

Deepening Understanding

YRI Fiction Text

Jasper's Wellies by Hannah Raven



The one thing that Jasper loved more than anything was his welly boots. They were bright red and when he first got them they were so shiny he could see his face in them. Jasper wore his wellies to splash in muddy puddles, to wash the car with Dad and to dig holes in the garden. He only took them off when he went to bed.

Q1

What colour are Jasper's welly boots?

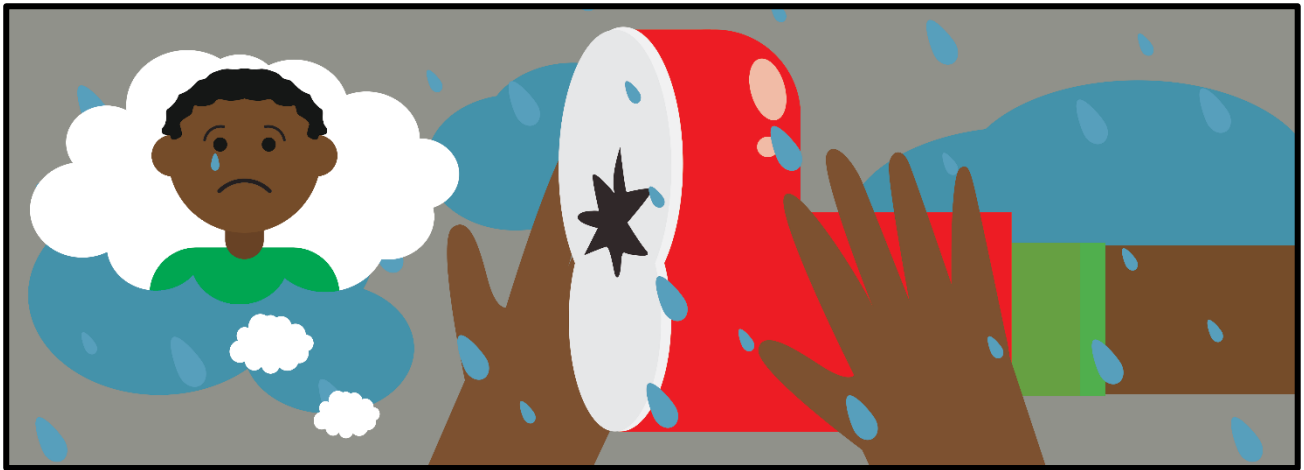
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Q2

When does Jasper take off his welly boots?

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One rainy day, Jasper pulled on his red wellies, ran outside and jumped into a big puddle. SPLASH! As he stood in the puddle, he could feel his feet getting colder and wetter. Jasper sat down on the garden chair and looked at his boots. He had worn them so much that there was a large hole in the bottom. Jasper ran inside sobbing.

"We will have to go to the shops and get you a new pair," said Mum.

Q3

Which word tells you what the day is like?
Circle the correct response.

sunny

rainy

windy

cloudy

1 Mark

Q4

Find and copy *one* word which tells you that Jasper is crying.

1 Mark





The next day, Mum took Jasper to the shoe shop in town. The shop had lots of bright boots but Jasper couldn't see any shiny, red welly boots. He sat on the stool and started to cry.

Then a friendly lady, who worked at the shop, came over to him with a brand new pair of shiny, red wellies. Jasper's face lit up. He put them on and looked down. The wellies were so shiny he could see the smile on his face reflecting perfectly in them.

Jasper proudly walked home in his new boots. He happily stomped in any puddles he could see and his feet stayed nice and dry.

Q5

Do you think Jasper is happy at the end of the story?



Yes



No

Explain why!

2 Marks



Q6

Number the statements to show the order that they happened in the story.

Jasper looks at the hole in his wellies.

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Jasper's feet stay dry.

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Jasper runs outside.

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Jasper and Mum go to the shops.

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Jasper jumps into a big puddle.

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1 Mark

