

Title Information Sheet: *Chomp the Chimp and the Noisy Night*

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Description:

In this third installment of *The Adventures of Chomp the Chimp* children’s picture book series, Chomp’s peaceful day of exploration takes a surprising turn when the sun begins to set. As the shadows deepen, Chomp notices unfamiliar sounds of ribbits, hoots, howls, and mysterious rhythmic tapping. With his father’s patient guidance, Chomp learns that the “noisy” night is simply the forest speaking in a different way. From the merry crickets to the wise, old owl, each sound tells a story of a world that is just as safe and alive in the darkness as it is in the light.

Rooted in principles of early childhood psychology, told in gentle rhyme, and paired with soft, expressive illustrations, this third installment of *The Adventures of Chomp the Chimp* series helps young readers navigate uncertainty without fear by learning how careful attention can turn the unknown into something recognizable and calm.

Bibliographic Information:

Format:	<u>Hardcover picture book</u>	<u>Softcover picture book</u>
Cover Finish:	Gloss	Gloss
Trim Size:	8.5 × 8.5 inches	8.5 × 8.5 inches
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Illustration by:	Marta Maszkiewicz, M.Arch.	

Audience:

Grade Level: Pre-K – 2
Age Range: 3 – 7
Intended Use: Family reading, read-aloud, classroom sharing, independent browsing, Social-Emotional Learning (SEL) curriculum support.

Themes & Educational Relevance: Adaptability and flexibility, emotional self-regulation, Social-Emotional Learning (SEL), sensory awareness. The book’s calm pacing and rhythmic language support thoughtful engagement and provide a "low-stimulation" alternative for sensitive readers.

Series Information: The Adventures of Chomp the Chimp is a picture-book series centered on quiet exploration, nature awareness, and emotional self-regulation through gentle, nature-based storytelling.

About the Author: Franco E. Santos, MA, Ed.D is a U.S. Army Veteran and former professor of Psychology. He holds a master’s degree in Psychology and doctoral degree in Education. His work integrates developmental science with traditional storytelling to support early childhood education.