



Pre-Activity Prep: Choose words to put in the treasure box coin and cover area. These words can be descriptors that draw from the book and show different sides of tough Boris: *sad, tough, bold, mean*. Write the words in the coin and cover area.

Roll one copy of the map and put a ribbon around it. Unroll it when ready, saying...

Instructions to children:

1. Let's make treasure maps about ourselves.
2. Put your name on or near the treasure box, because you are a treasure!
3. Circle any of the words in the treasure box that sometimes describe you. Each of us has multiple sides, and while we may not always be mean or sad, the truth is that sometimes we can be those things.
4. Put your own words on the islands—words that describe how you are most of the time. If you need help spelling the words, please ask.
5. Turn your paper over when you're finished, and tell us about your map by drawing or writing about it. How can we get to the "you" that you've circled or written onto the islands? What kinds of things, for instance, would make you act mean? What might make you sad? What helps you be adventurous or sporty or loving or funny?

