

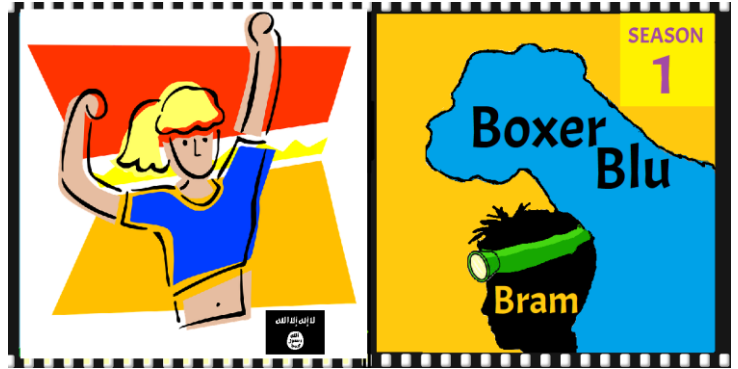
# Little News Ears

## Lesson Plan Suggestions

**BoxerBlu & Bram – News for 4 Year-Olds**

**Season 1 – Episode 35** – November 1, 2019

**Keywords:** bees in skyscrapers, ISIS, Baghdadi, Bloodsuckers, Impeachment



Item #1 – “How a Rooftop Meadow of Bees and Butterflies Shows NYC’s Future’

Author: Anne Barnard

Source: New York Times

Link: <https://www.nytimes.com/2019/10/26/nyregion/green-roofs-nyc.html>

**Activities – The Arts - Drama** [Bee Keeper Dramatic Play](#)

Item #2 – Title: ‘Pentagon releases video of raid that killed ISIS leader Abu Bakr al-Baghdadi’

Author: Andrew O’ Reilly

Source: Fox News

Link: <https://www.foxnews.com/politics/baghdadi-raid-video-pentagon-release-isis>

**Activities – Social Studies - Religion** – [The Story of Islam – Coloring Book](#)

Item #3 – ‘Meet the Bloodsuckers’

Authors: James Gorman

Source: New York Times

Link: <https://www.nytimes.com/2019/10/28/science/vampires-blood-licees.html>

**Activity – STEAM – Science** [EEEE! Leeches: An All-Purpose Scientific Inquiry Lab](#)

Item #4 - ‘A Divided House Endorses Impeachment Inquiry Into Trump.’

Author: Nicholas Fandos and Sheryl Gay Stolberg

Source: New York Times

Link: <https://www.nytimes.com/2019/10/31/us/politics/house-impeachment-vote.html>

**Activity – Social Studies - Government** - [Introducing Democracy and Patriotism to Preschoolers](#)

Item #5– Title: ‘Professors, Beware. In China, Student Spies Might Be Watching.’

Author: Javier C. Hernandez

Source: New York Times

Link: <https://www.nytimes.com/2019/11/01/world/asia/china-student-informers.html>

**Activity – Social Studies – World Cultures** [Traditional Chinese Games](#)