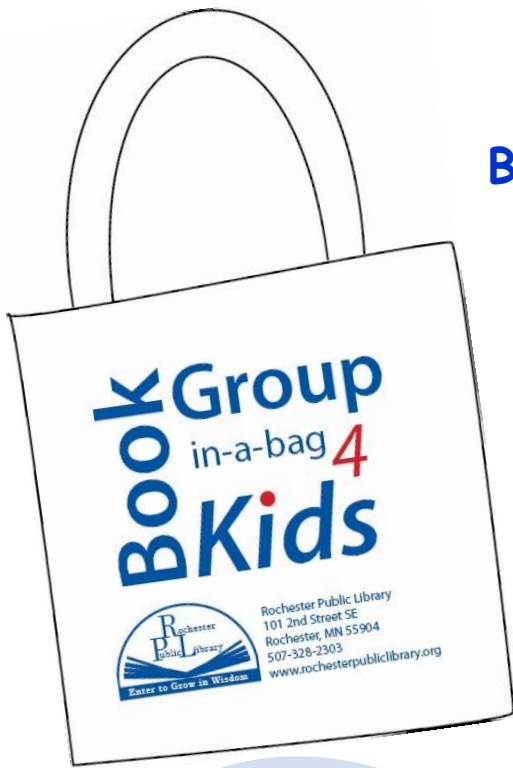


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My Father's Dragon

BY Ruth Stiles Gannett



Discussion Questions

1. Why did Father decide to go to Wild Island?
2. Describe Wild Island; what is your favorite thing on the island? What is your least favorite thing on the island?
3. Name five things Elmer packed in his knapsack for his trip to Wild Island. How did Elmer use these things and how were the animals on the island affected?
4. Why did the Boars think there was an invasion on their island?
5. What funny sight did Elmer see as he flew away from Wild Island?

The following website was used to help create the above discussion questions:
<http://www.randomhouse.com/teachers/pdf/myfathersdragon.pdf>

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