

APS 2nd Grade Math and Reading

Week 1



Day 1	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Number of the Day• Addition Fluency #1• Math Skill-Telling Time• Read Just Like Josh Gibson• Written Response Questions 1 & 2• Compare and Contrast Josh and Grandma
Day 2	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Number of the Day• Subtraction Fluency #1• Math Skill-Counting Change• Read Just Like Josh Gibson• Written Response Questions 3 & 4• Catching onto Contractions*
Day 3	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Number of the Day• Addition Fluency #2• Math Skill-3 Digit Addition• Read Just Like Josh Gibson• Written Response Questions 5 & 6• Capital Craze
Day 4	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Number of the Day• Subtraction Fluency #2• Math Skill-3 Digit Subtraction• Read Just Like Josh Gibson• Written Response Questions 7 & 8• ABC Order
Day 5	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Number of the Day• Mixed Fluency #1• Math Skill-Word Problems• Read Just Like Josh Gibson• Just Like Josh Gibson Weekly Questions

Directions:

Each week students will read a new story from Unit 6 of our Reading Street textbook that has been used all year. Students will read the story daily and complete skill sheets to go along with the story.

Written Response questions are at the front of the packet with the story.

*Due to copying on front and back, just write the answer in the blank/box.

Read Aloud Suggestions:

- Read with a parent. You read a page, and then they read a page. Ask each other questions about your page.
- Read aloud to a younger sibling and explain to them what's happening in the story.
- Read aloud to a pet or stuffed animal.
- Read aloud to an older sibling. Then ask them questions about what you have read to see if they listened.
- Read and then write down three things you liked about the story.
- Read and then write down three things you learned from the story.

Online Resources:

- www.tumblebookslibrary.com

Click the free trial tab at the top of the site to get an account.

- www.getepic.com

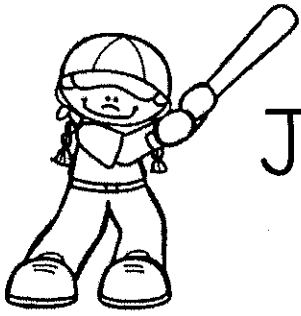
You can set up a free account as a parent. Click on the blue section to the right of the little boy.

- www.ixl.com

Your student should have an account to access this material. You can reach out to your student's teacher if you need this information.

- <https://global-zone51.renaissance-go.com/welcomeportal/259596>

Your child can still take AR tests and complete AM assignments. They should know their username and password.



Just Like Josh Gibson

By: Angela Johnson

Grandmama says there's nothing like baseball.

The story goes....

Josh Gibson once hit a baseball in Pittsburgh so hard that it didn't come down.

The next day he was playing in Philadelphia, and the ball dropped out of the sky right into a fielder's glove. The umpire pointed at Josh and said, "You're out yesterday in Pittsburgh!"

Grandmama says her papa showed up on that same day the day she was born, with a Louisville slugger and a smile. He said his new baby would make baseballs fly just like Josh Gibson.

So Grandmama's papa threw balls to his baby girl in the early morning dew. Those summer days were like magic as the balls sailed away sailed away, gone.

But girls in the forties didn't play baseball. They weren't supposed to take the field with the boys or have batting dreams.

So even when Grandmama got bigger, she still had to stand outside the fence and watch her cousin Danny and the Maple Grove All-Stars batting away.

But every now and again, when the team was just practicing, they'd let Grandmama play too. Then Grandmama would step up to the plate, hit the ball, and watch it soar.

Grandmama says Danny would imagine he was playing with the Dodgers. But she was always Josh Gibson, playing for the Grays, wearing the team colors and hitting away.

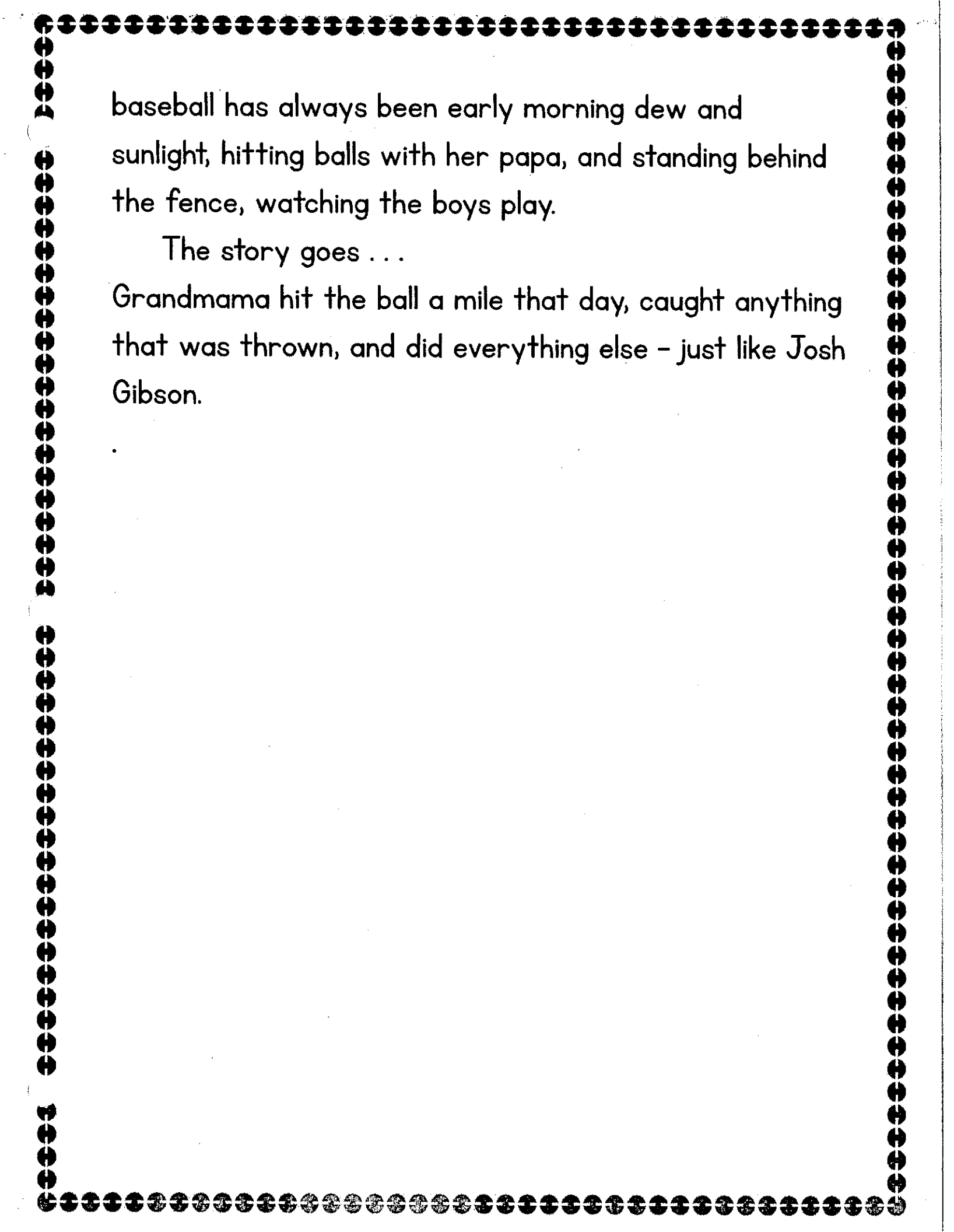
Grandmama says she would play all day, with everybody saying she could do it all, hit, throw, and fly round the bases. "But too bad she's a girl....."

Too bad she's a girl

Until two days, hot days after the Fourth of July, Danny hurt his arm sliding into second, and there were only eight All-Stars.

That afternoon the team looked to Grandmama - pink dress with a white bow, and Danny's baseball shoes.

And Grandmama says as she went to the plate she remembered . . .



baseball has always been early morning dew and
sunlight, hitting balls with her papa, and standing behind
the fence, watching the boys play.

The story goes . . .

Grandmama hit the ball a mile that day, caught anything
that was thrown, and did everything else - just like Josh
Gibson.

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1. Who are the main characters in this story? _____

2. Where and when does this story take place?

3. What happened to the baseball Josh Gibson hit in Pittsburgh?

4. What did Grandmama's papa give her the day she was born?

RL.2.1, RL.2.2, RL.2.3, RL.2.5

First Read

R....Restate the question

A....Answer all parts of the question

P....Prove your answer

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5. Why couldn't Grandmama play baseball?

6. Was Grandmama a good player? Use text evidence to prove it.

7. What happened two days after the Fourth of July?

8. How far does Grandmama hit the ball the day she plays in Danny's place?

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