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In this delightful bedtime story, a little boy tries to go to sleep but is kept awake by the adorable, noisemaking tiger in his closet. After much pleading, the little boy soon discovers how to deal with a noisy tiger. Full color.

## Tiger Can't Sleep Details

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# From Reader Review Tiger Can't Sleep for online ebook

## **Kristina says**

Summary:

A young boy tries to fall asleep while contending with an overactive tiger fooling around in the closet.

Evaluation:

Great use of onomatopoeia throughout the book (bang, crunch, ker-thump).

Teacher Recommendation:

Mentor text about onomatopoeia. Just for fun read aloud.

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## **Kristi says**

One of my favorites! My son loved this book as a toddler!

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## **Flash says**

amazingly funny

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## **Cosette says**

Good right before bed. I particularly enjoyed the one minute of silence. And the next. And the next.

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## **Katelyn says**

I love these books. A boy who is trying to go to sleep scolds his tiger for being so noisy. Kids will identify with the tiger, trying unsuccessfully to settle down, while parents will recognize themselves in the little boy's pleas. My 3 year old and I highly enjoy this book.

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## **Jillian Anderson says**

This one always makes my students laugh! Perfect to pair with a nonfiction text about Tigers!

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**Lauren says**

The story was ok & fairly predictable. The art was only ok. So frustrating since I was looking forward to the book. :(

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**Christine Marie says**

This book is so much fun to read! I'm a teacher and the children ask for it a lot! It is great for teaching onomatopoeia. My first graders know what it means just because of this book. A fun story, great way to use different voices....Just an overall good book!!

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**Susan says**

Absolutely darling book about a tiger in a boy's closet who keeps the boy awake. Really fun ending, cute pics and lends itself well to sound effects, esp. using a mike. Kids can participate as the tiger by saying, "Oops! Tiger is sorry. Tiger will be quiet."

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**Olivia Slykhuis says**

Cute take on the monster in my closet theme; this boy has a noisy tiger in his closet. Sweet story, I like the illustrations, I think this would be a fun book for story time, except that it's a bit long. Would work well for slightly older kids (5+ maybe?).

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**Kristy Schwertfeger says**

This book is about a little boy who is trying to go to sleep one night, when he realizes there is a tiger in his closet. This tiger is making an awful amount of noise. The tiger is not scary or mean, just noisy! The boy spends a lot of time trying to get the tiger to be quiet. But soon the little boy realizes why tiger is so noisy, he cant sleep because he is afraid. This is a very cute book and students will also find it funny.

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**Joy Keil says**

Trying to avoid reading books that might make my little one develop a fear of something...so this one wasn't for us.

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## **Ashley Fischer says**

This illustrator seemed to use ink pen with water colors to fill in for color. The illustrator also used lines to direct your attention through the picture in a particular way. Horizontal lines moved the reader's eyes sideways through the picture and the vertical lines helped moved the reader's eyes up and down on the page. Another thing the illustrator used to portray a specific idea was value in the pictures. When the bedroom light was off the picture was darker and when the light was on the picture was brighter.

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## **Nicole Harding says**

This is a great take on the bedtime fear of something in the closet. There is a friendly tiger in the closet who keeps making noise preventing the child from falling asleep. Finally the child takes away the potato chips, the band instruments, the tap shoes, etc. The tiger then starts boo hoo-ing. Why? Because he is scared of the dark and lonely and asks to sleep with the child. The child agrees, but you know what happens next? The tiger starts snoring. OF COURSE! Lots of fun.

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## **Melanie says**

A little boy is ready for bed but can't sleep because there's a tiger in his closet eating chips! Then the tiger is bouncing a ball, doing cartwheels and playing band instruments. Finally the little boy has had enough and demands that the tiger stop making noise. But the tiger then tells him that he's afraid of the dark closet. So the boy invites him to bed with him and the ecstatic tiger leaps through the air.

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