

Higher order thinking

Read the following passage and answer the questions.

One Friday morning, in summer, a young boy was skipping down a dusty road on his way to school when he saw a little girl crying. He stopped to ask her why she was crying and she told him that she had just dropped her lunch and it was covered in sand. She was crying because she would not have anything to eat at school. The young boy decided to try and cheer her up and suggested some ideas that would make sure that she did not go hungry. The little girl felt so much better knowing that she now had a plan that she stopped crying. Both of the children carried on happily on their way to school and had a great morning. The little girl spoke to her teacher when she got to school and she did not go hungry that day.



- 1 What do you think would be a good title for this story?
- 2 Why do you think the boy is happy?
- 3 What would you do if you dropped your lunch in the sand?
- 4 What do you think is one idea that the boy gave to the young girl?
- 5 What do you think happened to make the children have a fantastic morning?



Reading and Phonics

Answers a range of higher order questions based on the passage read, e.g. "How would you describe the behaviour of..."

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