



# ISRAEL

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*This colorful and exciting book will take you on a visual adventure of Israel. Turn the page to spot the same characters in different places throughout this vibrant country.*

## USING THIS BOOK AT HOME

This unique book takes readers on a colorful, exciting, and entertaining trip through Israel. We experience the lively street cafes and beaches in the bustling city of Tel Aviv and hike through the Galilee, Israel's green region in the north. We see great diversity at the Jerusalem Market; we visit a Bedouin family in the Negev Desert; we dive with a mother and daughter on the Red Sea coral reefs in Eilat.

Through the illustrations and short introductions on the first two pages of the book, the reader is introduced to individuals and small groups of people from all corners of the world. Then, with each turn of the page, one can follow their small adventures as they unfold.

This book opens the door for interactive exploration of Israel and its people. As a family, discuss the illustrations. What is familiar? What couldn't be found where you live? Which people look most interesting to you? With whom might you like to be friends? If you could place yourself in one of this book's scenes, where would you be?