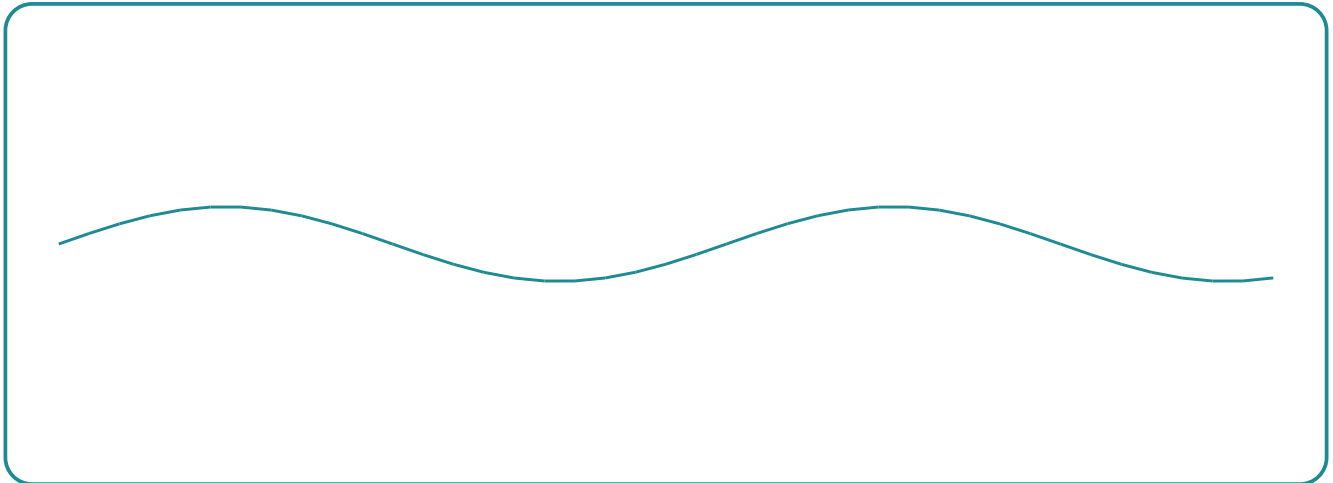


My River Map & Good Listener Card

An activity from Finn and his River of Words by Robin Ashlin

Finn's words are a river with stones in it — smooth in some places, bumpy in others. Both parts belong. Map your river, then give the cards to your best listeners.

- 1 Draw your river below. Wide and calm where talking feels easy (singing? talking to your pet?). Add stones where words bump. Stones are part of the song.



- 2 Cut out the two cards. Give one to your teacher and one to a friend — they say exactly how to listen to you well.

GOOD LISTENER CARD

- Look at me.
- Wait for me.
- Never finish my words.
- I'll get there.

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"Take all the time you need — I'll wait." — Finn