

Curs 2016-17

The Young and Prodigious T. S. Spivet

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ACTIVITIES IN ENGLISH

Suggestiments per al professorat

El dossier que us fem arribar conté un seguit d'activitats per treballar amb l'alumnat dins l'aula abans o després de la projecció. Aquestes activitats són opcionals, deixant al vostre criteri, a partir del coneixement real que teniu del vostre alumnat, la manera de treballar el film.

Direcció i concepció gràfica

Cinema per a estudiants

Activitats i adaptació de textos

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FITXA TÈCNICA I ARTÍSTICA

Direcció: Jean-Pierre Jeunet. **Interpretació:** Helena Bonham-Carter (Mrs. Clair), Kyle Catlett (T.S. Spivet), Robert Maillet, Judy Davis, Callum Keith Rennie, Dominique Pinon, Julian Rickings, Rhawn Wilson, Jakob Dierks, Gailb. **Jean-Pierre Jeunet i Guillaume Laurant:** basat en la novel·la de Rafi Lavine. **Productors:** Frédéric Brillon, Jean-Pierre Jeunet i Gilles Legrand. **Música:** Denis Gassiere. **Fotografia:** Thomas Hardmeier. **Montatge:** Harve Schmidt. **Disseny de producció:** Aline Bonetto. **Vestuari:** Mathilde Fontaine. **Gènere:** Drama, aventura. **Països:** França i Canadà. **Any:** 2013. **Durada:** 100 min.

SINOPSI

T. S. Spivet és un nen de deu anys que viu en un ranxo de Montana amb la seva mare —una dona obsessada pel treball—, el seu pare i la seva germana —que segueix a un Miss Andorra. El T. S. ha anat descobrint un talent secret per a la cartografia i els invents. Un dia rep la notícia que el museu Smithsonian li ha concedit el prestigiós Premi Baird per la invenció de la màquina del moviment perpetu. El conviden a una recepció i, sense dir res a ningú, s'embarca en un tren de mercaderies per arribar a Washington.

ACTIVITY ONE - THE PLOT OF THE FILM

Read the plot of the film and decide if the following sentences are TRUE or FALSE

- T.S. Spivet is 12 years old
- He loves football and sports
- His family lives in Montana
- His mother studies beetles
- His father is a farmer
- His sister is called Gracie
- T.S. Spivet has a twin brother
- Layton loves animals and science
- Gracie had a terrible accident and died
- T.S. Spivet wins a science prize
- He invented the perpetual motion machine
- T.S. Spivet travels to Washington D.C. with his mum and dad
- He goes to Washington D.C. by plane



T.S. Spivet is a 10-year-old prodigy with a passion for maps and color on a ranch in Montana with his mother who is obsessed with the stars. He is a cowboy born a hundred years too late. His 14-year-old sister, Gracie, is a Miss America. His twin brother Layton loves the life on the ranch but he never speaks of this matter. When it happened, he was the winner of the very prestigious Baird Prize for his invention. He is invited to a reception in his hometown.



ACTIVITY FOUR - ANIMALS IN THE FILM

All these animals appear in the film, but a strong wind has mixed up all the letters in the names

- Pay attention and make the words



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ACTIVITY THREE - LIKES AND DISLIKES

All the members of the Spivet family love some things but hate other things.

Use the Simple Present Tense to write sentences about LIKES and DISLIKES. Follow the example in the phrases.

Clair likes reading mystery novels, but she doesn't like dancing.

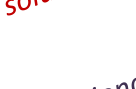


T.S. Spivet science the ranch

Tecumseh Spivet The West Science



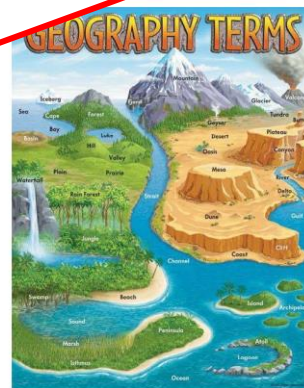
Clair Spivet beetles beauty contests



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At the beginning of the film, T.S. Spivet has to choose between THE PRAIRIE OF TRUTH or THE MOUNTAIN OF LIES. In other words, telling the truth or telling a lie about his long journey to Washington D.C. Prairies and mountains are very common in Montana, where the Spivet family has the ranch. Washington D.C. is on a river on the East coast of the USA, just across the country.

- Can you see these three words in the poster?
- Which of these geographical features can you find around your hometown?
- Study this vocabulary poster and learn as many words about geography as you can.

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The Smithsonian Institution is an ed is administered and funded by the its shops and its magazine. Most museums, zoo, and eight research and elsewhere. It has over one hundred a monthly magazine published by the The Smithsonian Institution was founded by the USA United States by had never visited the United States. The Smithsonian Institution Building on the National Mall is known as "The Castle," because its design looks similar to a European castle. Though the Smithsonian's first leader (called "Secretary"), Joseph Henry, wanted the institution to be a center for scientific research, before long it became the depository for various Washington and U.S. government collections. The voyage of the U.S. Navy went around the world between 1838 and 1842. The United States Exploring Expedition collected thousands of animal specimens, herbs, shells, minerals, tropical birds, jars of comets and ethnographic specimens from the South Pacific. These specimens and artifacts became part of the Smithsonian collections, as did those collected by the military and civilian surveys in the American West.



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Mum - toaster - make breakfast



notebooks - take notes of experiments

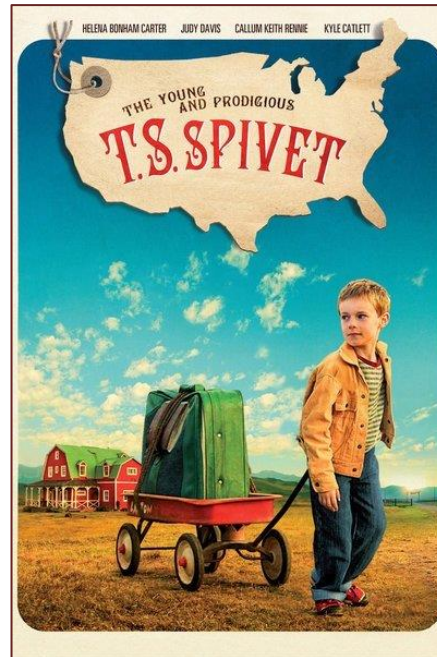


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