



THE MIDNIGHT RAIDERS



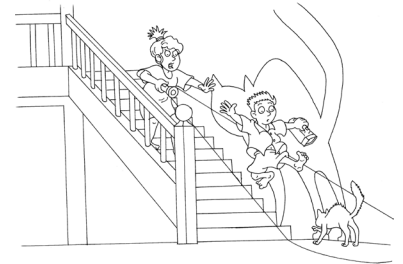
Word Work

Small Word Hunt

Now you have read "The Midnight Raiders", can you work on the words in the story? Since all words in English are made up of the same 26 letters, you can recombine them endlessly. For example a word like

dinosaur

can give you the following



aid, air, an, and, dais, darn, din, do, don, dour, drain, dun, duo, in, ion, is, iron, no, nod, nor, oar, on, or, our, raid, rain, ran, rid, rind, road, roan, rod, ruin, run, sad, said, sand, sari, sin, sir, so, soar, sod, soda, son, sour, sun, us (48)

Here are eight words from the story. Can you find other smaller words inside them?

grandfathers

something

staircase

cockroaches

floorboards

favourite

brilliant

chocolate