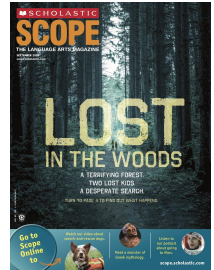




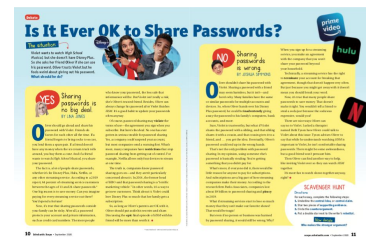
Dear Family,

Today your child is reading the September 2020 issue of *Scope*. Below are some activities you can do at home to build your child's reading and thinking skills with this month's issue.



- **Hold a family debate after reading “Is It Ever OK to Share Passwords?”** —————→

Violet asks Oliver if she can use his Disney Plus password. Oliver wants to help her out but isn't sure if password sharing is OK. What should he do?



- **Read the paired texts “How *Animal Crossing* Conquered the World” and “A Sweet Treat in a Tough Time.”** —————→

Take turns reading two fascinating articles that explore how games can help us through tough times. Then discuss: What do *Animal Crossing* and Candy Land have in common?



- **Read the poem “Questions for the Clouds” on the back page.** —————→

Take turns reading this delightful poem aloud to one another. You can also go to Scope Online (scope.scholastic.com) to watch or listen to poet Jennifer Dignan read it herself. Afterward, work together to generate a list of your own questions for the clouds, discuss answers to the questions in Dignan's poem, or both!



As always, we hope you enjoy reading *Scope* as a family.

Sincerely,
Your child's teacher and the editors of *Scope*