

## **ELINOR WONDERS WHY**

117 INTERSTITIAL: SENOR TAPIR

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FOLLOWS: "THESE SNEEZES"

CURRICULUM: Scientist Lydia Bourouiba followed her curiosity to find out where sneeze droplets go after someone sneezes.

LS2 - Understand that animals have different body parts that are used in different ways to meet their needs, and that plants have different parts that help them survive and grow:  
a) Identify body parts of animals and their function.

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Open on Senor Tapir, with his guitar, in the park of Animal Town, sitting on a tree stump at the edge of a pond. A group of kids sit at his feet, including Elinor.

Senor Tapir suddenly pauses to hold his elbow up to his nose, which twitches.

He puts his elbow down.

Senor Tapir sneezes right onto his guitar. He pulls out a bandana and wipes off his guitar.

5 SENOR TAPIR 5  
(chuckling) Whoops, that sneeze  
snuck up on me. Let's sing about a  
scientist who wondered about  
sneezes. \*

6 SENOR TAPIR (CONT'D) 6  
Have you ever wondered just what  
happens to your sneeze,  
When your sneeze flies from your  
mouth into the breeze? \*

Lydia Bourouiba (a Lynx -- she is from France and likes to rock climb, and the lynx is a mountainous mammal in France) crosses her arms and thinks, when a think bubble appears above her head, showing someone sneeze.

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An elephant stands next to Lydia in her lab, and the elephant sneezes while she smiles. \*

Whenever you sneeze,  
Think of the scientist who,  
Wondered what happens when you say  
Aaaaachoo!

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Senor Tapir finishes singing the song in front of the kids.

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| 8  | SENOR TAPIR (CONT'D)              | 8  |
|    | When you say,                     |    |
|    | Aaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaa-chooo!     |    |
| 9  | ELINOR                            | 9  |
|    | That was a really fun soo (she    |    |
|    | quickly holds her elbow up to her |    |
|    | nose) aaachoo!                    |    |
| 10 | SENOR TAPIR                       | 10 |
|    | Salud!                            |    |

The kids <giggle>.