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Read the comprehensions and answer the following questions.



One day, in a small town a magician was showing many tricks. Everyone laughed and clapped loudly. He put his hand into his long hat and pulled out a white rabbit. All the people went clap, clap, clap! After the magician's show was over he went to another town. On his way he passed through the jungle.

Answer the questions given below.

Q. Who was showing many tricks in a small town?

A. _____

Q. What animal did the magician take out from the hat?

A. _____

Q. What did the people do when they saw the rabbit?

A. _____

Q. After the show was over where did the magician go?

A. _____

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A tiger had seen the magician take out a rabbit from the hat. The tiger came up to the magician and growled loudly. “Take out a cub from the hat for me,” shouted the tiger. The poor magician shook with fear. He bent his head and said, “Sir, I can not make any animal. I had the rabbit in my bag.”

Write the correct answer .

1. A _____ had seen the magician take out a rabbit from the hat.

zebra / tiger

2. The tiger came up to the _____ and growled loudly.

magician / people

3. “Take out a _____ from the hat for me,” shouted the tiger.

kitten / cub

4. The poor magician shook with _____ .

cold / fear

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The tiger growled, “If you do not take out a cub from your hat I will eat you up.” The magician shook with fear. Just then he had an idea and he stopped shaking. He said, “Sir, you will have to eat only grass for one month. I will take out a cub from my hat after that.” The tiger agreed.

Answer the questions given below.

Q. What animal did the tiger want the magician to take out from the hat?

A. _____

Q. What will happen to the magician if he did not take the cub?

A. _____

Q. Why did the magician stop shaking?

A. _____

Q. What did the magician want the tiger to eat for one month?

A. _____

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After one month the tiger became very weak. The tiger met the magician for the cub. The magician said, “I will now take out a baby of your family, sir.” The magician pulled out a brown kitten from his hat. It cried m-e-e-o-w! The weak tiger was very angry and tried to growl. He went M-E-E-E-O-O-O-W-W. Everyone laughed and clapped and the poor tiger ran away into the jungle.

1. After one _____ the tiger became very weak.

month / day

2. The magician pulled out a brown _____ from his hat.

tiger / kitten

3. the weak tiger was very _____ and tried to growl.

angry / happy

4. The poor tiger ran away into the _____ .

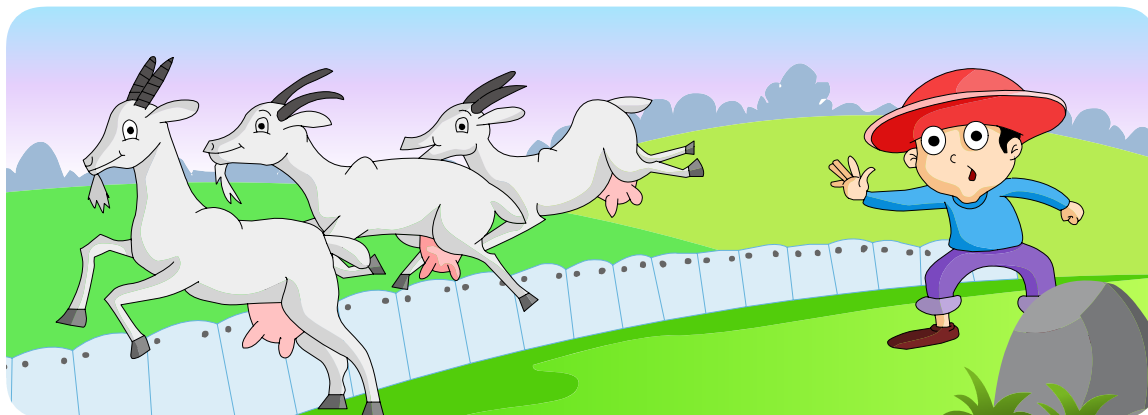
town / jungle

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Every day Jim took his three goats to feed on the hillside. The goats fed and played till it was time to go home. One day the goats jumped the fence into a field of carrots. Jim called the goats: Hey! Come home! But no! The goats did not come. Jim was sad. Jim sat down at the fence and cried: Boo! Boo!

Write the correct answer .

1. Jim took his three goats to feed on the _____ .

hillside/hilltop

2. The goats fed and _____ till it was time to go home.

sang/played

3. One day the goats jumped the fence into a field of _____ .

carrots/potatoes

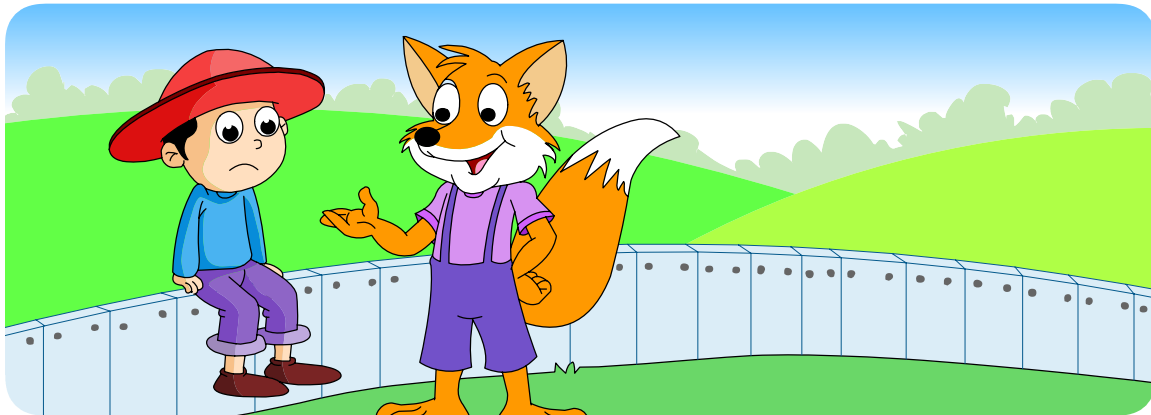
4. Jim sat down at the fence and _____ : Boo! Boo!.

laughed/cried

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A great big fox saw Jim crying. He asked: Sweet boy! Why are you crying? Jim: Look there! I can not get my three goats out of that carrot field. Fox: Don't cry! I will get your goats. The fox ran round and round, after the three goats. But no! The goats did not come. The fox sat down with Jim and cried: Boo! Boo!

Answer the questions given below.

Q. What animal saw Jim crying?

A. _____

Q. Where were Jim's goats?

A. _____

Q. How many goats were in the carrot field?

A. _____

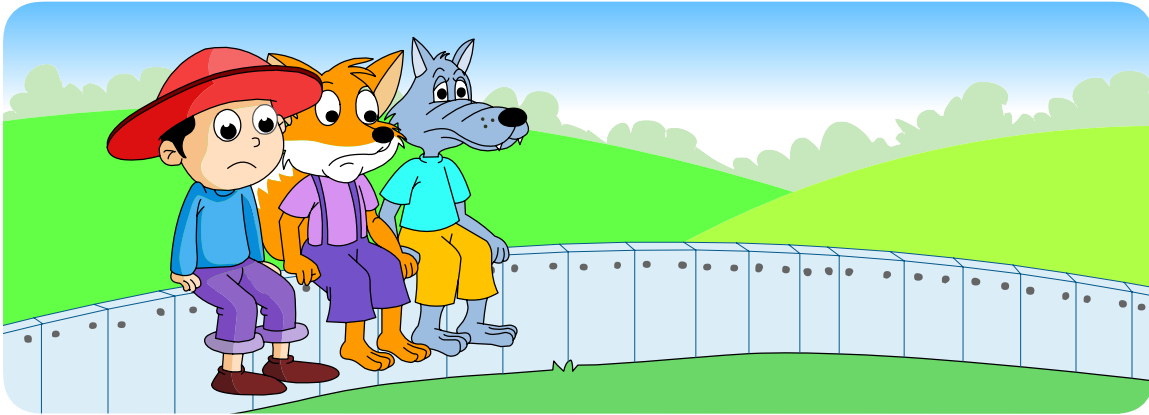
Q. Why did the fox run after the goats?

A. _____

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A big wolf saw the great big fox crying and asked: Hey brother! Why are you crying? The fox: The sweet boy is crying and so I am crying. We can not get his three goats out of the carrot field. Wolf: I will get the goats out in a jiffy! The wolf ran after the goats. Whoa! Whoa! But no! The goats did not come. Jim, the fox and the wolf went: Boo! Boo!

Answer the questions given below.

Q. What animal saw the great big fox crying?

A. _____

Q. Whom did the fox see crying?

A. _____

Q. What did the wolf do to get the goats out of the field?

A. _____

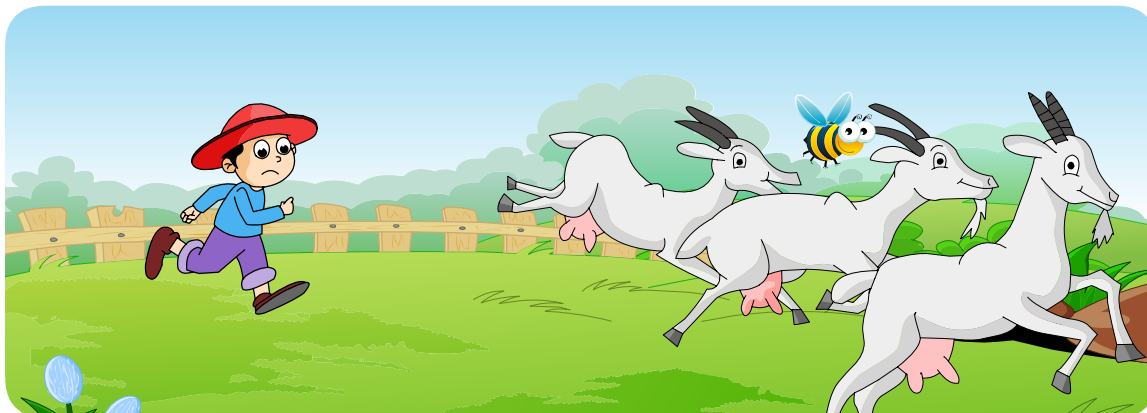
Q. Did the goats come out of the field when the wolf ran after them?

A. _____

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A small bee saw the big wolf crying. The bee: Hi! Big Wolf! Why are you all crying? The wolf showed the bee the three goats in the carrot field. We can not get them out! The little bee: Don't cry! I will get the goats. The little bee flew to the big goat and said in its ear: Buzz-z-z-z-z! At that – leap, jump and run. All the goats ran back to Jim's home! They did not want to be stung!

Write the correct answer .

1. A small _____ saw the big wolf crying.

ant/bee

2. The _____ showed the bee the three goats in the carrot field.

wolf/fox

3. The little bee flew to the big goat and said in its _____ :
Buzz!

nose/ear

4. All the goats _____ back to Jim's home!

ran/walked

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In a thick jungle there lived a big lion. He was very strong. He was the king of the jungle. All the other animals were afraid of him. They would run and hide, when they heard the lion roar.

Answer the questions given below.

Q. Where did the lion live?

A. _____

Q. Was the lion strong or weak?

A. _____

Q. Which animal was the king of the jungle?

A. _____

Q. What did the other animals do when the lion roared?

A. _____

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The lion was not afraid of anyone except the crowing of a cock. When the lion heard a cock crow he would start shaking with fear. The lion would hide himself where no one could find him. He thought that the crowing of the cock was going to hurt him.

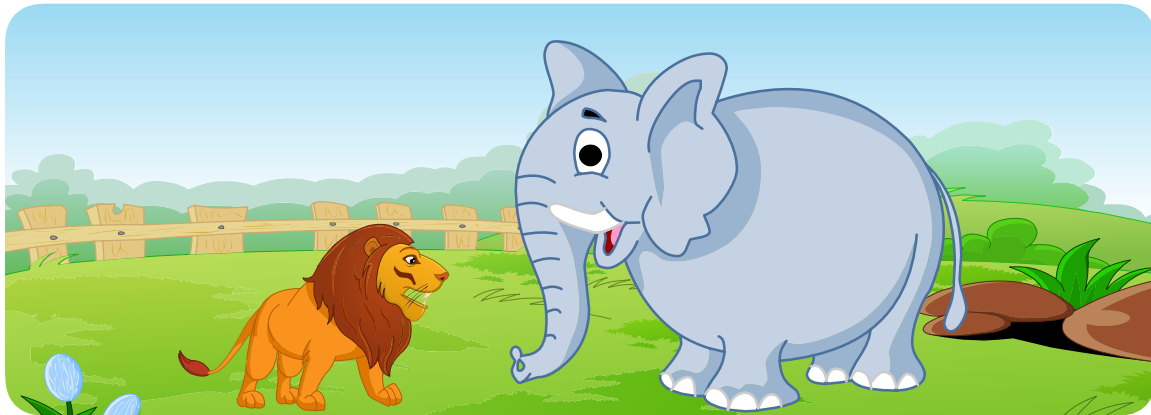
Fill in the blanks to match the story.

1. The lion was not afraid of anyone except the crowing of a c_____.
2. When the lion heard a cock crow he would start shaking with f_____.
3. The l_____ would hide himself where no one could find him.
4. He thought that the crowing of the cock was going to h_____ him.

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One day the lion told his friend, the elephant, about his fear of the cock's crowing. The elephant found this fear very funny and laughed loudly. "How can the crowing of a cock hurt you?" he asked the lion. "Just think about it and tell me."

Answer the questions given below.

Q. What was the lion afraid of?

A. _____

Q. Which animal was the lion's friend?

A. _____

Q. Why did the elephant laugh loudly?

A. _____

Q. What did the elephant ask the lion to do?

A. _____

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Just then a mosquito went round and round the elephant's head. The poor elephant was so afraid that he tried to hit the mosquito with his trunk. He cried, "If the mosquito goes into my ear it will hurt me!" On hearing these words the lion laughed loudly. "How can a mosquito hurt the elephant, just think about it." Ha! Ha! Ha!

Fill in the blanks to match the story.

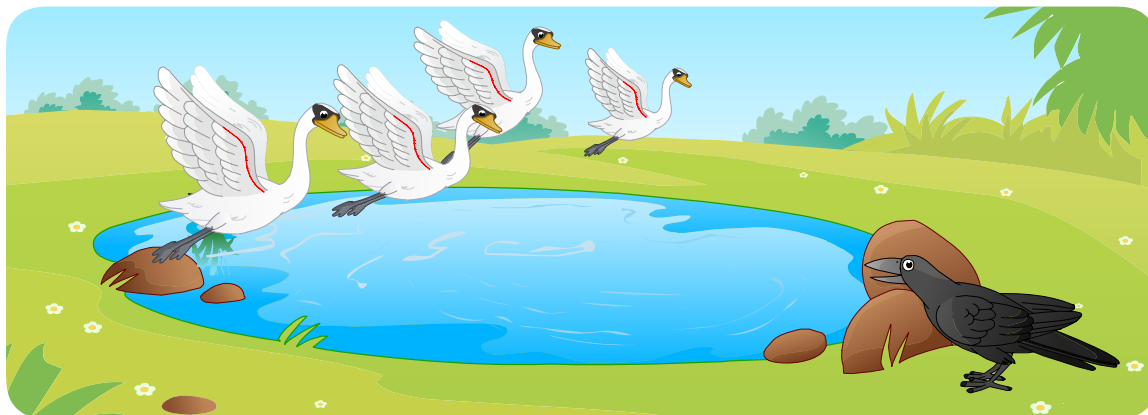
1. Just then a m_____ went round and round the elephant's head.
2. He tried to hit the mosquito with his t_____.
3. If the mosquito goes into my e_____. it will hurt me!
4. How can a mosquito hurt the elephant, just t_____ about it.

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Date: _____

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Read the comprehensions and answer the following questions.



A crow was hopping around a pond. Just then a flock of swans came flying, to the pond. They came with a loud flap, flap, flap! The crow said to the swans: Ugh! You do not know how to fly! Let us have a match to see who flies better. I will show you what good flying is.

Answer the questions given below.

Q. What bird was hopping near the pond?

A. _____

Q. What birds came flapping to the pond?

A. _____

Q. What will the match, between the crow and swans, tell?

A. _____

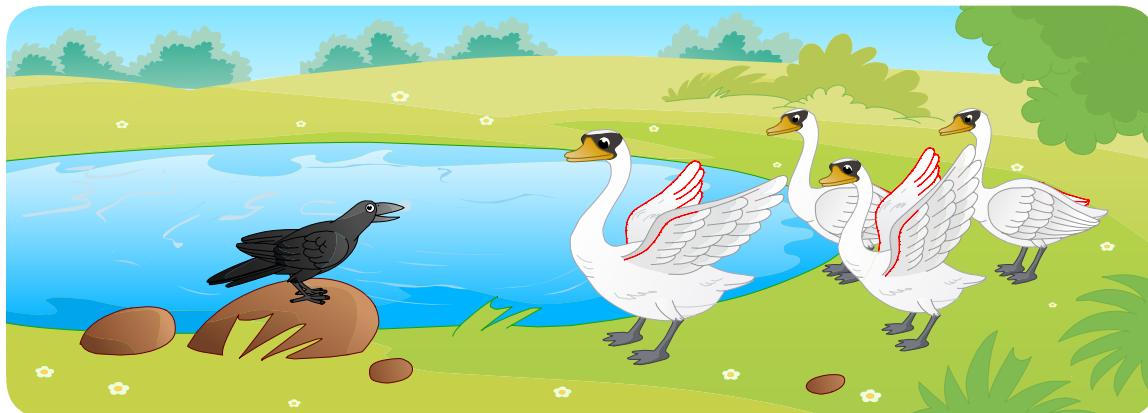
Q. What will the crow show to the swans?

A. _____

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Date: _____

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The swans were angry with the crow. One young swan came to the front. He said, “I am ready for the match. Mr. Crow, you will soon see that the swans fly better!” The crow showed many flying tricks. Now it was the turn of the young swan to show how well he could fly.

Fill in the blanks to match the story.

1. The swans were happy with the crow.

2. One young swan came to the front.

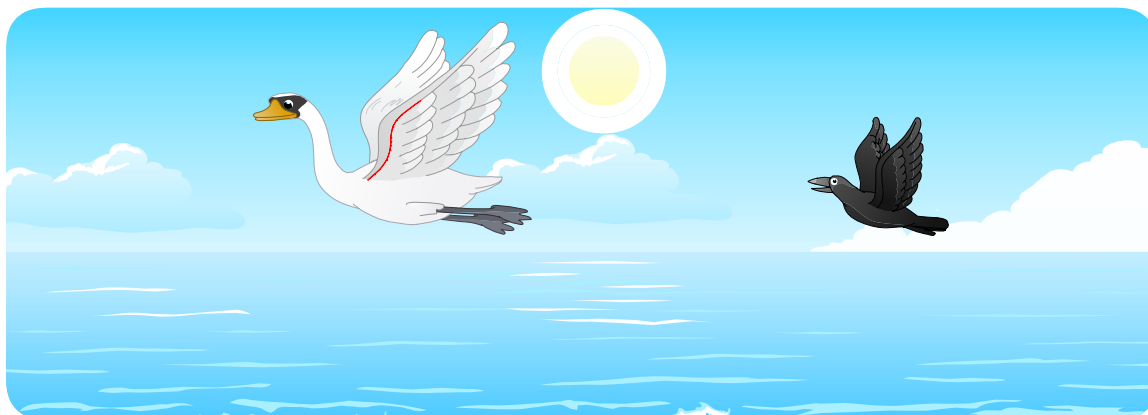
3. The crow showed many flying tricks.

4. Now it was the turn of the young swan to sing.

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The young swan flew towards the sea. The crow came after the swan. The swan flew over the sea, far away from land. The crow was soon tired. Ouch! The crow nearly fell into the sea. See the swan go flap, flap, flap over the great sea.

Fill in the blanks to match the story.

1. The young swan flew towards the sea.

2. The swan flew over the jungle.

3. The crow was soon tired.

4. The crow nearly fell into the pond.

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The young swan asked the crow: Hi! Mr. Crow! Why are your feet touching the sea water? The crow said, “I am sorry. I can not fly as well as a swan. I am afraid that I will drown. Please help me. I promise that I will never make fun of anyone.” The swan helped the crow get back to land. The swans and the crow became good friends.

Answer the questions given below.

Q. What part of the crow’s body touched the sea water?

A. _____

Q. What bird flew better, over the sea?

A. _____

Q. What was the crow afraid of?

A. _____

Q. What did the crow promise?

A. _____

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In the thick jungle, near a big river, there lived a deer. He was very smart so the crocodiles in the river could not catch and eat him up. His home was full of trees and fruits and he spent his time playing and singing, near his home.

Fill in the blanks to match the story.

1. In the thick jungle, near a big r_____, there lived a deer.
2. The crocodiles in the river could not c_____and eat him up.
3. His home was full of trees and f_____.
4. He spent his time p_____and singing near his home.

Name: _____

Date: _____

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One day the deer saw a new fruit. They were yellow mangoes. The trees, across the river, were full of yellow, ripe mangoes. He wanted to eat the mangoes. He went to the riverbank, to see how to cross it. Oh, no! There was no bridge! And if he swam, the crocodiles in the river, would eat him up.

Answer the questions given below.

Q. What was the new fruit that the deer saw?

A. _____

Q. Where were the mango trees?

A. Across the _____

Q. Where did the deer go to see how to cross the river?

A. To the _____

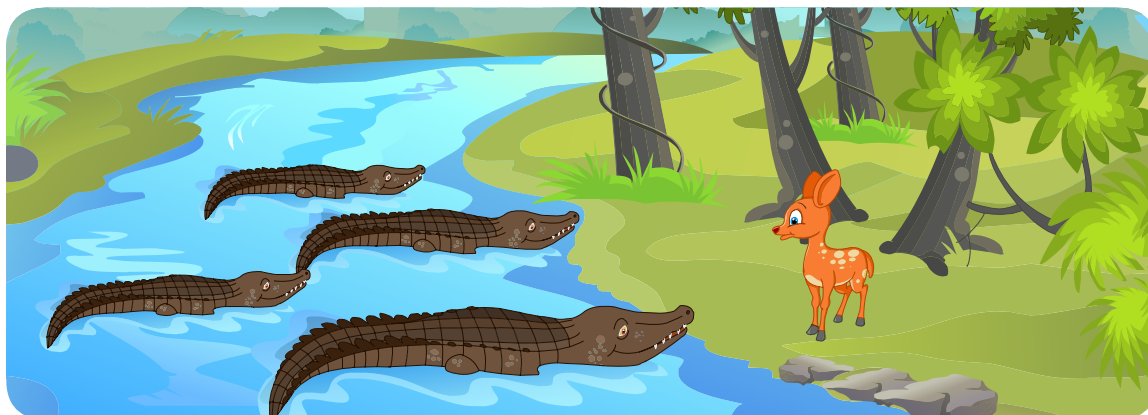
Q. What animals were in the river?

A. _____

Name: _____

Date: _____

Time: ____ : ____ - ____ : ____



Great! The deer had an idea! He called all the crocodiles to the riverbank. The deer told them that the king was giving a big party. The king wanted to invite all the crocodiles. The king wanted the deer to count all the crocodiles in the river.

Fill in the blanks to match the story.

1. Great! The deer had an i_____!

2. He called all the c_____ to the riverbank.

3. The k_____ wanted to invite all the crocodiles.

4. The king wanted the d_____ to count all the crocodiles in the river.

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Time: _____ : _____ - _____ : _____



The deer asked the crocodiles to line up, across the river. He would then count all the crocodiles. He jumped on the crocodiles and reached the other end of the river. So he thanked the crocodiles for their help. Gosh! The deer had tricked them all!

Answer the questions given below.

Q. Where did the crocodiles line up?

A. Across the _____

Q. Why did the deer ask the crocodiles to line up?

A. To _____

Q. How did the deer reach the other end of the river?

A. By _____ on the _____.

Q. What animal tricked the crocodiles?

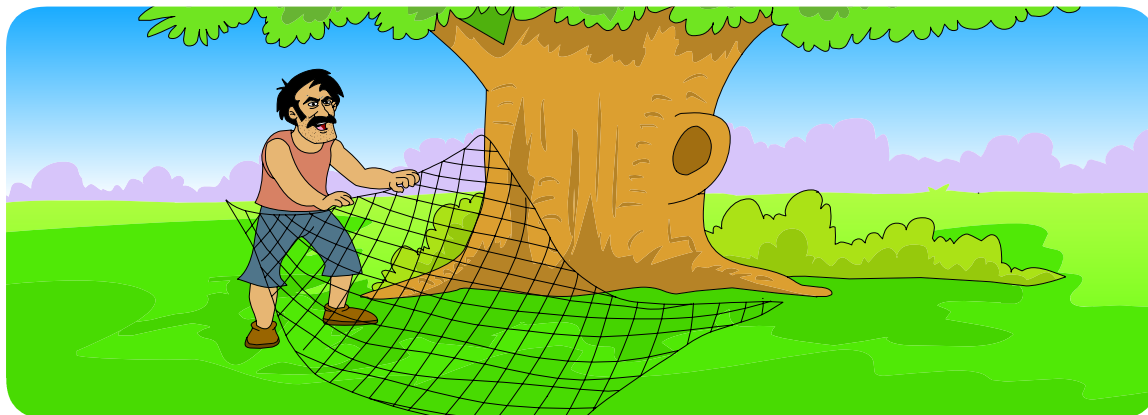
A. The _____

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Early one morning a hunter took his huge net and went into the jungle. He spread his net under a big tree. W-h-o-o-s-h! “Many birds come to this tree everyday. I am sure I will get a good catch today,” said the hunter.

Fill in the blanks to match the story.

1. A h_____ took his huge net and went into the jungle.

2. He spread his net u_____ a big tree.

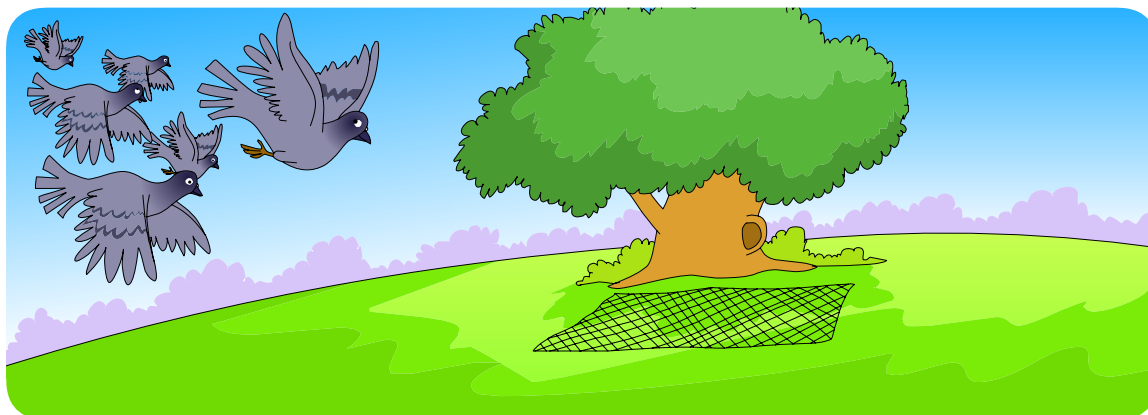
3. Many b_____ come to this tree everyday.

4. I am sure I will get a good catch t_____.

Name: _____

Date: _____

Time: ____ : ____ - ____ : ____



The hunter spread rice grains on the net. He hid behind the bushes and waited for the birds to come. A flock of young pigeons were flying that way with their king. They saw the rice grains on the ground. Yum, yum! Let us go down and have a party!

Answer the questions given below.

Q. What did the hunter spread on the net?

A. _____

Q. Where did the hunter hide?

A. _____

Q. What birds saw the rice grains?

A. _____

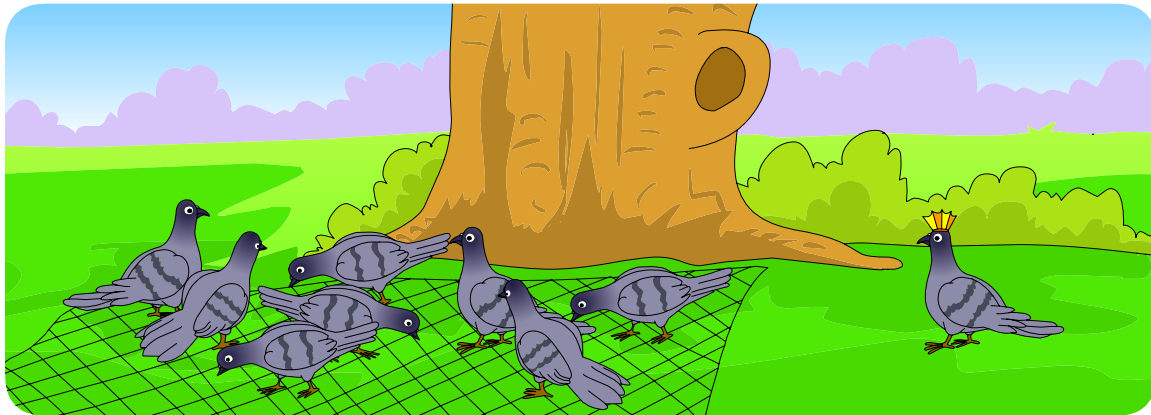
Q. Why did the pigeons come down?

A. _____

Name: _____

Date: _____

Time: ____ : ____ - ____ : ____



The King Pigeon tried to stop the young pigeons from going down. They did not listen. The young pigeons were hungry and so they came down. Wow! The party was fun! Now let us fly away. O-o-o-o-p-s! What is this? Why can't we fly? O-o-o-o! It hurts! The pigeons were trapped in the net! What to do?

Answer the questions given below.

Q. Who tried to stop the young pigeons from going down?

A. _____

Q. Who did not listen to the King Pigeon?

A. _____

Q. Why did the young pigeons come down?

A. _____

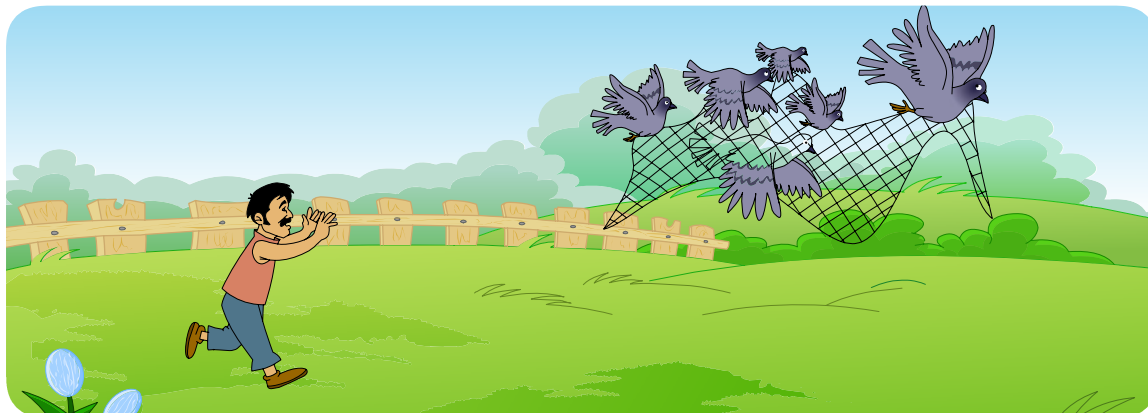
Q. What happened to the pigeons after their party?

A. _____

Name: _____

Date: _____

Time: ____ : ____ - ____ : ____



One by one the pigeons flapped their small wings, to fly. But no! The net held them tight. The King Pigeon had an idea! I will count one – two – three! All of us will flap our wings and fly together. Oh! Look! The pigeons are high in the sky! Hunter: Oh, no! Pigeons and net – everything is lost!

Fill in the blanks to match the story.

1. One by one the p_____ flapped their small wings.

2. The net held them t_____.

3. All of us will flap our w_____ and fly together.

4. The pigeons are h_____ in the sky!

Name: _____

Date: _____

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For many days a great king was out with his army. The soldiers had eaten all the food they had got. They had no more food and were hungry. The king sent his men to the biggest field: Go! Bring all the corn from the field. A hundred soldiers marched off looking for a big corn field.

Write the correct answer .

1. For many days the king was out with his _____ .

friends / army

2. The soldiers had eaten all the food they had _____ .

got / found

3. The king sent his men to the biggest _____ .

hill / field

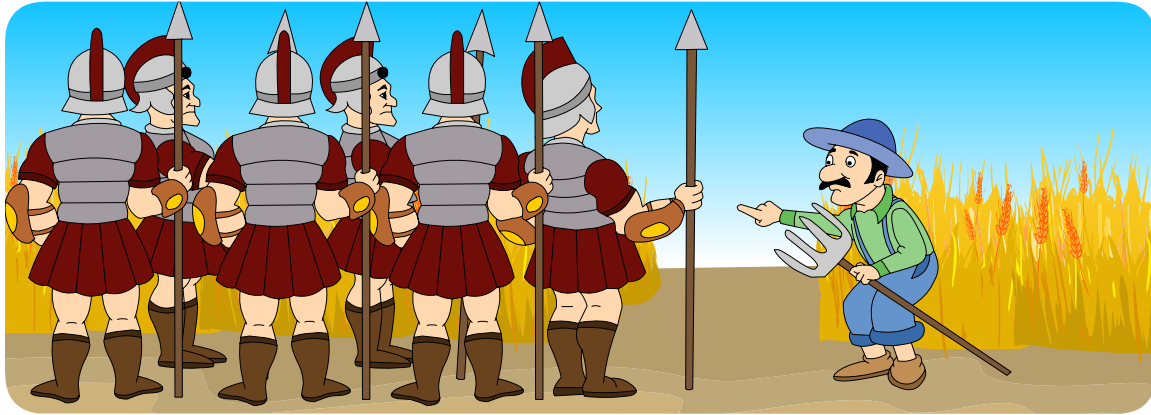
4. A hundred _____ marched off looking for a big corn field.

soldiers / farmers

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On the way the soldiers met a poor farmer. The soldiers said: Please show us the biggest cornfield here. The farmer quickly took the soldiers to a big cornfield. Sir, this field is a beauty! It is the biggest cornfield here. The soldiers took out their big bags: Wow!

Write the correct answer .

1. On the way the soldiers met a _____ farmer.

rich / poor

2. Please show us the _____ cornfield here.

biggest / smallest)

3. The farmer _____ took the soldiers to a big cornfield.

slowly / quickly

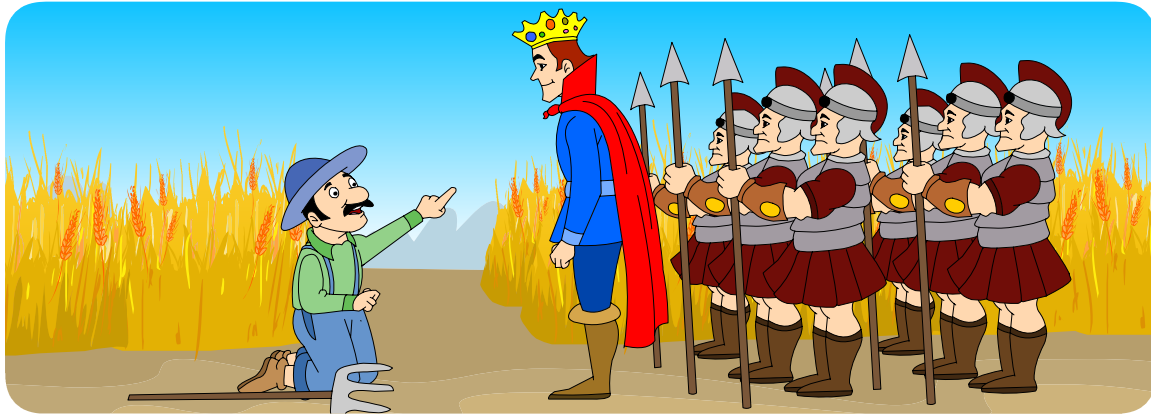
4. The soldiers took out their big _____ .

bags / hats

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Date: _____

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Quick! Come, let us cut all the corn for our army! No one will be hungry now. When the poor farmer heard this he fell on his knees. He said: Sir, please don't cut the corn from this field. I will take you to one more field. You can cut all the corn from that field. The poor farmer led the soldiers to a small field.

Answer the questions given below.

Q. Who came to cut the corn?

A. _____

Q. For whom did the soldiers need the corn?

A. _____

Q. Who fell on his knees?

A. _____

Q. Where did the poor farmer take the soldiers later?

A. _____

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Date: _____

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Sir, please cut as much corn as you need from this smaller field, said the farmer. The soldiers cried: Why did you not let us cut the corn from the big field? Farmer: Sir, the big field was not mine. This field is mine. The soldiers told the king about the poor farmer. The king was sorry for his mistake. He was happy with the farmer. The king gave gold coins, for all the corn in the farmer's field.

Answer the questions given below.

Q. The farmer asked the soldiers to cut corn from the bigger or smaller field?

A. _____

Q. Whose field was the small cornfield?

A. _____

Q. Who was sorry for his mistake?

A. _____

Q. What did the king give for all the corn?

A. _____

Name: _____

Date: _____

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Read the comprehensions and answer the following questions.



A red and black spotted ladybird flew around Ria's garden. Ria saw the ladybird fly to the rose bed. The ladybird flew into a yellow rose. Ria liked to pick up the ladybird and put it on her hand. She liked to see it spread out its tiny wings and fly from her hand. W-r-r-r-r.

Answer the questions given below.

Q. Where was the ladybird flying?

A. _____

Q. Into what flower did the ladybird fly?

A. _____

Q. On what part of the body did Ria like to put the ladybird?

A. _____

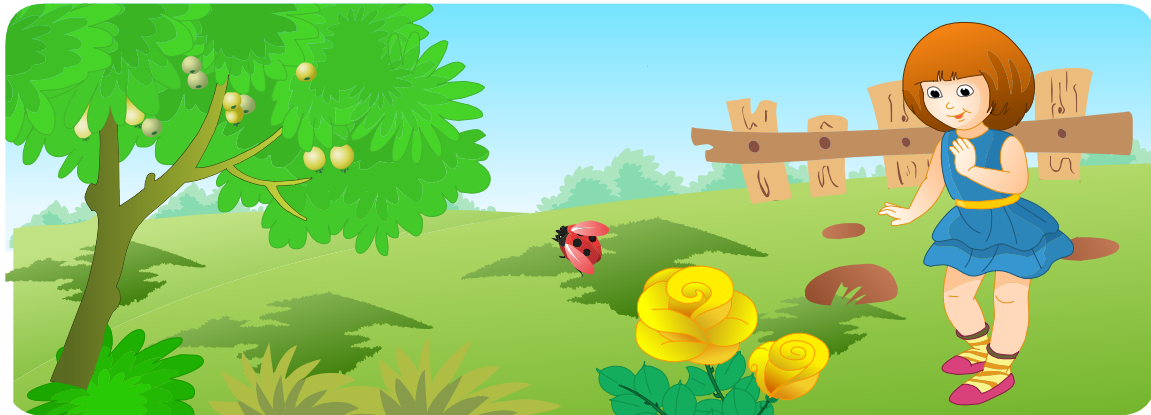
Q. Were the wings of the ladybird large or tiny?

A. _____

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Ria went close to the yellow rose. “Now I can catch it!” said Ria. She walked slowly and softly – to catch the ladybird, but then... . Off flew the ladybird! W-r-r-r! Oh no! Where is the ladybird? Ria looked everywhere in the garden. Look! See the ladybird on the guava tree!

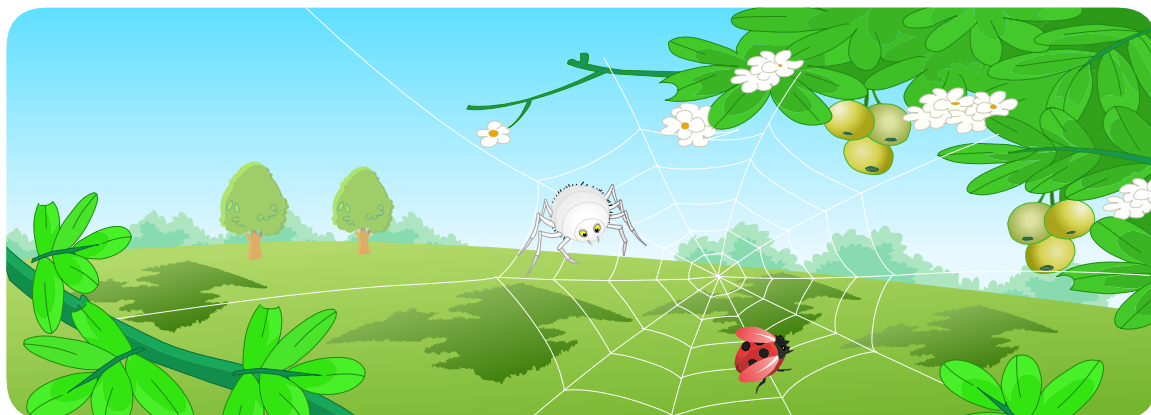
Fill in the blanks to match the story.

1. Ria went close to the y_____ rose.
2. She walked slowly and s_____ to catch the ladybird.
3. Ria looked everywhere in the g_____ .
4. See the ladybird on the g_____ tree!

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The guava tree was full of white flowers. Their sweet smell filled the air. See behind that leaf! A green parrot is eating a guava! Eeeks! A big spider's web is on the guava tree. Oh look! The ladybird is caught in the white spider's web! It looks sad as it twists and turns and tries to fly away. Oh no! The spider's web is holding the poor ladybird tight.

Fill in the blanks to match the story.

1. The guava tree was full of white f_____.

2. A green p_____ is eating a guava!

3. A big spider's web is on the guava t_____.

4. It looks sad as it twists and t_____ and tries to fly away.

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Eeeks! The white spider is coming close to catch the ladybird. Ria: What can I do to save the little ladybird? Ria ran to help! Ria picked up the ladybird from the spider's web. She let the ladybird go. W-r-r-r! The ladybird flew from flower to flower. Ria went: Clap! Clap! Clap! The red and black spotted ladybird was happy and free once again!

Answer the questions given below.

Q. Why was the spider coming close to the ladybird?

A. _____

Q. What did Ria want to do for the ladybird?

A. _____

Q. From whom did Ria save the ladybird?

A. _____

Q. If you were a ladybird, how would you feel if you were caught:
happy or sad?

A. _____

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Read the comprehensions and answer the following questions.



A mother sparrow lived, with her two chicks, in a wheat field. The chicks soon learnt to hop and fly. They would hop and drop and then go flap, flap, flap, flap! One day the chicks said, “Mom, let us fly away. The farmer will soon cut the wheat.”

Fill in the blanks to match the story.

1. A m_____r sparrow lived, with her two chicks.
2. The c_____s soon learnt to hop and fly.
3. One day the chicks said, “Mom, let us fly a_____y.”
4. The f_____r will soon cut the wheat.

Name: _____

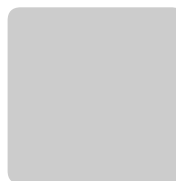
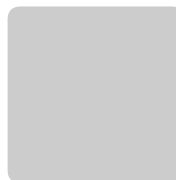
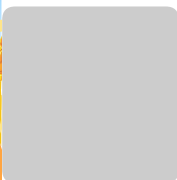
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The mother said, “No, no! The farmer is not ready.” And after some days the farmer brought his friends to the field, and he said, “Will you help me cut the wheat?” and the friends said: Oh! Yes! The chicks again asked their mother, “Shall we fly away?” And the mother said: No, no!

Number the pictures in the order of the story.



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No one came! and the farmer said: “Uh! Hmm... Not to worry! I will call my family to help me cut the wheat.” The chicks were now afraid. They opened their eyes wide and went blink...blink! Their mother covered them with her wings and said: “Not to worry, dear ones!”

Fill in the blanks to match the story.

1. I will call my f____y to help me.

2. The chicks were now a____d.

3. They o_____d their eyes wide.

4. Their mother covered them with her w____s.

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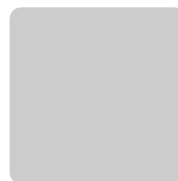
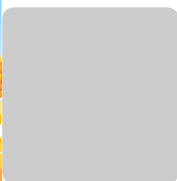
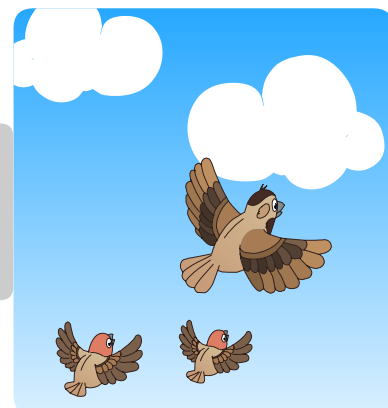
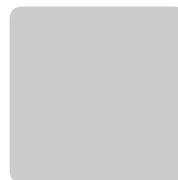
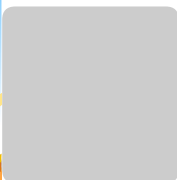
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After a few days later the farmer came back alone, with his sickle. On seeing him, the mother sparrow called her chicks, “Quick! Quick! Come! It is now time to fly. Today the farmer has decided to cut the wheat himself.” V-r-o-o-m!

The mother and chicks flew away high into the blue sky.

Number the pictures in the order of the story.

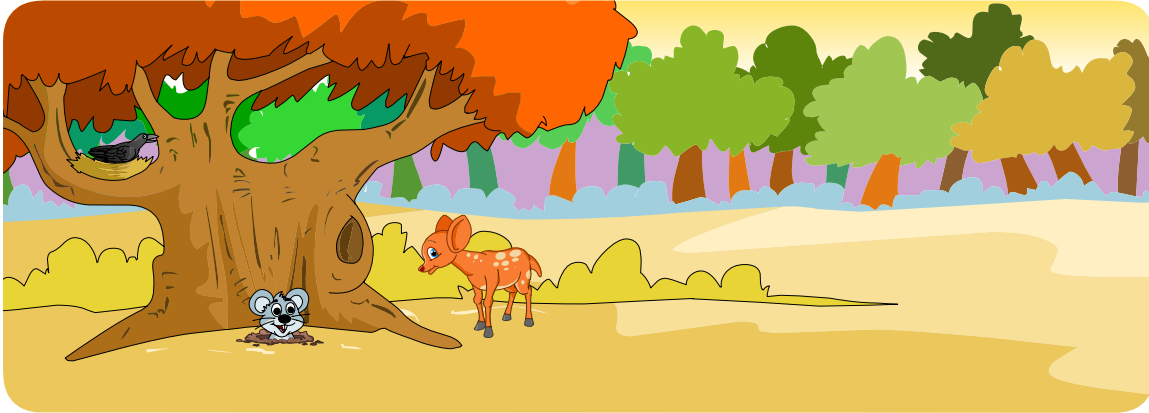


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Read the comprehensions and answer the following questions.



Deep in the woods lived three friends: a mouse, a crow and a deer. The mouse lived in a hole, in an old oak tree. The crow lived in a nest, in the tree. The deer lived under the tree. The three friends played together and had lots of fun. Yipee! Hurray!

Answer the questions given below.

Q. What animals were friends, in this story?

A. _____

Q. Where was the mouse's hole?

A. _____

Q. Where did the crow live?

A. _____

Q. Where did the deer live?

A. _____

Name: _____

Date: _____

Time: ____ : ____ - ____ : ____



One day the deer went alone, far into the woods. The deer did not come back for a long time. Crow: Caw-caw! Mouse: Squeal-squeal! Where is the deer? Come, let us go and look for him. The crow flew and the mouse ran - far into the woods.

Fill in the blanks to match the story.

1. One day the d_____ went alone, far into the woods.

2. The deer did not come back for a l_____ time.

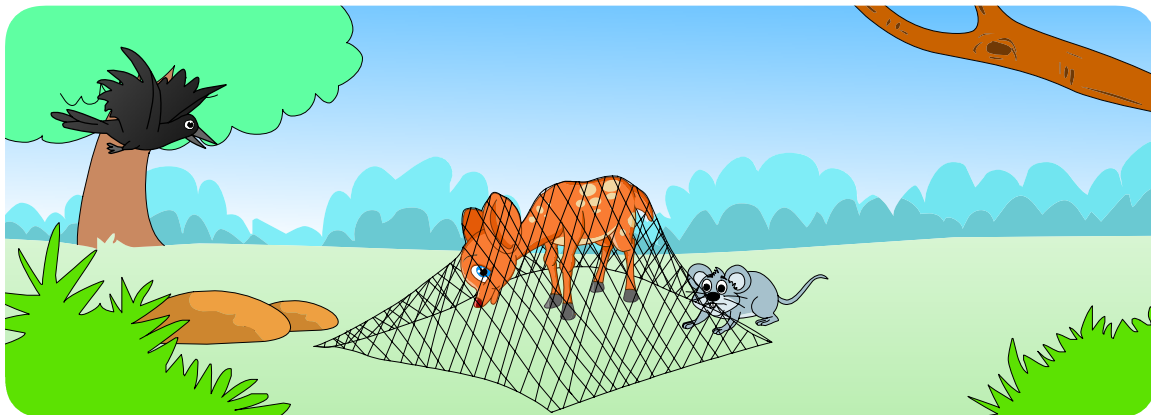
3. Come, let us go and l_____ for him.

4. The crow flew and the m_____ ran.

Name: _____

Date: _____

Time: ____ : ____ - ____ : ____



Oh no! Look! The deer is in the hunter's net. Ooooo! Oooooo! No, no! Friend, don't cry. Be quiet and sit still. We will soon get you out of the net. Bit by bit the mouse cut the net. He went c-u-t-t-u-r, c-u-t-t-u-r, as fast as he could.

Answer the questions given below.

Q. Where was the deer?

A. _____

Q. What was the deer doing in the net?

A. _____

Q. What did the mouse do to get the deer out of the net?

A. _____

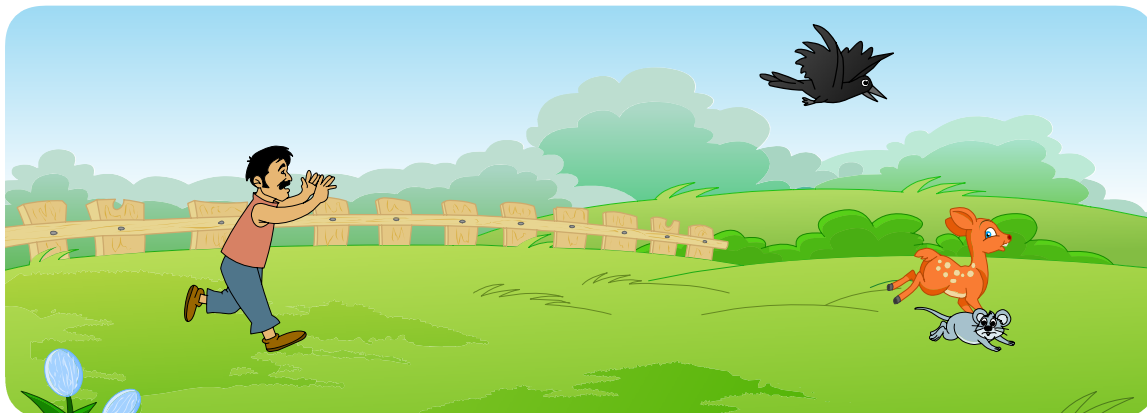
Q. Did the mouse cut the net fast or slow?

A. _____

Name: _____

Date: _____

Time: ____ : ____ - ____ : ____



See! The net is cut! Crow: Quick! Dear deer! Get up and run! The hunter is coming. Up jumped the deer! The net fell in small bits. The crow flew, the mouse and the deer ran. The hunter ran after them but the friends were gone. The friends always help each other and so are happy and safe in their homes. T-r-a, la-la.

Fill in the blanks to match the story.

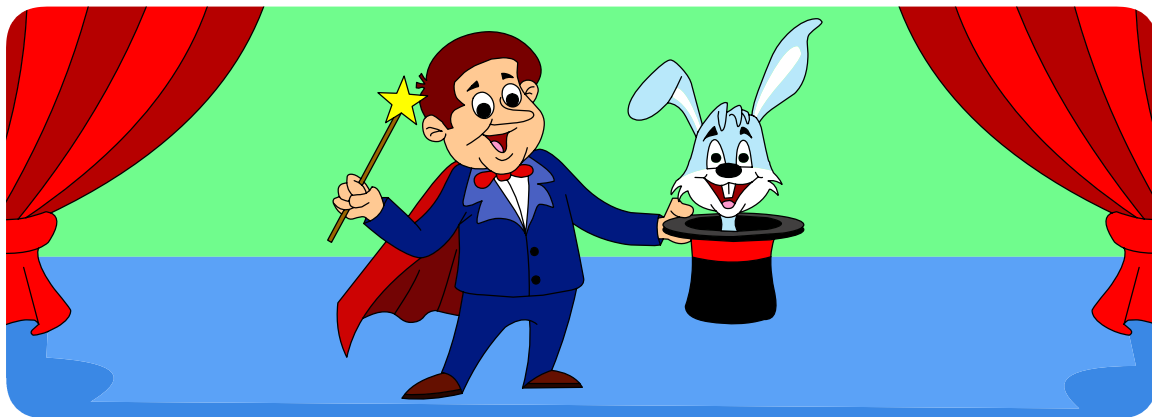
1. Quick! D_____ deer! Get up and run!
2. The net fell in s_____ bits.
3. The c_____ flew, the mouse and the deer ran.
4. The three f_____ were soon safe in their homes.

Name: _____

Date: _____

Time: ____ : ____ - ____ : ____

Read the comprehensions and answer the following questions.



One day, in a small town a magician was showing many tricks. Everyone laughed and clapped loudly. He put his hand into his long hat and pulled out a white rabbit. All the people went clap, clap, clap! After the magician's show was over he went to another town. On his way he passed through the jungle.

Answer the questions given below.

Q. Who was showing many tricks in a small town?

A. **Magician** _____

Q. What animal did the magician take out from the hat?

A. **Rabbit** _____

Q. What did the people do when they saw the rabbit?

A. **Clapped** _____

Q. After the show was over where did the magician go?

A. **Another town** _____

Name: _____

Date: _____

Time: ____ : ____ - ____ : ____



A tiger had seen the magician take out a rabbit from the hat. The tiger came up to the magician and growled loudly. “Take out a cub from the hat for me,” shouted the tiger. The poor magician shook with fear. He bent his head and said, “Sir, I can not make any animal. I had the rabbit in my bag.”

Write the correct answer .

1. A ___ **tiger** ___ had seen the magician take out a rabbit from the hat.

zebra / tiger

2. The tiger came up to the ___ **magician** ___ and growled loudly.

magician / people

3. “Take out a ___ **cub** ___ from the hat for me,” shouted the tiger.

kitten / cub

4. The poor magician shook with ___ **fear** ___ .

cold / fear

Name: _____

Date: _____

Time: ____ : ____ - ____ : ____



The tiger growled, “If you do not take out a cub from your hat I will eat you up.” The magician shook with fear. Just then he had an idea and he stopped shaking. He said, “Sir, you will have to eat only grass for one month. I will take out a cub from my hat after that.” The tiger agreed.

Answer the questions given below.

Q. What animal did the tiger want the magician to take out from the hat?

A. **Cub** _____

Q. What will happen to the magician if he did not take the cub?

A. **Eat him up** _____

Q. Why did the magician stop shaking?

A. **Had an idea** _____

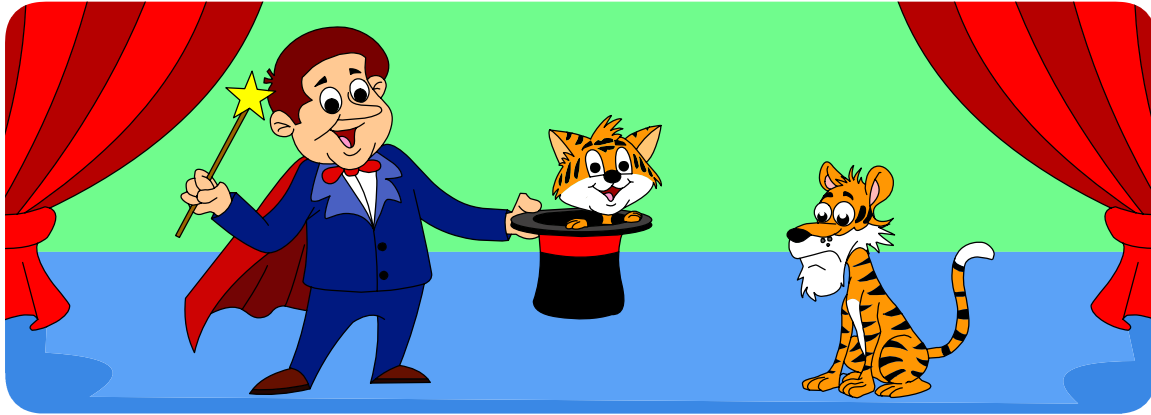
Q. What did the magician want the tiger to eat for one month?

A. **Grass** _____

Name: _____

Date: _____

Time: ____ : ____ - ____ : ____



After one month the tiger became very weak. The tiger met the magician for the cub. The magician said, “I will now take out a baby of your family, sir.” The magician pulled out a brown kitten from his hat. It cried m-e-e-o-w! The weak tiger was very angry and tried to growl. He went M-E-E-E-O-O-O-W-W. Everyone laughed and clapped and the poor tiger ran away into the jungle.

Write the correct answer .

1. After one month the tiger became very weak.

month / day

2. The magician pulled out a brown kitten from his hat.

tiger / kitten

3. he weak tiger was very angry and tried to growl.

angry / happy

4. The poor tiger ran away into the jungle .

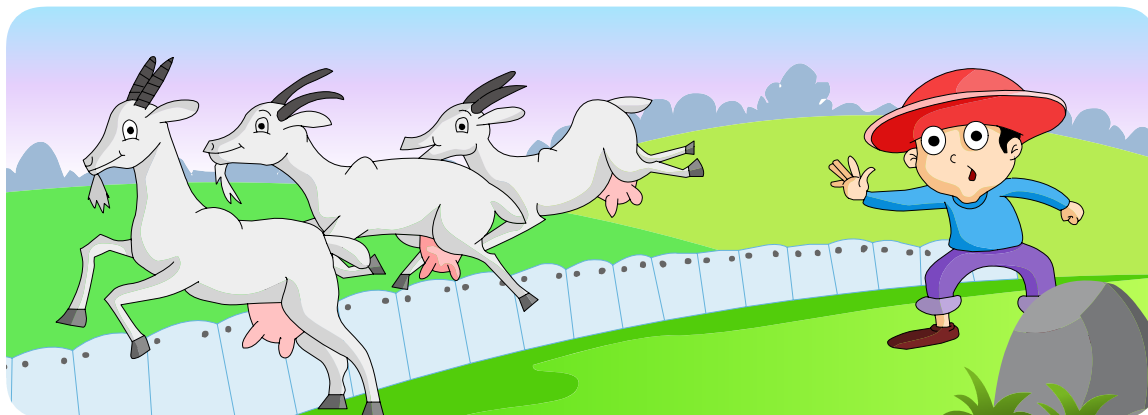
town / jungle

Name: _____

Date: _____

Time: ____ : ____ - ____ : ____

Read the comprehensions and answer the following questions.



Every day Jim took his three goats to feed on the hillside. The goats fed and played till it was time to go home. One day the goats jumped the fence into a field of carrots. Jim called the goats: Hey! Come home! But no! The goats did not come. Jim was sad. Jim sat down at the fence and cried: Boo! Boo!

Write the correct answer .

1. Jim took his three goats to feed on the _____ **hillside** _____ .

hillside/hilltop

2. The goats fed and _____ **played** _____ till it was time to go home.

sang/played

3. One day the goats jumped the fence into a field of _____ **carrots** _____ .

carrots/potatoes

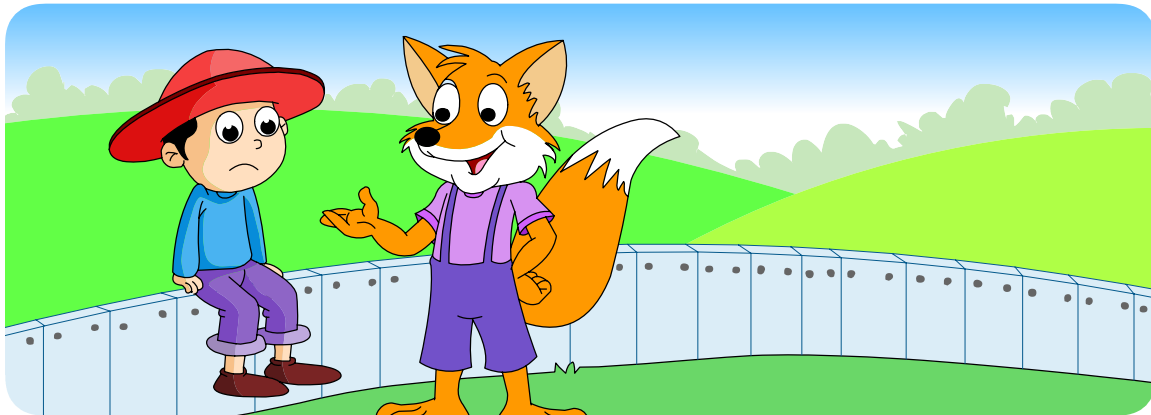
4. Jim sat down at the fence and _____ **cried** _____ : Boo! Boo!.

laughed/cried

Name: _____

Date: _____

Time: ____ : ____ - ____ : ____



A great big fox saw Jim crying. He asked: Sweet boy! Why are you crying? Jim: Look there! I can not get my three goats out of that carrot field. Fox: Don't cry! I will get your goats. The fox ran round and round, after the three goats. But no! The goats did not come. The fox sat down with Jim and cried: Boo! Boo!

Answer the questions given below.

Q. What animal saw Jim crying?

A. A great big fox

Q. Where were Jim's goats?

A. Carrot field

Q. How many goats were in the carrot field?

A. Three goats

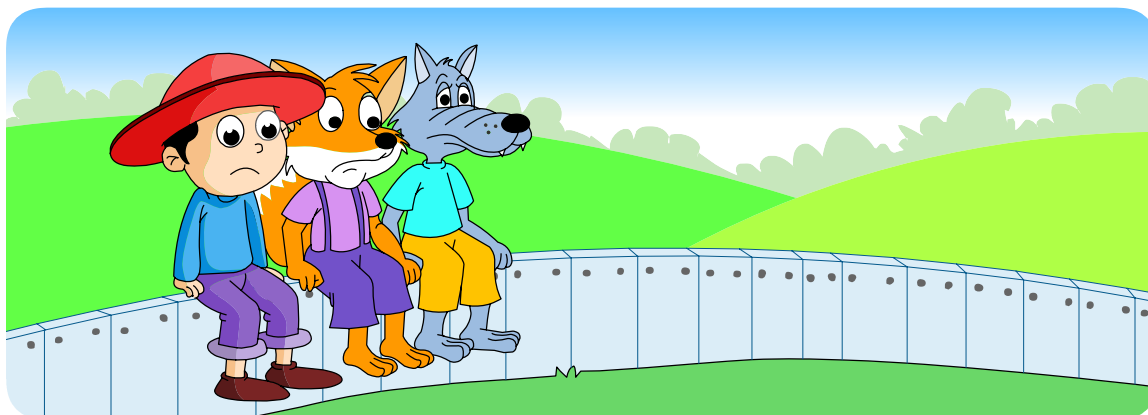
Q. Why did the fox run after the goats?

A. To get the goats out of the field

Name: _____

Date: _____

Time: ____ : ____ - ____ : ____



A big wolf saw the great big fox crying and asked: Hey brother! Why are you crying? The fox: The sweet boy is crying and so I am crying. We can not get his three goats out of the carrot field. Wolf: I will get the goats out in a jiffy! The wolf ran after the goats. Whoa! Whoa! But no! The goats did not come. Jim, the fox and the wolf went: Boo! Boo!

Answer the questions given below.

Q. What animal saw the great big fox crying?

A. **Big wolf** _____

Q. Whom did the fox see crying?

A. **Sweet boy** _____

Q. What did the wolf do to get the goats out of the field?

A. **Ran after the goats** _____

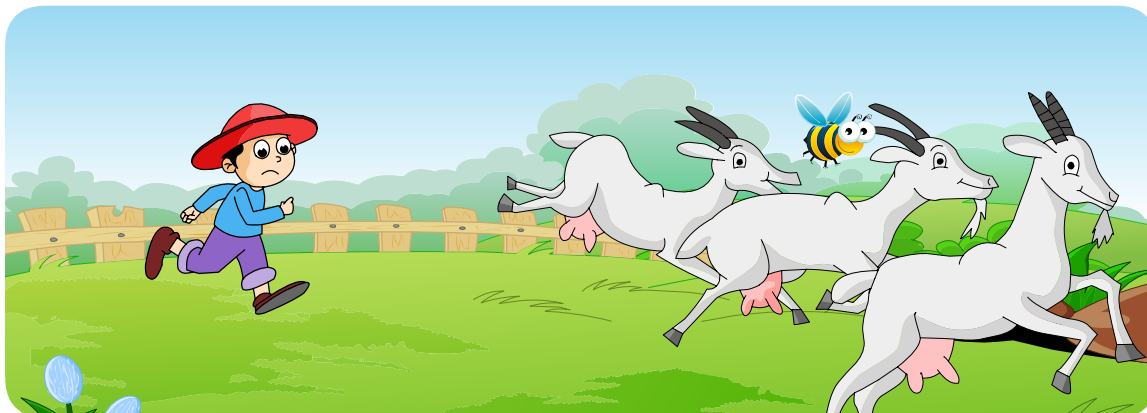
Q. Did the goats come out of the field when the wolf ran after them?

A. **Goats did not come** _____

Name: _____

Date: _____

Time: ____ : ____ - ____ : ____



A small bee saw the big wolf crying. The bee: Hi! Big Wolf! Why are you all crying? The wolf showed the bee the three goats in the carrot field. We can not get them out! The little bee: Don't cry! I will get the goats. The little bee flew to the big goat and said in its ear: Buzz-z-z-z-z! At that – leap, jump and run. All the goats ran back to Jim's home! They did not want to be stung!

Write the correct answer .

1. A small _____ **bee** _____ saw the big wolf crying.

ant/bee

2. The _____ **wolf** _____ showed the bee the three goats in the carrot field.

wolf/fox

3. The little bee flew to the big goat and said in its _____ **ear** _____ :
Buzz!

nose/ear

4. All the goats _____ **ran** _____ back to Jim's home!

ran/walked

Name: _____

Date: _____

Time: ____ : ____ - ____ : ____

Read the comprehensions and answer the following questions.



In a thick jungle there lived a big lion. He was very strong. He was the king of the jungle. All the other animals were afraid of him. They would run and hide, when they heard the lion roar.

Answer the questions given below.

Q. Where did the lion live?

A. **Thick jungle** _____

Q. Was the lion strong or weak?

A. **Strong** _____

Q. Which animal was the king of the jungle?

A. **Lion** _____

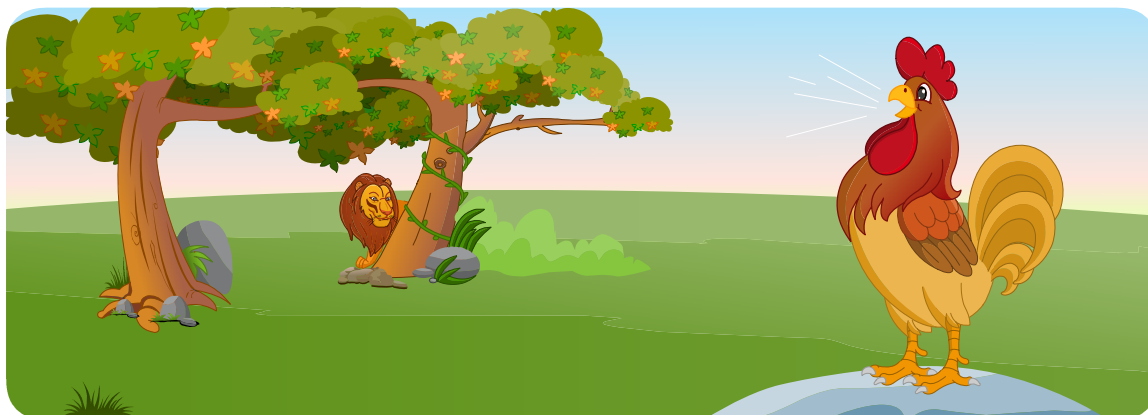
Q. What did the other animals do when the lion roared?

A. **Run and hide** _____

Name: _____

Date: _____

Time: ____ : ____ - ____ : ____



The lion was not afraid of anyone except the crowing of a cock. When the lion heard a cock crow he would start shaking with fear. The lion would hide himself where no one could find him. He thought that the crowing of the cock was going to hurt him.

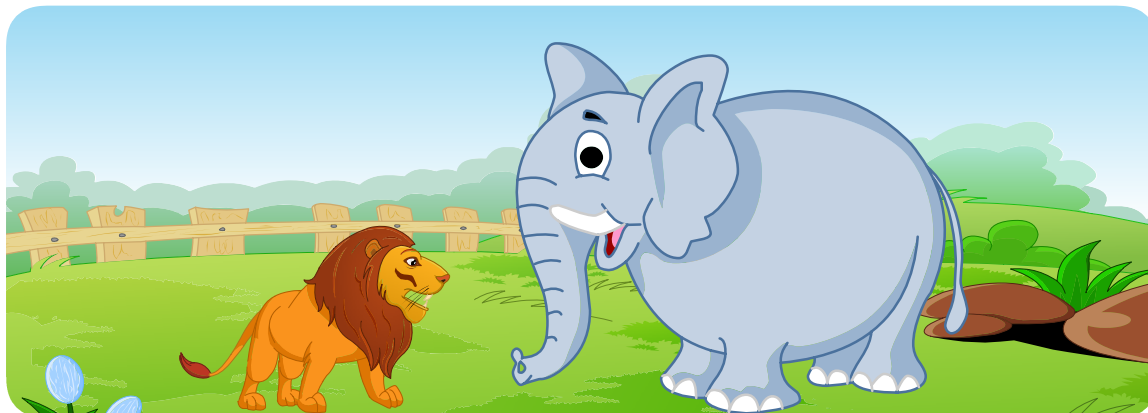
Fill in the blanks to match the story.

1. The lion was not afraid of anyone except the crowing of a **cock** _____ .
2. When the lion heard a cock crow he would start shaking with **fear** _____ .
3. The **lion** _____ would hide himself where no one could find him.
4. He thought that the crowing of the cock was going to **hurt** _____ him.

Name: _____

Date: _____

Time: ____ : ____ - ____ : ____



One day the lion told his friend, the elephant, about his fear of the cock's crowing. The elephant found this fear very funny and laughed loudly. "How can the crowing of a cock hurt you?" he asked the lion. "Just think about it and tell me."

Answer the questions given below.

Q. What was the lion afraid of?

A. **Cock's crowing** _____

Q. Which animal was the lion's friend?

A. **Elephant** _____

Q. Why did the elephant laugh loudly?

A. **Fear** _____

Q. What did the elephant ask the lion to do?

A. **Think and tell about it** _____

Name: _____

Date: _____

Time: ____ : ____ - ____ : ____



Just then a mosquito went round and round the elephant's head. The poor elephant was so afraid that he tried to hit the mosquito with his trunk. He cried, "If the mosquito goes into my ear it will hurt me!" On hearing these words the lion laughed loudly. "How can a mosquito hurt the elephant, just think about it." Ha! Ha! Ha!

Fill in the blanks to match the story.

1. Just then a **mosquito** _____ went round and round the elephant's head.
2. He tried to hit the mosquito with his **trunk** _____.
3. If the mosquito goes into my **ear** _____, it will hurt me!
4. How can a mosquito hurt the elephant, just **think** _____ about it.

Name: _____

Date: _____

Time: ____ : ____ - ____ : ____

Read the comprehensions and answer the following questions.



A crow was hopping around a pond. Just then a flock of swans came flying, to the pond. They came with a loud flap, flap, flap! The crow said to the swans: Ugh! You do not know how to fly! Let us have a match to see who flies better. I will show you what good flying is.

Answer the questions given below.

Q. What bird was hopping near the pond?

A. Crow _____

Q. What birds came flapping to the pond?

A. Swans _____

Q. What will the match, between the crow and swans, tell?

A. Who files better _____

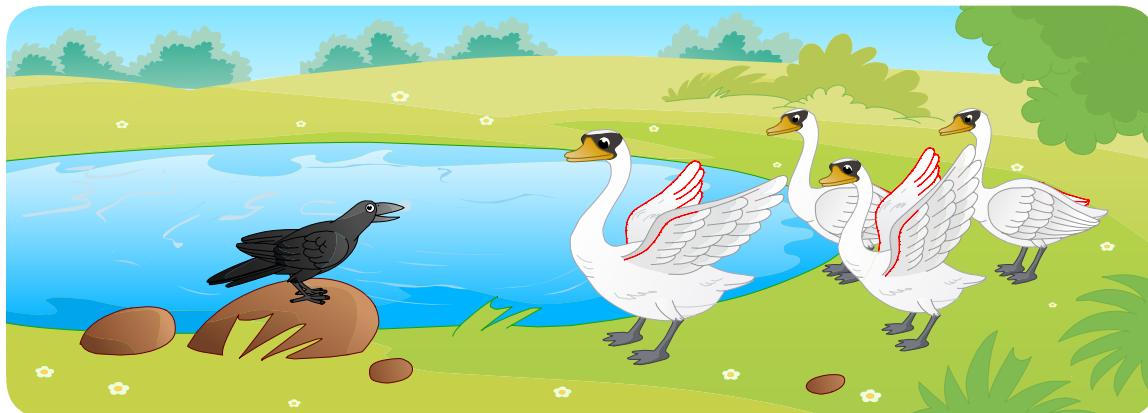
Q. What will the crow show to the swans?

A. Good flying _____

Name: _____

Date: _____

Time: ____ : ____ - ____ : ____



The swans were angry with the crow. One young swan came to the front. He said, “I am ready for the match. Mr. Crow, you will soon see that the swans fly better!” The crow showed many flying tricks. Now it was the turn of the young swan to show how well he could fly.

Fill in the blanks to match the story.

1. The swans were happy with the crow.



2. One young swan came to the front.



3. The crow showed many flying tricks.



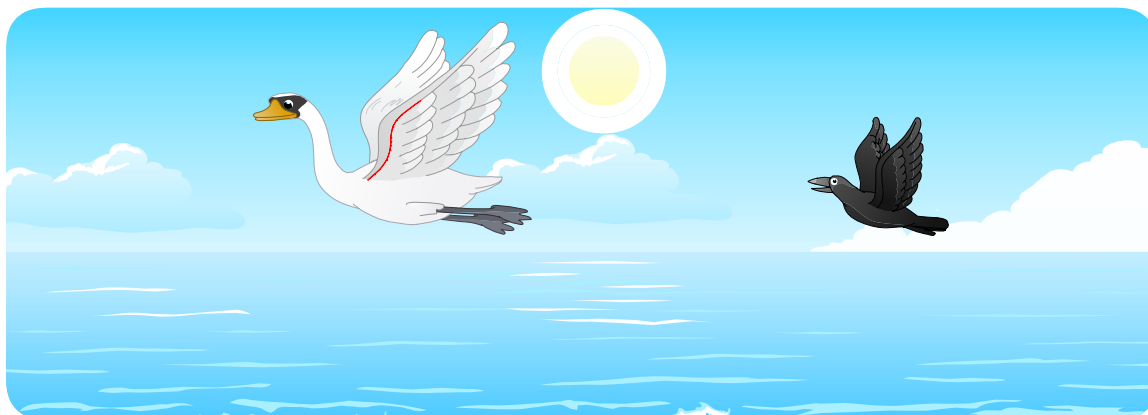
4. Now it was the turn of the young swan to sing.



Name: _____

Date: _____

Time: ____ : ____ - ____ : ____



The young swan flew towards the sea. The crow came after the swan. The swan flew over the sea, far away from land. The crow was soon tired. Ouch! The crow nearly fell into the sea. See the swan go flap, flap, flap over the great sea.

Fill in the blanks to match the story.

1. The young swan flew towards the sea.



2. The swan flew over the jungle.



3. The crow was soon tired.



4. The crow nearly fell into the pond.



Name: _____

Date: _____

Time: ____ : ____ - ____ : ____



The young swan asked the crow: Hi! Mr. Crow! Why are your feet touching the sea water? The crow said, "I am sorry. I can not fly as well as a swan. I am afraid that I will drown. Please help me. I promise that I will never make fun of anyone." The swan helped the crow get back to land. The swans and the crow became good friends.

Answer the questions given below.

Q. What part of the crow's body touched the sea water?

A. **Feet** _____

Q. What bird flew better, over the sea?

A. **Swan** _____

Q. What was the crow afraid of?

A. **Drowning** _____

Q. What did the crow promise?

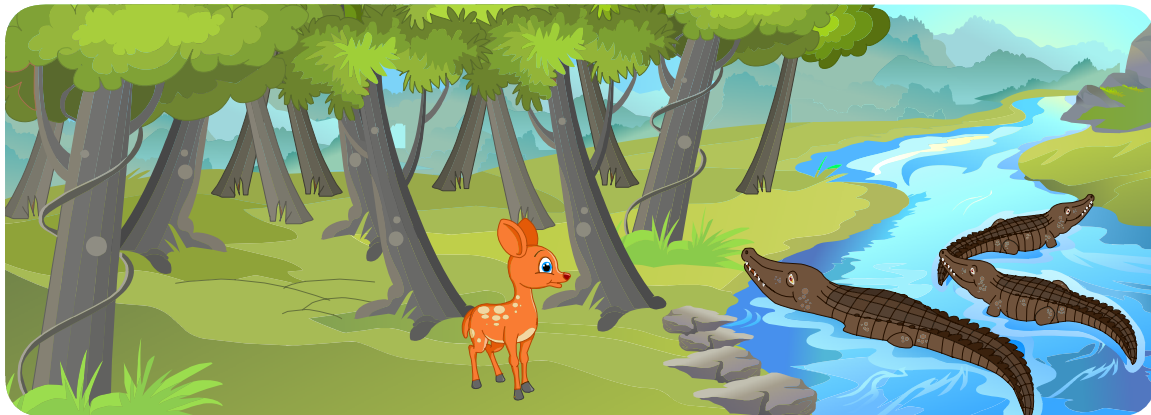
A. **Never make fun of anyone** _____

Name: _____

Date: _____

Time: ____ : ____ - ____ : ____

Read the comprehensions and answer the following questions.



In the thick jungle, near a big river, there lived a deer. He was very smart so the crocodiles in the river could not catch and eat him up. His home was full of trees and fruits and he spent his time playing and singing, near his home.

Fill in the blanks to match the story.

1. In the thick jungle, near a big river _____, there lived a deer.
2. The crocodiles in the river could not catch _____ and eat him up.
3. His home was full of trees and fruits _____ .
4. He spent his time playing _____ and singing near his home.

Name: _____

Date: _____

Time: ____ : ____ - ____ : ____



One day the deer saw a new fruit. They were yellow mangoes. The trees, across the river, were full of yellow, ripe mangoes. He wanted to eat the mangoes. He went to the riverbank, to see how to cross it. Oh, no! There was no bridge! And if he swam, the crocodiles in the river, would eat him up.

Answer the questions given below.

Q. What was the new fruit that the deer saw?

A. Mangoes _____

Q. Where were the mango trees?

A. Across the river _____

Q. Where did the deer go to see how to cross the river?

A. To the riverbank _____

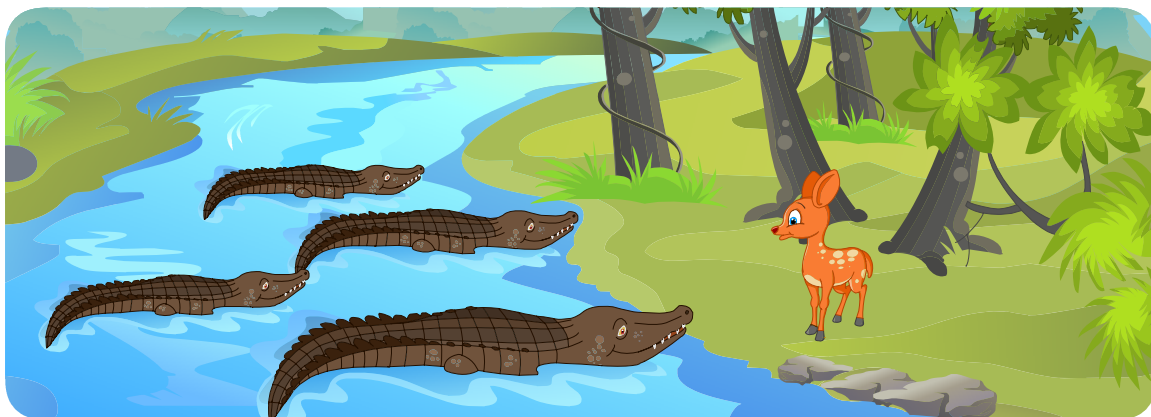
Q. What animals were in the river?

A. Crocodiles _____

Name: _____

Date: _____

Time: ____ : ____ - ____ : ____



Great! The deer had an idea! He called all the crocodiles to the riverbank. The deer told them that the king was giving a big party. The king wanted to invite all the crocodiles. The king wanted the deer to count all the crocodiles in the river.

Fill in the blanks to match the story.

1. Great! The deer had an **idea** _____ !

2. He called all the **crocodiles** _____ to the riverbank.

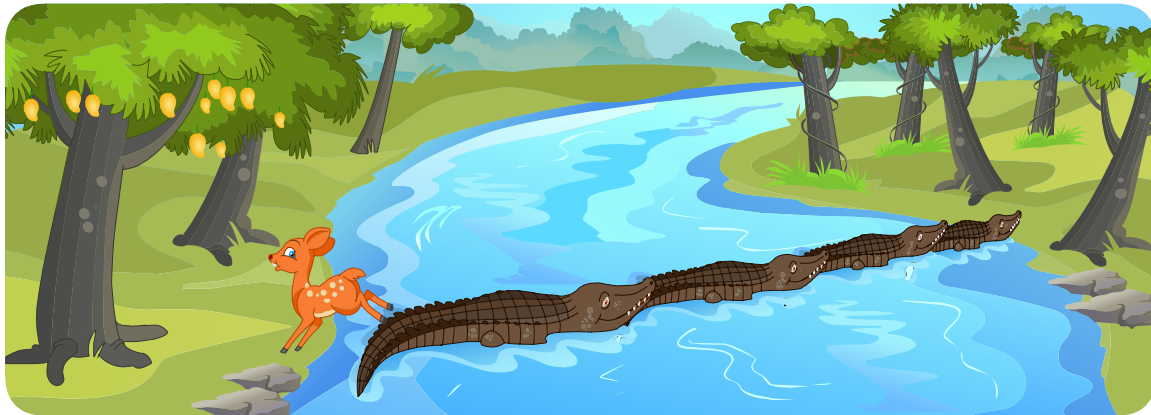
3. The **king** _____ wanted to invite all the crocodiles.

4. The king wanted the **deer** _____ to count all the crocodiles in the river.

Name: _____

Date: _____

Time: ____ : ____ - ____ : ____



The deer asked the crocodiles to line up, across the river. He would then count all the crocodiles. He jumped on the crocodiles and reached the other end of the river. So he thanked the crocodiles for their help. Gosh! The deer had tricked them all!

Answer the questions given below.

Q. Where did the crocodiles line up?

A. Across the river _____.

Q. Why did the deer ask the crocodiles to line up?

A. To count them _____.

Q. How did the deer reach the other end of the river?

A. By jumping _____ on the crocodiles _____.

Q. What animal tricked the crocodiles?

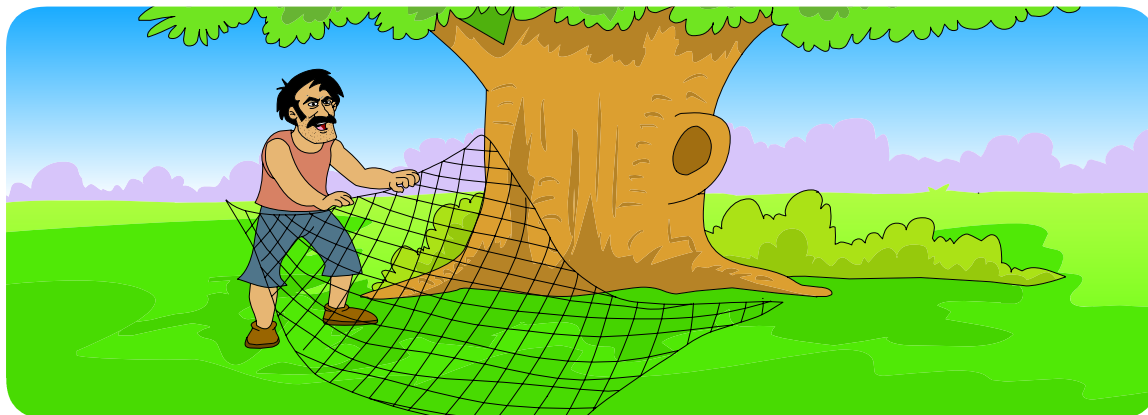
A. The deer _____.

Name: _____

Date: _____

Time: ____ : ____ - ____ : ____

Read the comprehensions and answer the following questions.



Early one morning a hunter took his huge net and went into the jungle. He spread his net under a big tree. W-h-o-o-s-h! “Many birds come to this tree everyday. I am sure I will get a good catch today,” said the hunter.

Fill in the blanks to match the story.

1. A hunter _____ took his huge net and went into the jungle.

2. He spread his net under _____ a big tree.

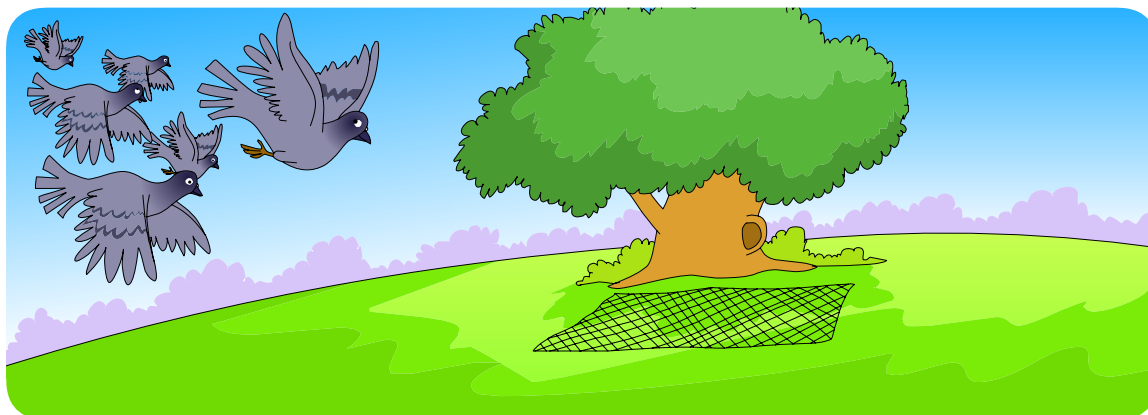
3. Many birds _____ come to this tree everyday.

4. I am sure I will get a good catch today _____.

Name: _____

Date: _____

Time: ____ : ____ - ____ : ____



The hunter spread rice grains on the net. He hid behind the bushes and waited for the birds to come. A flock of young pigeons were flying that way with their king. They saw the rice grains on the ground. Yum, yum! Let us go down and have a party!

Answer the questions given below.

Q. What did the hunter spread on the net?

A. **Rice grains** _____

Q. Where did the hunter hide?

A. **Behind the bushes** _____

Q. What birds saw the rice grains?

A. **Pigeons** _____

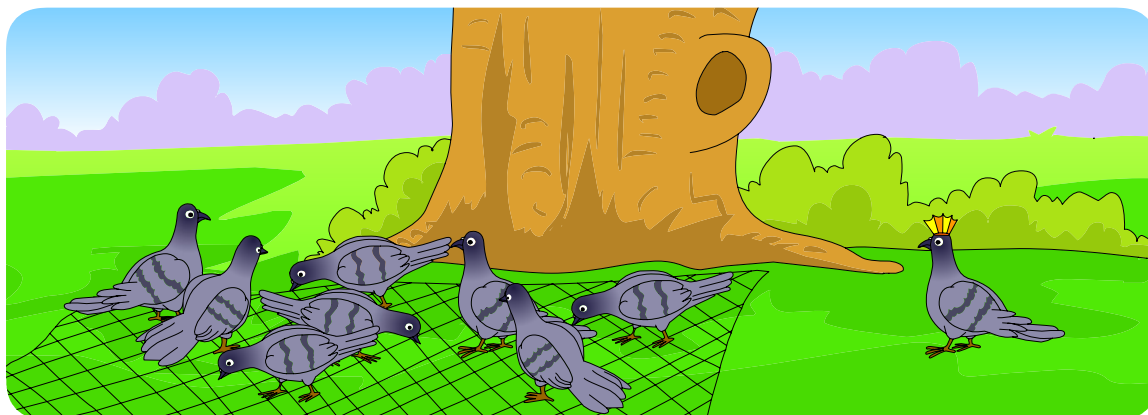
Q. Why did the pigeons come down?

A. **To have a party** _____

Name: _____

Date: _____

Time: ____ : ____ - ____ : ____



The King Pigeon tried to stop the young pigeons from going down. They did not listen. The young pigeons were hungry and so they came down. Wow! The party was fun! Now let us fly away. O-o-o-o-p-s! What is this? Why can't we fly? O-o-o-o! It hurts! The pigeons were trapped in the net! What to do?

Answer the questions given below.

Q. Who tried to stop the young pigeons from going down?

A. **King Pigeon** _____

Q. Who did not listen to the King Pigeon?

A. **Young pigeons** _____

Q. Why did the young pigeons come down?

A. **They were hungry** _____

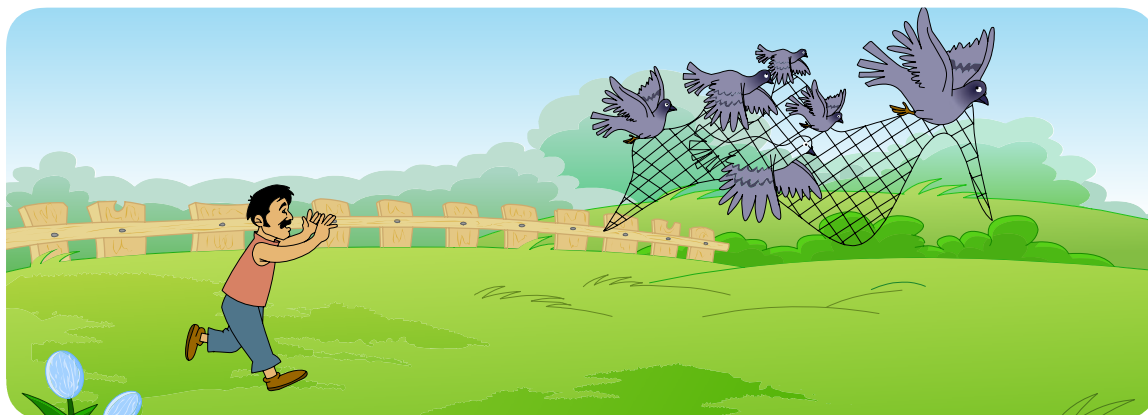
Q. What happened to the pigeons after their party?

A. **Trapped in the net** _____

Name: _____

Date: _____

Time: ____ : ____ - ____ : ____



One by one the pigeons flapped their small wings, to fly. But no! The net held them tight. The King Pigeon had an idea! I will count one – two – three! All of us will flap our wings and fly together. Oh! Look! The pigeons are high in the sky! Hunter: Oh, no! Pigeons and net – everything is lost!

Fill in the blanks to match the story.

1. One by one the **pigeons** _ _ _ flapped their small wings.

2. The net held them **tight** _ _ _ _ _ .

3. All of us will flap our **wings** _ _ _ _ _ and fly together.

4. The pigeons are **high** _ _ _ _ _ in the sky!

Name: _____

Date: _____

Time: ____ : ____ - ____ : ____

Read the comprehensions and answer the following questions.



For many days a great king was out with his army. The soldiers had eaten all the food they had got. They had no more food and were hungry. The king sent his men to the biggest field: Go! Bring all the corn from the field. A hundred soldiers marched off looking for a big corn field.

Write the correct answer .

1. For many days the king was out with his _____ **army** _____ .

friends / army

2. The soldiers had eaten all the food they had _____ **got** _____ .

got / found

3. The king sent his men to the biggest _____ **field** _____ .

hill / field

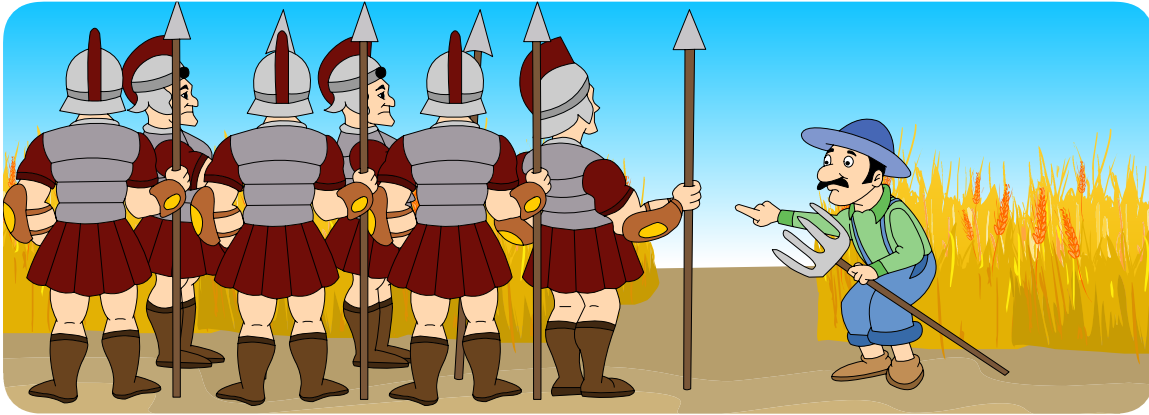
4. A hundred _____ **soldiers** _____ marched off looking for a big corn field.

soldiers / farmers

Name: _____

Date: _____

Time: ____ : ____ - ____ : ____



On the way the soldiers met a poor farmer. The soldiers said: Please show us the biggest cornfield here. The farmer quickly took the soldiers to a big cornfield. Sir, this field is a beauty! It is the biggest cornfield here. The soldiers took out their big bags: Wow!

Write the correct answer .

1. On the way the soldiers met a ____ **poor** ____ farmer.

rich / poor

2. Please show us the ____ **biggest** ____ cornfield here.

biggest / smallest)

3. The farmer ____ **quickly** ____ took the soldiers to a big cornfield.

slowly / quickly

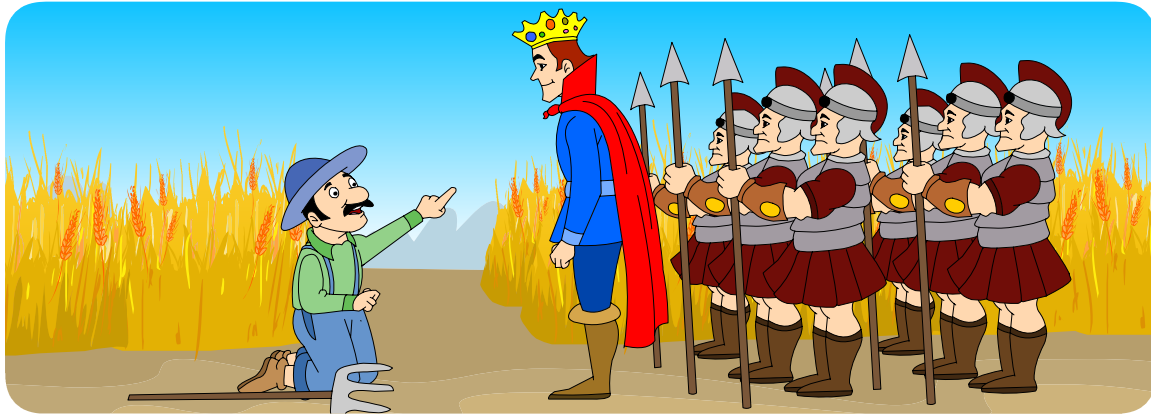
4. The soldiers took out their big ____ **bags** ____ .

bags / hats

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Quick! Come, let us cut all the corn for our army! No one will be hungry now. When the poor farmer heard this he fell on his knees. He said: Sir, please don't cut the corn from this field. I will take you to one more field. You can cut all the corn from that field. The poor farmer led the soldiers to a small field.

Answer the questions given below.

Q. Who came to cut the corn?

A. **Soldiers** _____

Q. For whom did the soldiers need the corn?

A. **Their army** _____

Q. Who fell on his knees?

A. **Poor farmer** _____

Q. Where did the poor farmer take the soldiers later?

A. **Small field** _____

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Sir, please cut as much corn as you need from this smaller field, said the farmer. The soldiers cried: Why did you not let us cut the corn from the big field? Farmer: Sir, the big field was not mine. This field is mine. The soldiers told the king about the poor farmer. The king was sorry for his mistake. He was happy with the farmer. The king gave gold coins, for all the corn in the farmer's field.

Answer the questions given below.

Q. The farmer asked the soldiers to cut corn from the bigger or smaller field?

A. Smaller field _____

Q. Whose field was the small cornfield?

A. Farmer's _____

Q. Who was sorry for his mistake?

A. King _____

Q. What did the king give for all the corn?

A. Gold coins _____

Name: _____

Date: _____

Time: ____ : ____ - ____ : ____

Read the comprehensions and answer the following questions.



A red and black spotted ladybird flew around Ria's garden. Ria saw the ladybird fly to the rose bed. The ladybird flew into a yellow rose. Ria liked to pick up the ladybird and put it on her hand. She liked to see it spread out its tiny wings and fly from her hand. W-r-r-r-r.

Answer the questions given below.

Q. Where was the ladybird flying?

A. **Ria's garden** _____

Q. Into what flower did the ladybird fly?

A. **Yellow rose** _____

Q. On what part of the body did Ria like to put the ladybird?

A. **Hand** _____

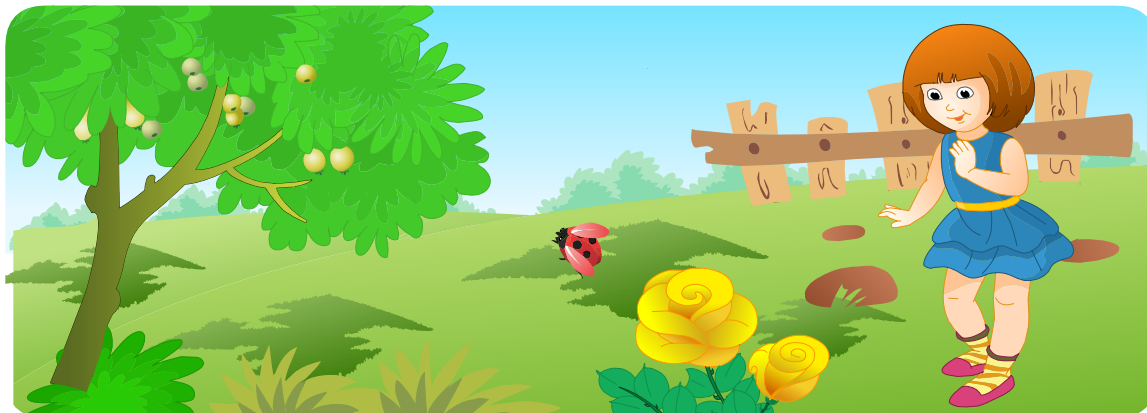
Q. Were the wings of the ladybird large or tiny?

A. **Tiny** _____

Name: _____

Date: _____

Time: ____ : ____ - ____ : ____



Ria went close to the yellow rose. “Now I can catch it!” said Ria. She walked slowly and softly – to catch the ladybird, but then... . Off flew the ladybird! W-r-r-r! Oh no! Where is the ladybird? Ria looked everywhere in the garden. Look! See the ladybird on the guava tree!

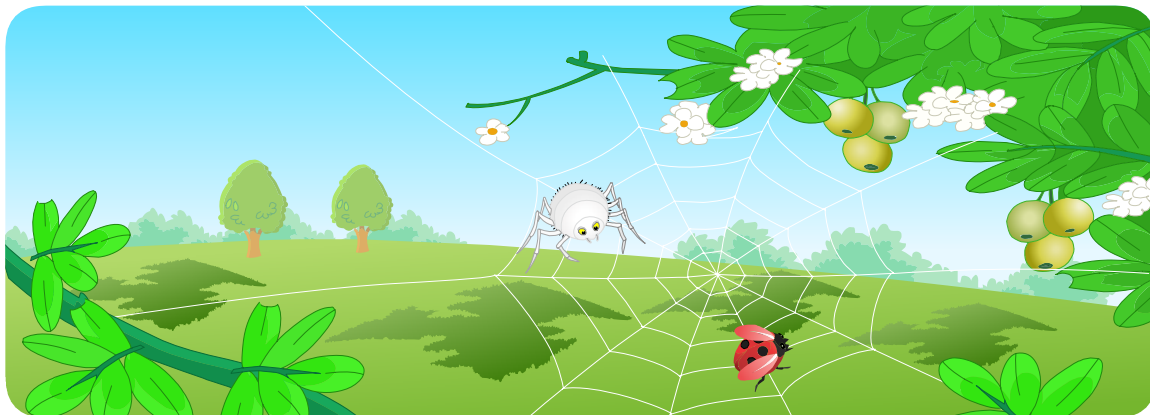
Fill in the blanks to match the story.

1. Ria went close to the yellow _ _ _ _ rose.
2. She walked slowly and softly _ _ _ _ _ to catch the ladybird.
3. Ria looked everywhere in the garden _ _ _ _ _ .
4. See the ladybird on the guava _ _ _ _ _ tree!

Name: _____

Date: _____

Time: ____ : ____ - ____ : ____



The guava tree was full of white flowers. Their sweet smell filled the air. See behind that leaf! A green parrot is eating a guava! Eeeks! A big spider's web is on the guava tree. Oh look! The ladybird is caught in the white spider's web! It looks sad as it twists and turns and tries to fly away. Oh no! The spider's web is holding the poor ladybird tight.

Fill in the blanks to match the story.

1. The guava tree was full of white flowers _ _ _ .

2. A green parrot _ _ _ _ _ is eating a guava!

3. A big spider's web is on the guava tree _ _ _ _ _ .

4. It looks sad as it twists and turns _ _ _ _ _ and tries to fly away.

Name: _____

Date: _____

Time: ____ : ____ - ____ : ____



Eeeks! The white spider is coming close to catch the ladybird. Ria: What can I do to save the little ladybird? Ria ran to help! Ria picked up the ladybird from the spider's web. She let the ladybird go. W-r-r-r! The ladybird flew from flower to flower. Ria went: Clap! Clap! Clap! The red and black spotted ladybird was happy and free once again!

Answer the questions given below.

Q. Why was the spider coming close to the ladybird?

A. **Catch** _____

Q. What did Ria want to do for the ladybird?

A. **Save** _____

Q. From whom did Ria save the ladybird?

A. **Spider** _____

Q. If you were a ladybird, how would you feel if you were caught:
happy or sad?

A. **Sad** _____

Name: _____

Date: _____

Time: ____ : ____ - ____ : ____

Read the comprehensions and answer the following questions.



A mother sparrow lived, with her two chicks, in a wheat field. The chicks soon learnt to hop and fly. They would hop and drop and then go flap, flap, flap, flap! One day the chicks said, “Mom, let us fly away. The farmer will soon cut the wheat.”

Fill in the blanks to match the story.

1. A mother sparrow lived, with her two chicks.
2. The chicks soon learnt to hop and fly.
3. One day the chicks said, “Mom, let us fly a way.”
4. The farmer will soon cut the wheat.

Name: _____

Date: _____

Time: ____ : ____ - ____ : ____



The mother said, “No, no! The farmer is not ready.” And after some days the farmer brought his friends to the field, and he said, “Will you help me cut the wheat?” and the friends said: Oh! Yes! The chicks again asked their mother, “Shall we fly away?” And the mother said: No, no!

Number the pictures in the order of the story.



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No one came! and the farmer said: “Uh! Hmm... Not to worry! I will call my family to help me cut the wheat.” The chicks were now afraid. They opened their eyes wide and went blink...blink! Their mother covered them with her wings and said: “Not to worry, dear ones!”

Fill in the blanks to match the story.

1. I will call my family to help me.

2. The chicks were now a fraid.

3. They opened their eyes wide.

4. Their mother covered them with her wings.

Name: _____

Date: _____

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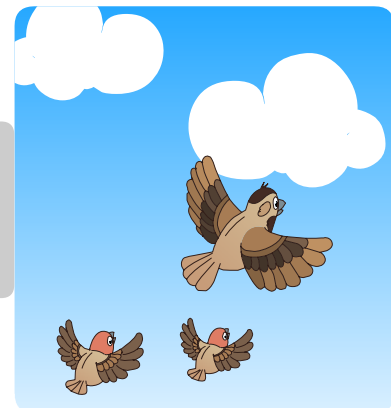
After a few days later the farmer came back alone, with his sickle. On seeing him, the mother sparrow called her chicks, “Quick! Quick! Come! It is now time to fly. Today the farmer has decided to cut the wheat himself.” V-r-o-o-m!

The mother and chicks flew away high into the blue sky.

Number the pictures in the order of the story.



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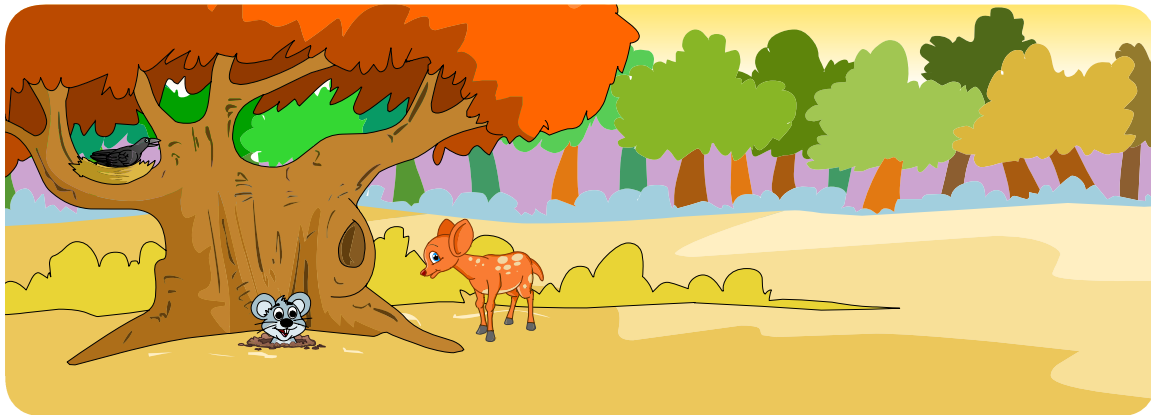
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Read the comprehensions and answer the following questions.



Deep in the woods lived three friends: a mouse, a crow and a deer. The mouse lived in a hole, in an old oak tree. The crow lived in a nest, in the tree. The deer lived under the tree. The three friends played together and had lots of fun. Yipee! Hurray!

Answer the questions given below.

Q. What animals were friends, in this story?

A. Mouse, crow, deer

Q. Where was the mouse's hole?

A. Old oak tree

Q. Where did the crow live?

A. Nest in the tree

Q. Where did the deer live?

A. Under the tree

Name: _____

Date: _____

Time: ____ : ____ - ____ : ____



One day the deer went alone, far into the woods. The deer did not come back for a long time. Crow: Caw-caw! Mouse: Squeal-squeal! Where is the deer? Come, let us go and look for him. The crow flew and the mouse ran - far into the woods.

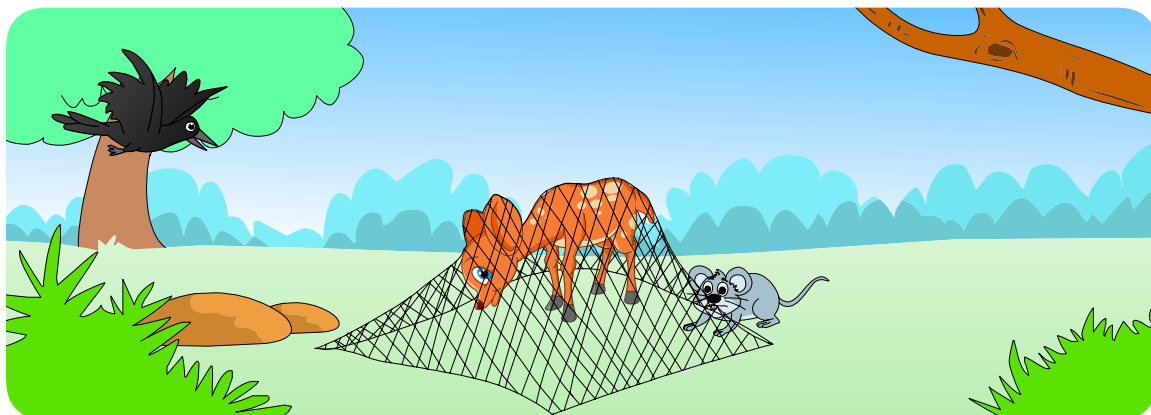
Fill in the blanks to match the story.

1. One day the deer _____ went alone, far into the woods.
2. The deer did not come back for a long _____ time.
3. Come, let us go and look _____ for him.
4. The crow flew and the mouse _____ ran.

Name: _____

Date: _____

Time: ____ : ____ - ____ : ____



Oh no! Look! The deer is in the hunter's net. Ooooo! Oooooo! No, no! Friend, don't cry. Be quiet and sit still. We will soon get you out of the net. Bit by bit the mouse cut the net. He went c-u-t-t-u-r, c-u-t-t-u-r, as fast as he could.

Answer the questions given below.

Q. Where was the deer?

A. **Hunter's net** _____

Q. What was the deer doing in the net?

A. **Crying** _____

Q. What did the mouse do to get the deer out of the net?

A. **Cut the net** _____

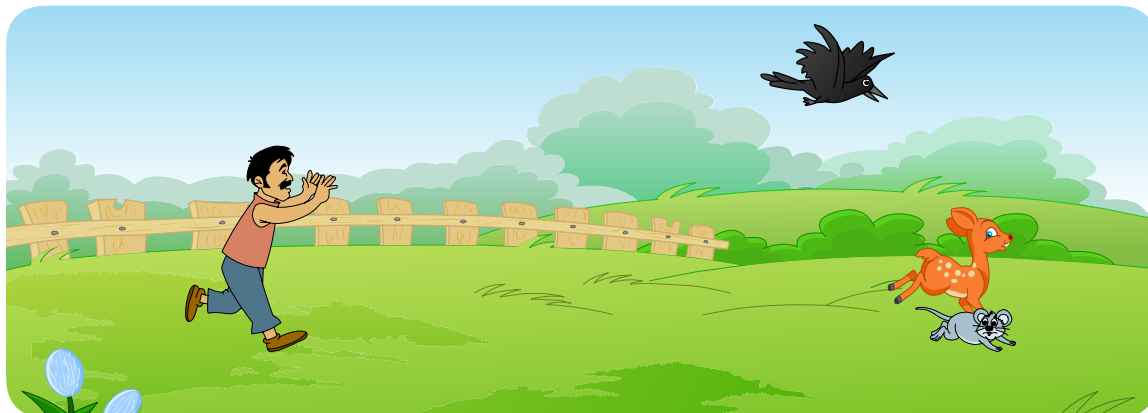
Q. Did the mouse cut the net fast or slow?

A. **Fast** _____

Name: _____

Date: _____

Time: ____ : ____ - ____ : ____



See! The net is cut! Crow: Quick! Dear deer! Get up and run! The hunter is coming. Up jumped the deer! The net fell in small bits. The crow flew, the mouse and the deer ran. The hunter ran after them but the friends were gone. The friends always help each other and so are happy and safe in their homes. T-r-a, la-la.

Fill in the blanks to match the story.

1. Quick! Dear _____ deer! Get up and run!
2. The net fell in small _____ bits.
3. The crow _____ flew, the mouse and the deer ran.
4. The three friends _____ were soon safe in their homes.