



## **Reading/Writing Connection**

 File It! - Complete the Favorite Books File handout to share with a classmate. Go to: http://read.ssisd.net/read\_tac\_toe/docs/Favbookfile.pdf
Mail It! - Summarize the story on a postcard from one of the characters to a friend or family member. Illustrate the postcard on one side, and create the summary on the other side.
Make Believe It! A Day With ... - Pretend you can spend a day with one of the characters. Which character would you choose? Why? What would you do all day? Who might you meet? Write at least a one paragraph response.

## **Technology Connection**

- Humor It! Use the Story Elements Comic Strip Planning Sheet to plan a comic strip. Then use the Comic Creator at <u>http://www.readwritethink.org/materials/comic/index.html</u> to retell your story as a comic strip.
  - Web It! Using Inspiration or Kidspiration, make a story web for you book including the story elements of setting, characters, problem, and resolution. Choose several graphics to make the web colorful and interesting.

## **Teacher Suggestion**