

## Pepita Talks Twice

### Vocabulary Words

**stubborn** headstrong or unyielding

**grumble** a silent complaint

**mumbled** said in a low, unclear way

**exploded** burst apart

**darted** moved swiftly

**streak** a quick flash of movement

**languages** systems of sounds and symbols used to communicate ideas

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I noticed Pepita could speak two languages.

Pepita darted to her neighbor's yard when the water hose exploded!

Pepita was stubborn and liked to mumble and grumble about everything.

A streak of light went through the sky when we were at lunch.

**Practice:** Write the vocabulary word that completes each sentence.  
(Complete in your exercise book)

1. I noticed that my neighbors could speak two \_\_\_\_\_.
2. "I want my friends to listen when I talk," \_\_\_\_\_ Pepita.
3. I wish you wouldn't \_\_\_\_\_ I can't hear you clearly
4. My \_\_\_\_\_ dog \_\_\_\_\_ across my neighbor's yard like a \_\_\_\_\_ of lightning when I called his name.
5. The classroom \_\_\_\_\_ with laughter when the teacher was being silly.