## Ballet for Martha: MAKING APPALACHIAN SPRING

## A RIF VOCABULARY SCAFFOLD

acrobat: someone who does tricks for other people, like walking on a tightrope in the circus



angular: something that has a lot of angles or pointed edges

**ballet:** a kind of dancing that uses costumes, music, and sets to tell a story

farmhouse: a house on a farm, in pioneer days made of wood from trees on the farm

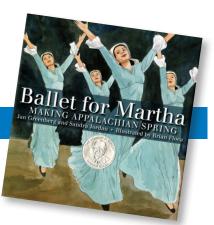




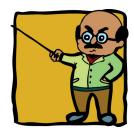
frontier: a place far away from cities; a place where not many people live

obstacle course: a path that has a lot of things people have to jump or climb over in

order to go through



severe: very serious or strict; harsh



solemn: sad and serious



**tantrum:** a fit; a fuss; a moment of anger



**troupe:** a group of dancers who work together





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