

The Tiny Treasure

a Gigi & Mimi adventure



This adventure belongs to

"You never quite knew what you might discover."

A complete story. A tiny treasure. Their name on the front.

THE STORY

One sunny morning, Mimi was helping Gigi look for apples beneath the old apple tree.

“Here’s one!” Mimi called. She reached through the grass, but instead of an apple, her fingers touched something small and hard.

Hidden beneath a pile of leaves was a tiny blue box. Inside was a tiny silver key and a folded piece of paper.

FOR THE CURIOUS EXPLORER: FOLLOW THE CLUES.

The first clue led them to the birdbath. The next, to Gigi’s sunflowers. The last said: THE LITTLE KEY OPENS SOMETHING THAT LIKES BUTTERFLIES.

Behind the vines, Mimi found a tiny wooden gate and a little silver lock. Click. Beyond it was a secret garden filled with butterflies.

“We found it,” Mimi whispered. Gigi squeezed her hand. “No, Mimi. You found it.”

IN YOUR ENVELOPE

- A tiny key (the one that opens the garden gate)
- Two folded clue notes
- A butterfly sticker for your explorer bag

EXPLORER MISSION

Hide the key. Then hide the two clues — one near something that holds water, one near something yellow. Let them follow the clues and “open” a door, gate, or cupboard.

FOR THE GROWN-UP

Grown-up whisper: print the clues, fold them small, and hide them before you hand over the envelope. Keep the “gate” simple — a closet, a backyard gate, or a shoebox garden.

The Mystery of the Missing Bell

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"You make a very good detective."

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THE STORY

Gigi had a tiny silver bell hanging beside her garden gate. Whenever the wind blew, it made the prettiest little sound. Ting-a-ling.

One morning, the garden was strangely quiet. “Gigi! The bell is gone!”

They searched beneath the gate, beside the flowerpots, underneath the bench. Then something sparkled in the grass — a tiny golden ribbon.

The golden trail led all the way to the butterfly garden. Very faintly, among the flowers, came a sound. Ting.

Caught on a low branch was the tiny silver bell. “The wind must have carried it!”

Together they tied it securely in place. A breeze fluttered through the garden. Ting-a-ling. Ting-a-ling.

Mimi tucked the golden ribbon into her explorer bag. “I like clues,” she grinned.

IN YOUR ENVELOPE

- A tiny silver bell
- A snippet of golden ribbon
- A “clue” card for your hunt

EXPLORER MISSION

Tie the ribbon in two or three spots leading to where you hide the bell. Listen. Follow. Return the bell to a door handle or garden gate.

FOR THE GROWN-UP

Grown-up whisper: hide the bell before storytime. Let the ribbon be the trail. A bedroom doorknob makes a perfect “garden gate.”

The Secret Map

a Gigi & Mimi adventure



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THE STORY

Mimi was colouring at Gigi's kitchen table when she noticed a piece of paper sticking out from underneath the fruit bowl.

It was old-looking and folded into four squares. Dotted lines. Tiny pictures. One enormous red X. "It's a treasure map!"

"There is really only one thing to do when you discover a treasure map," said Gigi. "Follow it."

At the big tree they found a small wooden button. At the fence, a blue ribbon. At the garden pond, a tiny paper boat with a note: TREASURE HUNTERS NEED ENERGY.

Waiting at the picnic table were two chocolate cookies. Then one last X — a tiny wooden box under the back steps, and a note inside.

THE BEST TREASURE IS THE ADVENTURE YOU HAD FINDING IT.

Mimi folded the map carefully and tucked it into her explorer bag.

IN YOUR ENVELOPE

- A folded secret map with a red X
- A wooden button
- A scrap of blue ribbon
- A tiny paper boat

EXPLORER MISSION

Use the map in your own house or yard. Hide the button, ribbon, and boat at three stops. The "X" can be a snack.

FOR THE GROWN-UP

Grown-up whisper: the map is printed for you — mark three easy spots with a pencil if you like. Cookies optional. Pretend crackers work too.

The Little Lost Star

a Gigi & Mimi adventure



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"Maybe it just needed somewhere safe to shine for a while."

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THE STORY

It was almost bedtime when Mimi noticed something shining outside Gigi's window. In the grass was a tiny silver star.

"Maybe this one got lost." They carried it inside. "What do lost stars need?" Gigi thought. "Perhaps a way home." They went back outside to ask the moon, but the moon was hiding behind the clouds. Mimi held the tiny star in both hands.

Then she had an idea. "The window!" She placed the little silver star carefully on the windowsill. "Now it can see the sky."

The clouds moved away. Moonlight streamed through. The little silver star sparkled.

"Maybe it wasn't lost," Mimi said. Gigi tucked the blanket around her. "Maybe it just needed somewhere safe to shine for a while."

Some things, Mimi decided, didn't need explaining. Sometimes they were wonderful simply because you found them.

IN YOUR ENVELOPE

- A tiny silver star
- A glow sticker for the windowsill

EXPLORER MISSION

After the story, place the star on a windowsill facing the sky. Look for the moon. Say goodnight to the star.

FOR THE GROWN-UP

Grown-up whisper: this one is a bedtime envelope. Dim the lights. Let them choose the windowsill. No hunt required.

The Wishing Stone

a Gigi & Mimi adventure



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“Not because she needed a wish. Because it reminded her to keep looking.”

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THE STORY

Gigi and Mimi were walking beside a little stream when Mimi spotted something blue between two rocks. It was a smooth, round blue stone with a white swirl curling across the middle. “Maybe it’s a wishing stone.” Mimi closed her eyes. She thought very carefully. Then she whispered, “I wish for adventures every day.” Nothing happened. Then a butterfly fluttered down and landed on the stone. Then another. On the way home they spotted a ladybug. They found a feather. They watched a squirrel. They discovered a cloud that looked exactly like a dancing elephant. Mimi stopped. “My wish already came true.” “Which adventure?” asked Gigi. Mimi smiled. “All of it.” She tucked the stone into her explorer bag — not because she needed a wish, but because it reminded her to keep looking.

IN YOUR ENVELOPE

- A smooth blue wishing stone
- A butterfly sticker

EXPLORER MISSION

Hold the stone. Make a small wish. Then take a five-minute noticing walk: find one bug, one cloud shape, one pretty thing.

FOR THE GROWN-UP

Grown-up whisper: a blue glass gem from a vase-filler bag is perfect. If you have a real river stone, even better. The walk is the magic.

The Picnic That Flew Away

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“And was it a good picnic? The best.”

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THE STORY

Gigi and Mimi packed the perfect picnic. Sandwiches. Apple slices. Two cookies. A little bottle of lemonade. And one enormous red picnic blanket.

They spread the blanket beneath a tree. “This,” Gigi announced, “is excellent picnic weather.”

WHOOSH! A gust of wind lifted one corner. A napkin flew. Then another. Then Gigi’s hat. “My hat!”

The hat rolled across the grass and stopped beside a blue envelope. FOLLOW THE BREEZE.

Near the fence, Mimi found a yellow ribbon fluttering from a post. They chased a napkin around a tree — and right back to their blanket. Even the cookies were safe.

Mimi looked at the yellow ribbon. Then at Gigi’s slightly crooked hat. “The best.”

And this time, before they ate their cookies, Mimi placed one rock on every corner of the picnic blanket. Just in case the breeze wanted another adventure.

IN YOUR ENVELOPE

- A tiny blue envelope that says FOLLOW THE BREEZE
- A yellow ribbon
- A red gingham picnic square

EXPLORER MISSION

Have a mini picnic (a cracker will do). Let the ribbon “blow” to another room. Follow it. Put a pebble on each corner of your napkin so the breeze can’t steal it.

FOR THE GROWN-UP

Grown-up whisper: indoor picnic on the living-room floor works beautifully. The blue envelope is the invitation. No real wind required.