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Book Review – October
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The Little Shop of Monsters By R.L. Stine and Marc Brown



This is a great book for older kids! It has just a bit of an “edgy” side for a picture book which the older kids LOVE. The text and descriptions of the Monsters are awesome! There are so many possibilities for movement and music. Last year we added the piece from Game Plan 5 “Run for your Life” at the end. For each page turn, we added the melody from Music for Children - Volume 4 - Page 77 - #34 with the text:

*Come inside
Please don't run and hide
Don't be Scared just be prepared and
Come inside*

We had groups of kids acting out the different monsters using non-locomotor movement. We even had one group using a shadow screen and acted out their monster behind the screen. 😊 We would be fun to have ALL groups create their monster behind a screen!

Definitely a 5th grade favorite!

