

Family Reading Guide for:

Please, Mr. Panda written and illustrated by Steve Antony

Below are some comments and questions to use when you share this book with your child. Pick a few that interest you and maybe add some of your own! The idea is to enjoy sharing the book with your child and talking about it as you read.

Explore the story together, talk about it, and most of all have FUN!

Note: Page number 1 is the first page of the story with writing. Before they first share the book with their child, some people like to put small numbered sticky notes or *very* light pencil markings in the book to tell them what page they are on. It does make it easier to use these questions!

The first page of this book begins with the words: Would you like a doughnut?

Page	Question
Cover	Who is on the cover of this book? How is Mr. Panda feeling? How can you tell?
1	What do you think Mr. Panda is going to say to the penguin?
5	What animal is Mr. Panda talking to? What do you know about this animal?
10	I wonder why the ostrich said no and told Mr. Panda to go away. What do you think?
15–16	Would you like a doughnut? How would you ask Mr. Panda for one?
17–18	Wait a minute, is there something funny about these pages? What do you think is happening?
19	Look how big these letters are! Why do you think that is?
21	Why did Mr. Panda give the lemur all of the doughnuts?
26	What is the lemur doing? Why do you think he's so sleepy?