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Childsplay's Student Activity Guide for

Today you saw a production of **Tomás and the Library Lady**, performed by Childsplay. Here are some things to think about and some activities to do now that you've seen the show!

Tell your family and/or friends about the play you saw.

◇ Tell them about the story and the characters: What happens in the beginning, the middle and the end of the play? How many characters can you remember? Which character was your favorite and why? What were some of the things the characters did? What was your favorite part of the play?

◇ Tell them about the costumes, scenery, props, and music that were used in the production. Draw pictures to help describe the different costumes and scenery.

◇ Tell them about something new that you learned from the play.

What do you remember? Fill in the blanks.

- 1) Tomás and his family drive to _____ so they can pick crops like _____ and _____.
- 2) Tomás's Texas teacher told Tomás he was _____ and told him not to speak _____. He was upset and confused because he didn't understand _____.
- 3) Tomás asks his Papa Grande to tell him a *cuento* or, in English, a _____.
- 4) The library lady lets Tomás _____ books from the library so he takes them home and reads to his _____.
- 5) Tomás teaches the library lady _____ words and she teaches him _____ words.

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