

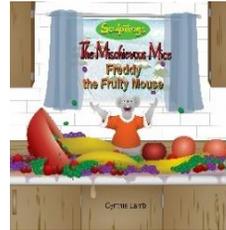


## Comparing Sculptling Books

### Sherry the Pastry Chef



### Freddy the Fruity Mouse



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#### Compare Books

Try comparing the Sherry the Pastry Chef with other Sculptlings Books, such as Freddy the Fruity Mouse and compare the 2 messages.

Try comparing the characters and their lessons. How are they different? How are they the same?

**Example Comparison:** Both Make Messes: Sherry makes a mess while baking, and Freddy makes a mess while eating fruit and playing jokes. Sherry's mess causes bugs and less time to bake, while Freddy's mess makes Santa upset and shows him being a naughty mouse. Both stories teach about responsibility and cleaning up, but Sherry focuses more on cooking and time management, while Freddy focuses on play, following rules and making good choices.

#### Ideas for how to review these books with your Preschool kids.

- Who made a big mess in their story, Sherry or Freddy? *(Both of them did! Sherry made a big mess when she baked pies, and Freddy made a mess with his fruit.)*
- Why is it good to clean while we cook or play? *(Because it keeps things nice, safe, and easier to clean later!)*
- How are Sherry and Freddy's stories the same? *(They both make messes, forget to clean, and learn to be responsible.)*
- How are the stories different? *(Sherry bakes pies in the kitchen. Freddy eats fruit and plays around the house.)*

#### Discussion Questions for Advanced Readers (Ages 6–7)

Help older kids think more critically and connect the story to real-life situations:

- Discuss the characters similarities and differences. *(They both make messes but in a different way. Sherry bakes and doesn't clean up after herself. Freddy makes messes with food and jokes and he doesn't clean up his messes.)*
- Discuss the Cause and Effect of the characters actions: *(Sherry doesn't clean up in the kitchen and she attracts bugs. Freddy doesn't clean up after playing jokes and gets put on the naughty list from Santa.)*



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### Sherry the Pastry Chef and Freddy the Fruity Mouse

**Compare Freddy the Fruity Mouse with Kent the Mischievous Mouse  
(For Preschool Kids Ages 3–5)**

#### **What Kids Can Learn between these 2 stories:**

- Cleaning up while you play helps to avoid problems.
- Trying your best and fixing mistakes is important.
- Why it is important to think before you act and make good choices
- Messes happen, but you can always learn from them and do better next time.

#### **Discussions Questions with Answers for Reviewing the stories:**

**1. What They Like to Do:** **Sherry:** Loves to bake pies in her kitchen. **Freddy:** Loves to eat fruit and make fruity juice.

**2. Who Makes a Mess:** **Sherry?** Makes a mess when she cooks, and her kitchen gets really messy. **Freddy:** Makes a mess when he plays and eats fruit, leaving banana peels and grapes everywhere.

**3. What Happens Because of the Mess?** **Sherry:** Bugs come, and she has to spend a whole day cleaning instead of baking. **Freddy:** Santa says he's been naughty, and he has to clean up his mess right away.

**4. What Lessons Do They Learn?** **Sherry:** Learned to clean while she cooks so she has more time and avoids problems like bugs. **Freddy:** Learned to eat a balanced diet and clean up right away to avoid trouble.

**5. How Do They Fix Their Mistakes?** **Sherry:** Cleans all day and tries her best to still bake her pie for the contest. **Freddy:** Cleans up after himself and stops using food to make jokes so he can be good for Santa.

**6. How do the Stories End?** **Sherry:** Even with one pie, she does her best and wins the contest! **Freddy:** Gets a second chance from Santa after cleaning up and learns to make better choices.



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More Discussions Topics with Answers For Preschool Kids Ages 3–5

#### 1. Talk About Messes

**Q:** Who made a big mess in their story, Sherry or Freddy?

**A:** Both of them did! Sherry made a big mess when she baked pies, and Freddy made a mess with his fruit.

**Q:** What happens when we make a big mess?

**A:** It's hard to clean, and things can get yucky or buggy!

#### 2. What Did They Learn?

**Q:** What did Sherry learn about cleaning up?

**A:** She learned to clean while she cooks so bugs don't come and she has more time to bake.

**Q:** What did Freddy learn about eating fruit and cleaning up?

**A:** He learned not to eat too much fruit and to clean up his peels and juice messes.

**Q:** Why is it good to clean while we cook or play?

**A:** Because it keeps things nice, safe, and easier to clean later!

#### 3. How Do You Feel When It's Messy or Clean?

**Q:** How do you feel when your toys are all over the floor?

**A:** It feels messy, and I can't find my toys!

**Q:** How do you feel when your room is clean and neat?

**A:** Happy! Proud! It's easier to play and move around.

**Q:** Do you think Sherry and Freddy felt better after they cleaned up?

**A:** Yes! They were proud and happy when everything was clean again.



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#### 4. Learning from Mistakes

**Q:** Did Sherry or Freddy make a mistake?

**A:** Yes! Sherry didn't clean after baking, and Freddy made a big fruit mess.

**Q:** What did they do to fix it?

**A:** Sherry cleaned her kitchen, and Freddy cleaned up for Santa.

#### 5. Being Responsible Helpers

**Q:** How can we be helpers like Sherry and Freddy at school or home?

**A:** We can clean up toys, throw trash away, and help our friends tidy up.

**Q:** Why is it good to take care of our toys and classroom?

**A:** Because we share our space, and keeping it clean helps everyone!

#### 6. What's the Same and What's Different?

**Q:** How are Sherry and Freddy the same?

**A:** They both make messes, forget to clean, and learn to be responsible.

**Q:** How are they different?

**A:** Sherry bakes pies in the kitchen. Freddy eats fruit and plays around the house.

#### 7. What Would You Do?

**Q:** If you made a mess like Sherry, what would you do?

**A:** I'd clean it up right away!

**Q:** If Santa told you to clean up like Freddy, how would you feel?

**A:** I'd feel a little sad but happy when it's clean.



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#### Discussions Topics with Answers For Kindergarten to 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade

In both stories of *Sherry the Chef* and *Freddy the Fruity Mouse*, they make big messes. But they learned important lessons about cleaning up, making good choices, and taking responsibility for their actions.

#### Discussion Topics:

##### 1. Topic: Making a Mess

**Question:** What kind of mess did Sherry and Freddy make?

**Answer:** Sherry made a big mess in her kitchen while baking pies. Freddy made a big fruit mess with banana peels, juice, and grapes everywhere.

#### Follow-Up Discussion:

Why do you think their messes were a problem?

Because bugs came, people could slip, and they lost time to do what they wanted.

**Lesson:** When we make a mess, it's important to clean up so everyone stays safe and things run smoothly.

##### 2. Topic: Learning from Mistakes

**Question:** What mistakes did Sherry and Freddy make, and how did they fix them?

**Answer:** Sherry didn't clean while baking, and bugs came. She learned to clean as she cooks. Freddy made a mess with fruit and didn't clean up. He listened to Santa and cleaned his mess.

#### Follow-Up Discussion:

Is it okay to make mistakes? (Yes!)

What should we do after we make one? Learn from it and try to do better next time.



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#### 3. Topic: Responsibility

**Question:** How did Sherry and Freddy show they were being responsible at the end of the story?

**Answer:** Sherry was responsible, she cleaned her kitchen and tried her best at the contest. Freddy cleaned up his mess and worked on using self control, telling jokes instead of making them using food.

#### Follow-Up Discussion:

What does being responsible mean? Taking care of your things and fixing your mistakes.

#### 4. Topic: Cause and Effect

**Question:** What happened *because* Sherry didn't clean up her kitchen?

**Answer:** Bugs came, and she had to spend all day cleaning instead of baking.

**Question:** What happened *because* Freddy didn't clean up his fruit mess?

**Answer:** Santa saw his mess, and Freddy got in trouble for being naughty.

#### Follow-Up Discussion:

What could have happened if they cleaned up right away? No bugs, no trouble, and more time for fun things!

#### 5. Topic: Trying Your Best

**Question:** How did Sherry and Freddy try their best, even after making mistakes?

**Answer:** Sherry still baked one pie and brought it to the contest. Freddy listened to Santa, cleaned up, and made better choices.

#### Follow-Up Discussion:

What does it mean to "do your best"? Keep trying, even when things don't go perfectly.



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#### 7. Topic: Comparing the Two Stories

**Question:** How are Sherry and Freddy the same?

**Answer:** Both made big messes. Both had to clean up. Both learned lessons about being responsible.

**Question:** How are they different?

**Answer:** Sherry bakes pies; Freddy plays with fruit.

Sherry learns about cleaning and time, Freddy learns about cleaning and using self-control.

#### 8. Topic: Real-Life Connections

**Question:** What can *you* do to be responsible like Sherry and Freddy?

**Answer:** Clean up my toys. Finish my work before playtime. Use self-control and make better choices.

#### Follow-Up Discussion:

Why does helping and cleaning up make you feel good? It keeps your space nice and shows you can be trusted.



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### Create a Discussion Topics & Answers Chart

**Main Ideas:** Sherry loves to bake but learns that cleaning while you cook saves time and keeps bugs away. Freddy loves fruit but learns not to joke around with food and make a mess.

Topic	Question	Answer
<b>Making a Mess</b>	What kind of mess did Sherry and Freddy make?	Sherry made a kitchen mess while baking, and Freddy made a fruit mess while playing jokes!
<b>Learning from Mistakes</b>	What did they learn?	Sherry learned to clean as she cooks. Freddy learned to clean up and not to play jokes with food.
<b>Responsibility</b>	How did they fix their mistakes?	They both cleaned up their messes and tried to do better next time.
<b>Cause and Effect</b>	What happened because they didn't clean up?	Bugs came for Sherry, and Freddy got put on Santa's Naughty List
<b>Trying Your Best</b>	Did they still try their best?	Yes! Sherry still baked one pie and won, and Freddy cleaned up for Santa to be put on the Nice list.
<b>Same and Different</b>	How are Sherry and Freddy alike and different?	Both made messes and cleaned up. Sherry bakes pies; Freddy plays with food.
<b>Real-Life Connection</b>	What can you do to be responsible like them?	Clean up toys, throw away trash, and help at home or school.



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#### Create a Similarities Chart

#### Discussion Prompts

What did Sherry and Freddy both forget to do? How did they fix their mistakes?  
Why do you think it's important to clean up after yourself?

Category	Sherry the Chef	Freddy the Fruity Mouse	How They're Alike (Similarities)
<b>What They Love</b>	Sherry loves to bake pies and cook in her kitchen.	Freddy loves to eat fruit and make fruity juice.	Both love food and like making tasty things!
<b>The Mess They Make</b>	Sherry makes a big mess when she bakes.	Freddy makes a big mess when he plays with fruit.	Both make BIG messes when they don't clean up!
<b>The Problem</b>	Sherry doesn't clean up, and bugs come into her kitchen.	Freddy doesn't clean up, and Santa gets upset about the mess.	Both get in trouble because they didn't clean up their messes.
<b>What They Learn</b>	Sherry learns to clean while she cooks so things stay neat.	Freddy learns to clean up and eat a balanced diet.	Both learn important lessons about being responsible and neat.
<b>How They Fix It</b>	Sherry cleans her kitchen and still bakes one pie for the contest.	Freddy cleans up his fruit mess and listens to Santa.	Both take responsibility and fix their mistakes.
<b>The Ending</b>	Sherry wins the pie contest and feels proud.	Freddy gets a second chance from Santa and feels happy.	Both stories end happily because they learned and tried their best.
<b>Main Lesson</b>	Cleaning up helps you save time and keeps things clean.	Cleaning up helps you stay out of trouble and be healthy.	Both show that cleaning up and being responsible make things better.



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### Create a Differences Chart

#### Discussion Prompts

How are Sherry's and Freddy's messes different? Who helped them learn to do better? What do you think was harder, cleaning up a kitchen or cleaning up fruit? Which story do you like more, and why?

Category	Sherry the Chef	Freddy the Fruity Mouse
<b>Main Character</b>	Sherry, a kind chef who loves to bake.	Freddy, a silly mouse who loves to eat and play with fruit.
<b>What They Like to Do</b>	She bakes pies and cooks tasty treats.	He makes fruity drinks and uses food to tell jokes.
<b>Where the Story Happens</b>	In Sherry's kitchen while she's baking.	Around Freddy's house, especially at Christmas time.
<b>Type of Mess</b>	Flour, dough, and pie ingredients everywhere!	Fruit peels, grapes, and juice all over the floor!
<b>What Goes Wrong</b>	Sherry doesn't clean, so bugs come into her kitchen.	Freddy makes a big mess that upsets Santa because someone could slip and fall and get hurt.
<b>The Lesson Learned</b>	Sherry learns to clean while she cooks and manage her time.	Freddy learns to clean up his mess and not to use food to tell jokes
<b>Who Helps Them Learn</b>	Sherry learns on her own after seeing the bugs.	Santa helps Freddy learn to behave and clean up.
<b>The Consequence</b>	Sherry loses baking time because she has to clean.	Freddy gets in trouble with Santa and gets put on the Naughty List
<b>How It Ends</b>	Sherry bakes one pie, wins the contest, and feels proud.	Freddy listens to Santa, cleans up, and learns a better way to make jokes. (About food, not with food)
<b>Main Lesson Theme</b>	Being clean and organized helps you have more time and fun.	To use self control and not use food to make jokes because its messy



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Circle the best answer.

**1. Who likes to bake pies?**

- A. Freddy
- B. Sherry
- C. Santa

**2. Who is the character that loves to joke around using fruit?**

- A. Freddy
- B. Sherry
- C. Santa

**3. What happens when Sherry and Freddy both make a mess?**

- A. Their houses clean themselves.
- B. They both have problems.
- C. They both get put on the Naughty list

**4. Who comes to visit Freddy in his story?**

- A. A Judge
- B. Santa Claus
- C. Sherry

**5. What does Sherry do to fix her mistake?**

- A. She makes more pies.
- B. She cleans her kitchen.
- C. She stops making pies.



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### Freddy the Fruity Mouse and Kent the Manipulative Mouse

#### 6. What does Freddy learn about playing with food?

- A. Fruit make great jokes.
- B. Its fun to play with food
- C. They make a mess and someone could get hurt!

#### 7. How are Sherry and Freddy the same?

- A. They both make a big mess!
- B. They both make fruit juices.
- C. They both play with their food.

#### 8. What happens after they clean up?

- A. They feel good and don't have any problems.
- B. They make a new mess.
- C. They cause problems

9. Sherry and Freddy both made a mess in their stories.

- A. True
- B. False

10. Freddy won a pie-baking contest just like Sherry.

- A. True
- B. False



# Comparing Sculpting Books Answer Key

## Freddy the Fruity Mouse and Kent the Manipulative Mouse

### Preschool

#### 1. Who likes to bake pies?

- A. Freddy
- B. Sherry
- C. Santa

**Answer:** *Sherry loves to bake yummy pies in her kitchen!*

#### 2. Who is the character that loves to joke around using fruit?

- A. Freddy
- B. Sherry
- C. Santa

**Answer:** *Freddy the mouse loves to make juice and joke around with food!*

#### 3. What happens when Sherry and Freddy both make a mess?

- A. Their houses clean themselves.
- B. They both have problems.
- C. They both get put on the Naughty list

**Answer:** *Both learned that not cleaning up can cause problems!*

#### 4. Who comes to visit Freddy in his story?

- A. A Judge
- B. Santa Claus
- C. Sherry

**Answer:** *Santa helps Freddy learn to clean up and behave!*

#### 5. What does Sherry do to fix her mistake?

- A. She makes more pies.
- B. She cleans her kitchen.
- C. She stops making pies.

**Answer:** *Sherry learns to clean up while she cooks!*

#### 6. What does Freddy learn about playing with food?

- A. Fruit make great jokes.
- B. Its fun to play with food
- C. They make a mess and someone could get hurt!

**Answer:** *Freddy learns that someone could slip and fall and hurt themselves.*

#### 7. How are Sherry and Freddy the same?

- A. They both make a big mess!
- B. They both make fruit juices.
- C. They both play with their food.

**Answer:** *Both characters learn to clean up after making a mess!*

#### 8. What happens after they clean up?

- A. They feel good and don't have any problems.
- B. They make a new mess.
- C. They cause problems

**Answer:** *Cleaning up helps them feel good and they don't attract bugs!*

#### 9. Sherry and Freddy both made a mess in their stories.

- A. True
- B. False

**Answer:** *Both Sherry and Freddy learned that cleaning up is important!*

#### 10. Freddy won a pie-baking contest just like Sherry.

- A. True
- B. False

**Answer:** *Sherry entered a contest, but Freddy learned to tell jokes instead of making jokes to be funny*



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### Freddy the Fruity Mouse and Kent the Manipulative Mouse

#### 1. What do Sherry and Freddy have in common?

- A. They both bake pies.
- B. They both make a big mess.
- C. They both eat too much sugar.

#### 2. How are Sherry and Freddy different?

- A. Sherry bakes pies, Freddy plays with food.
- B. Freddy bakes pies, Sherry eats fruit.
- C. Both bake and eat fruit.

#### 3. What lesson do both characters learn?

- A. It's okay to leave a mess.
- B. Cleaning up helps prevent problems.
- C. Winning contests are the most important.

#### 4. Who was put on the Naughty List in the story?

- A. Sherry
- B. Freddy
- C. Both

#### 5. What happens when Sherry doesn't clean right away?

- A. Bugs show up and she runs out of time.
- B. She makes more pies.
- C. She gets a prize without cleaning.



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#### 6. How does Freddy fix his mistakes?

- A. He makes more fruit juice and gives it to Santa.
- B. He cleans up and doesn't use fruit for jokes.
- C. He hides from Santa.

#### 7. What could have helped Sherry make more pies for the contest?

- A. Making more messes
- B. Cleaning while she baked
- C. Getting someone to help her

#### 8. What did Freddy learn about playing with food?

- A. He should never eat fruit
- B. Playing with food can cause trouble
- C. Fruit is fun to play with

#### 9. How are the endings of the two stories different?

- A. Both characters win a contest
- B. Sherry wins a contest; Freddy learns to behave
- C. Freddy wins a contest; Sherry learns to clean up after herself

#### 10. Why is it important to clean up after making a mess?

- A. So bugs and accidents don't happen
- B. So you can make more mess
- C. So you can hide your mistakes



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## Freddy the Fruity Mouse and Kent the Manipulative Mouse

### Kindergarten to 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade

#### 1. What do Sherry and Freddy have in common?

- A. They both bake pies.
- B. They both make a big mess. ✓
- C. They both eat too much sugar.

**Answer:** *Both characters learned that cleaning up is important after making a mess!*

#### 2. How are Sherry and Freddy different?

- A. Sherry bakes pies, Freddy plays with food. ✓
- B. Freddy bakes pies, Sherry eats fruit.
- C. Both bake and eat fruit.

**Answer:** *Sherry loves baking, while Freddy loves playing with food!*

#### 3. What lesson do both characters learn?

- A. It's okay to leave a mess.
- B. Cleaning up helps prevent problems. ✓
- C. Winning contests are the most important.

**Answer:** *Both learn that cleaning while working helps them not have problems.*

#### 4. Who was put on the Naughty List in the story?

- A. Sherry
- B. Freddy ✓
- C. Both

**Answer:** *Santa put Freddy on the Naughty List for making a mess playing with food.*

#### 5. What happens when Sherry doesn't clean right away?

- A. Bugs show up and she runs out of time. ✓
- B. She makes more pies.
- C. She gets a prize without cleaning.

**Answer:** *Sherry learned that cleaning as you go saves time and prevents bugs.*

#### 6. How does Freddy fix his mistakes?

- A. He makes more fruit juice and gives it to Santa.
- B. He cleans up and doesn't use fruit for jokes. ✓
- C. He hides from Santa.

**Answer:** *Freddy learns to be responsible and doesn't play with his food!*

#### 7. What could have helped Sherry make more pies for the contest?

- A. Making more messes
- B. Cleaning while she baked ✓
- C. Getting someone to help her

**Answer:** *Sherry learned that cleaning as you go saves time and lets you do more!*

#### 8. What did Freddy learn about playing with food?

- A. He should never eat fruit
- B. Playing with food can cause trouble ✓
- C. Fruit is fun to play with

**Answer:** *Freddy learned to tell jokes and not play with his food.*

#### 9. How are the endings of the two stories different?

- A. Both characters win a contest
- B. Sherry wins a contest; Freddy learns to behave ✓
- C. Freddy wins a contest; Sherry learns to clean up after herself

**Answer:** *Sherry's story focuses on baking success; Freddy's story focuses on using self-control.*

#### 10. Why is it important to clean up after making a mess?

- A. So bugs and accidents don't happen ✓
- B. So you can make more mess
- C. So you can hide your mistakes

**Answer:** *Both Sherry and Freddy learned that cleaning up keeps things safe and organized!*