Dear Tooth Fairy,

Thank you for the money!

But without my tooth, I sure look funny!
Without my tooth, I can’t whistle a tune.
I make no noise and my face turns blue.

Without my tooth, I can’t bite a pear.
I look so silly that my friends all stare.
Without my tooth, I can’t drink through a straw.
I make the biggest mess you ever saw.

Without my tooth, nothing is going well.
I miss my tooth as you can tell.
So I’d like to make a deal and that’s the truth.

Please take your money and leave my tooth!
How to Use the Reproducibles

Give each student a copy of the reproducibles. Instruct the student to color the illustration above booklet page 6. Then have him cut out the cover and booklet pages on the bold outer lines. Next, direct him to stack his pages in numerical order, placing the cover on top. Have him align the stacked pages with the tooth on booklet page 6. Staple the pages along the left-hand side. Then read a completed booklet with students. Provide time for students to read their booklets with one another. Encourage students to take their booklets home to read to family members. Reading the tooth truth to friends and family members will promote big smiles!

Creative Decorating Options

• Apply glitter glue along the dotted lines of the illustration.
• Apply small star stickers to the fairy’s robe.

Extend this booklet activity by having each youngster count the number of teeth in his mouth. Calculate the total and post it on a wall chart. Then each time a student loses a tooth, change the total.

Finished Sample

May We Make a Deal?

Richard

Name