

## Hot Video Picks!

### **FISH!**

13624 VH

TA 17 min 2001 Charthouse Int'l.

FISH! is the story of Mary Jane's journey of self-discovery. Along the way she and her team discover they have the power to create the workplace of their dreams through the choices they make every day. Imagine a workplace where everyone chooses to bring energy, passion and a positive attitude with them each day. An environment in which people are truly connected to their work, to their colleagues and to their customers. FISH! is a tool to help you to lead people toward creating that environment.

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look for it—the organization you work in, the family or community you live in. The characters in this story are faced with unexpected change. Eventually, one of them deals with change successfully, and writes what he has learned from his experience on the maze walls. This animated movie is based on the #1 best-selling business book, used in large and small organizations around the world.

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### **October Sky**

13581 VH

IJS 108 min 2000 Library Video Co.

In Coalwood, West Virginia, 1957, coal mining is king and no one can escape life underground. But when high schooler Homer Hickam, Jr. sees the Soviet satellite Sputnik streak overhead, he aims for the stars and a new destiny in this incredible true story of hope, determination and triumph. With the help of his teacher (Laura Dern), Homer sets out to build his own rocket. Despite his father's disapproval, a limited education and a series of misfires, that threaten to flatten his dreams and the town, Homer overcomes seemingly impossible odds to fulfill his vision in one of the most timeless, inspiring stories ever brought to the screen.

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### **The Whipping Boy**

13684 VH

IJ 38 min 1988 AIMS Instr. Media Services Inc.

Jemmy, the orphaned rat catcher, serves as the whipping boy to the arrogant Prince Brat. Pursued by kidnapers, the two boys switch roles only to learn the true meaning of compassion, loyalty and friendship. This video may be used to motivate children to read the book "The Whipping Boy" and to introduce the genre of historical fiction.

ENG.I.5 Literature - General, Adventure Stories, American Lit.; Language Arts; Literature; Hot Video Picks

### **Who Moved My Cheese?**

13389 VH

AT 13 min 1999 CRM Educational Films

A simple parable that reveals profound truths about change. An enlightening animated story of four characters who live in a maze and look for cheese to nourish them and make them happy. "Cheese" is a metaphor for what you want in life—a good job, loving relationships, money, health or peace of mind. "The maze" is where you