

Once upon a time, in a cozy neighbourhood filled with laughter and play, there lived a boy named David, and he had the biggest, brightest smile you could imagine. But one day, David had some big news to share with his friends.

"Guess what, everyone?" David exclaimed, his eyes sparkling with excitement. "My family and I are going on an adventure! We're moving all the way to Israel!"

His friends gasped in surprise, their eyes widening with wonder. "Israel? Wow, that's so far away!" they said as they imagined distant lands and new adventures.

David nodded eagerly, full of excitement. "Yes, isn't it amazing? Israel is a special place for Jewish people like us. It's where our ancestors lived, and now it's our turn to be a part of this incredible journey!"

His friends gathered around him. "But why Israel?" they asked, their faces filled with curiosity.

David smiled, ready to share the secrets of his heritage. "Well, you see, just like how each country has its own special place for its people, Israel is like a special home for Jews. God promised it to us a long, long time ago, and now it's time for my family to go back there."

As David explained the history and the meaning behind their journey, his friends listened with wide-eyed wonder, listening very carefully as





if it were the most exciting adventure story they had ever heard. Especially when he mentioned Jerusalem which is the capital of Israel, and Bethlehem, and Jericho. It reminded them of the Bible stories they have heard.

"And guess what?" David continued, his voice filled with enthusiasm. "In Israel, we'll speak a whole new language called Hebrew! It's like unlocking a secret code to a whole new world of possibilities!"

His friends cheered, thrilled at the thought of learning a new language and exploring a new land alongside their dear friend.

As the days flew by, David's friends gathered around him, helping him pack his suitcase and sharing in the bittersweet excitement of his departure. Each item David packed held a special memory, and his friends eagerly picked out gifts to remember him by.

Through tears and laughter, they celebrated their friendship and the incredible journey David was about to embark on. And as they said goodbye, they knew that no matter how far apart they may be, their friendship would always remain as strong as ever.

With hugs, laughter, and promises to write letters filled with stories of their adventures, David said goodbye to his friends, his heart full of gratitude for the love and support that surrounded him.

And as he embarked on his journey to Israel, he knew that no matter where life may take him, he would always carry with him the cherished memories of his friends and the special moments they shared together. For in their hearts, they would always be connected, no matter how far apart they were.













Which items should David pack in his suitcase?

Cut out the suitcase, glue along the sides and make your suitcase.

Colour in and cut out the items you want David to pack.





