

“Paws” for Great Books!

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Activity Suggestions

- Introduce your students to the Lewis & Clark expedition by highlighting the Newfoundland dog, Seaman, who accompanied them on their journey. (See the list of suggested books about Seaman on page 23 of the November issue.)
- Have students write about their favorite story of Seaman's adventures and post them on the board.
- After acquainting your students with the characteristics of a Newfoundland dog, have students give examples of how these characteristics made Seaman a valuable addition to the expedition.
- Have students research a different breed of dog (of their choice) and write a report or list of characteristics for that breed, explaining why that dog would make a valuable addition on an exploration such as the one Lewis & Clark made.
- Have students write stories about adventures they have had with their own pets.

Seaman bookmark pattern

