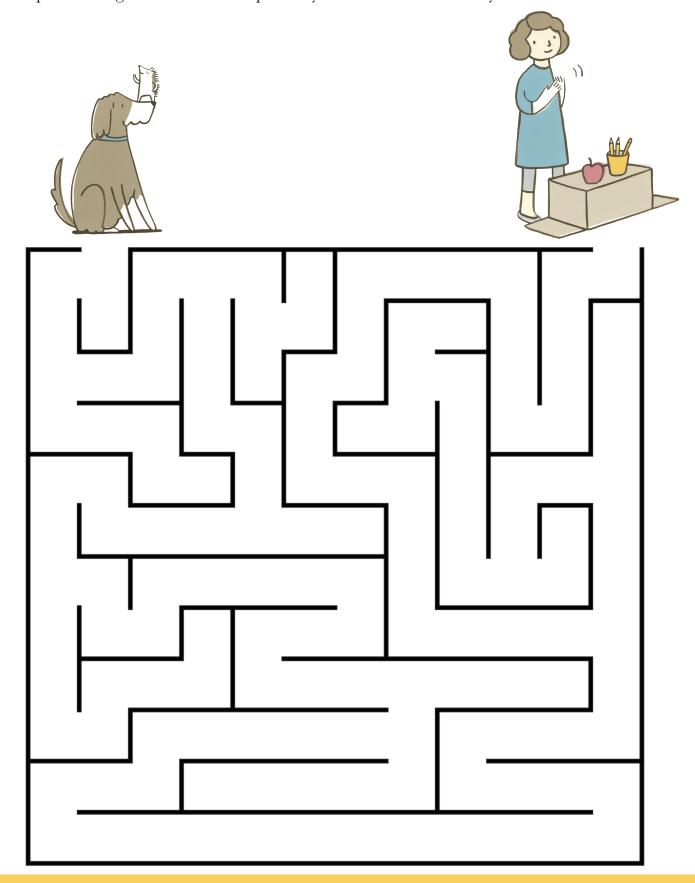
Buddy and Earl gather up their school supplies before they go to class. What do you imagine will be in your classroom? Circle the objects that you might find, and draw any missing ones!



# Getting to School



Trace a path through this maze to help Buddy and Earl find their way to school!



## Draw Your Own Lesson

Professor Earl leads Buddy through some important lessons like Sniffing Things, Tail Chasing and Scratching Itches. Buddy is very good at doing these things! What are you good at? What kinds of things do you want to learn more about? Draw a picture of what they will look like.