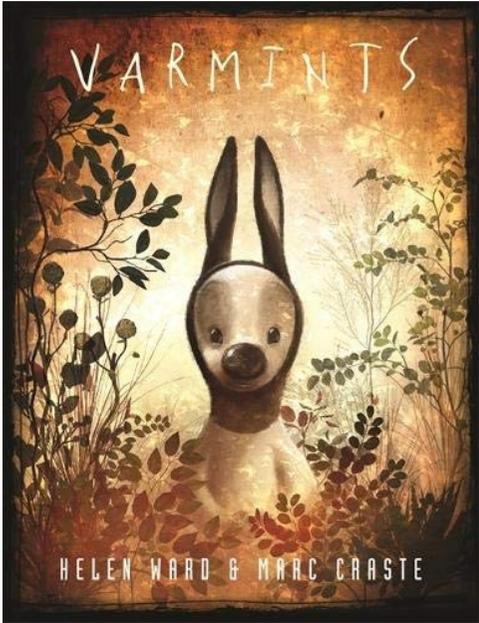


Year 5 Violet Spring 2: Where Did My School Dinner Start?

Sticky Knowledge		Topic Vocabulary		
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