

## Mrs. Ebert's Red Group AMI Lessons (Day 6-10)

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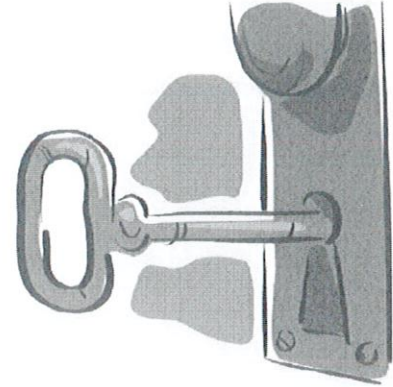
Day 6

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# The Skeleton Key

by Kelly Hashway

Erik rang his grandparents' doorbell and silently wished the next four hours would go by quickly. He didn't want to give up his entire Saturday afternoon at his grandparents' house where there were no kids in the neighborhood.



"You're right on time," Grandma Bethany said, opening the door. "There's tea and cake in the dining room."

*Cake? At least the first ten minutes would go by quickly.* Erik hung his coat on the rack by the door and saw a strange looking key hanging on a hook. "Grandpa Bill, what's this funny key for?"

"That's a skeleton key. It opens the best room in this house," Grandpa Bill whispered so no one else could hear. "It's the room I go to when your grandmother tries to make me help with the dishes."

"What's so special about the room?" Erik asked.

"It's a game room," Grandpa Bill said. "Take the key and see if you can find the room by the time I finish my tea."

Erik grabbed the key and stared at it. "A skeleton key? It looks old." Erik decided the oldest things in the house were probably upstairs in the walk-up attic. He headed past the dining room and to the stairs.

Grandpa Bill sipped his tea and shook his head.

Erik knew that meant he was going the wrong way. He headed back to the front door where he'd found the key.

Erik thought about the oldest part of a house. "The basement! It's the first part that's built." He rushed to the basement door and looked at the lock. It was different from a normal lock. He slid the key inside and turned it. With a click, the door opened.

Erik switched on the light and walked down the stairs. The basement was one giant room with a pool table in the middle and a dartboard on the far wall.

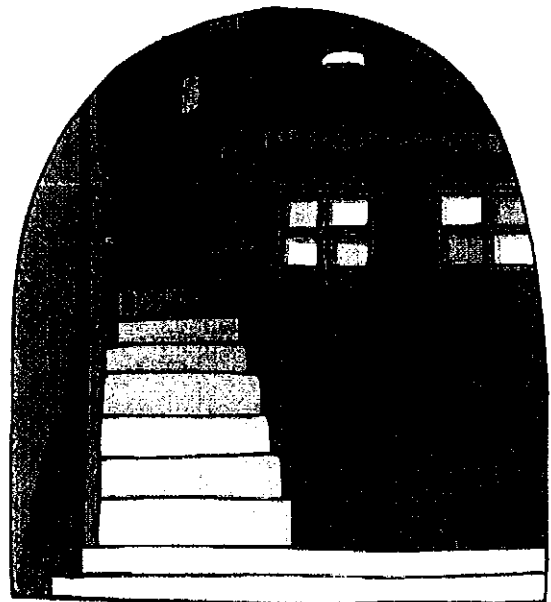
"Awesome!" Erik said.

"Ever learn to play pool?" Grandpa Bill asked, coming down the stairs.

"No," Erik said.

"Well then, grab a cue from the rack and I'll teach you."

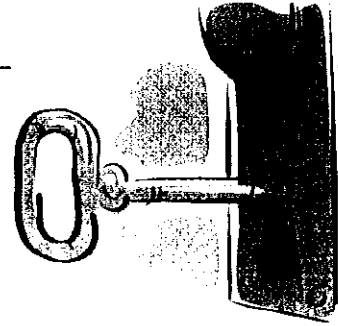
Erik smiled. The next four hours were going to fly by.



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1. What is the setting of this story?  
(Tell where and when the story takes place.)

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2. Why didn't Erik want to visit his grandparents' house at the beginning of the story?

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3. Grandpa told Erik that the skeleton key opened...

- a. a trunk with secrets
- b. the basement door
- c. the attic door
- d. a game room

4. Why did Erik think the key would open the attic door?

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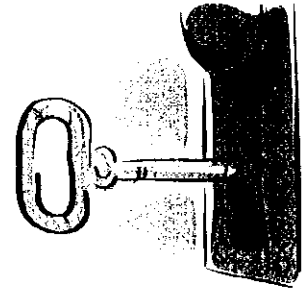
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**Now try this:** On a sheet of lined paper, write a continuation of this story. Tell what happens from the time Erik starts playing pool to the time he leaves.

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# The Skeleton Key

## Vocabulary



Choose the best definition for the underlined word in each sentence.

1. Erik and his grandfather played a game of pool.
  - a. a hole in the ground filled with water
  - b. a game where a large ball is shot into a goal
  - c. a game where a stick is used to shoot balls across a table
  
2. Grandpa Bill grabbed a cue from the rack.
  - a. a ball used to play pool
  - b. a stick used to play pool
  - c. a storage container for pool equipment
  
3. Erik noticed a dartboard on the wall in Grandpa Bill's game room.
  - a. a square box where darts are kept
  - b. a piece of wood used to keep score while playing darts
  - c. a target made of cork that is used in a game of darts

In the space below, draw a pencil sketch of Erik and Grandpa Bill playing pool. Label the pool table and cue. Draw a picture of a dartboard in the background and label it too.

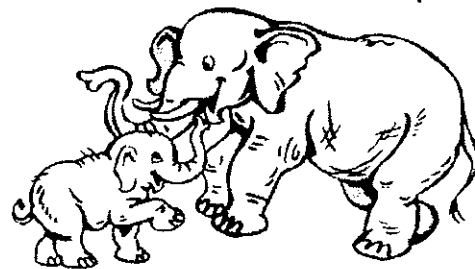
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## Animal Facts and Opinions

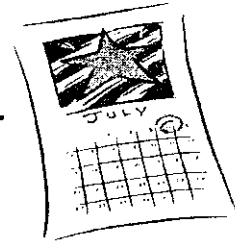
Tell whether each sentence is a fact or opinion. Write "fact" next to each statement that gives information that you can prove. Write "opinion" next to statements that tell how someone feels about something.

1. \_\_\_\_\_ A giant tortoise can live to be over 150 years old.
2. \_\_\_\_\_ Jennifer saw a zebra at the zoo.
3. \_\_\_\_\_ A polar bear is the most fun animal to watch.
4. \_\_\_\_\_ Parrots are prettier than blue birds.
5. \_\_\_\_\_ Elephants eat grass and leaves.
6. \_\_\_\_\_ Bald eagles usually lay one or two eggs at a time.
7. \_\_\_\_\_ Blue whales are the largest animals in the world.
8. \_\_\_\_\_ A cheetah can run faster than a lion.
9. \_\_\_\_\_ Everyone should go to see the new gorilla habitat.
10. \_\_\_\_\_ Koalas usually sleep during the day.
11. \_\_\_\_\_ Canaries sing beautifully.
12. \_\_\_\_\_ The bats in the cave are very scary.
13. \_\_\_\_\_ Snakes do not make good pets.
14. \_\_\_\_\_ Chimpanzees can climb to the tops of trees.
15. \_\_\_\_\_ Hummingbirds are the only bird that can fly backwards.
16. \_\_\_\_\_ A rhinoceros can be very difficult to take care of.
17. \_\_\_\_\_ Crocodiles spend most of their time in saltwater.
18. \_\_\_\_\_ Pandas are black and white.
19. \_\_\_\_\_ Hippos are amazing animals to watch.
20. \_\_\_\_\_ A Komodo dragon is a reptile.



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## Calendars



Answer each question below. Use a calendar if you don't know the answer.

1. How many months are in a year? 1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. How many days are in a week? 2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. How many days are in April? 3. \_\_\_\_\_
4. This year, what day of the week does December 30th fall on? 4. \_\_\_\_\_
5. What is the seventh month of the year? 5. \_\_\_\_\_
6. Write the date that is six days after February 5th. 6. \_\_\_\_\_
7. What month comes right before November? 7. \_\_\_\_\_
8. Write the date that falls five days before October 2nd. 8. \_\_\_\_\_
9. Write the date that is fifteen days after May 25. 9. \_\_\_\_\_
10. Greg's birthday is the day after Halloween. What is the date of his birthday? 10. \_\_\_\_\_
11. Which holiday comes first each year: St. Patrick's Day or Valentines Day? 11. \_\_\_\_\_
12. How many days are in this year? 12. \_\_\_\_\_



Day 7

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

# A Monster out of a Molehill

by Neal Levin

One morning when Dominick woke up, his eyeglasses were missing. He was certain he'd put them safely on his bedside table as any mole who wore eyeglasses would do. Then he remembered he might have left them outside last night after gazing at stars. Or maybe by the pond when he took them off for an evening dip. In fact, they could be anywhere.



Dominick climbed out of his molehill and looked around. He didn't find his eyeglasses. But what he did find was a terrible, hairy monster bursting out of the next molehill over, and it was charging right toward him!

What could be worse? Without his eyeglasses, Dominick couldn't even tell what kind of monster this was, but it looked like something he had never seen before. Dominick started running, but he stumbled and tripped over a tree root. The monster was following him. It waved its sturdy arms and wiggled its long, sharp claws. Dominick forced himself up and scooted onward.

After a few moments, he stopped to catch his breath. He stole a glance at the creature. Were there two heads? Three heads? He couldn't tell. Nor did he care to stay and count. He hustled forth again.

The monster was approaching quickly. Dominick saw it had big, squiggly tentacles coming out of its long, pointy snout. And it was shouting his name.

"Dominick," it yelled, "let me catch up to you."

"No!" Dominick cried. He ran even faster but slipped on a rock and stumbled face-first into a puddle of mud. The monster was almost upon him. Dominick couldn't bear it any longer. He sat up and covered his face, only allowing himself to peek between his fingers. The monster's arm was reaching forward, and there was something in its hand.

"My eyeglasses," Dominick said.

He took them and placed them on carefully, as any mole who wore eyeglasses would do, and the monster came into focus. Only it wasn't a monster at all. It was his star-nosed friend Sebastian.

"I found these on your porch last night and I didn't want anything to happen to them," he said.

Dominick gave a sigh of relief. He realized his buddy was just looking out for him. It couldn't have been any clearer.

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# A Monster out of a Molehill

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1. When Dominick discovers his eyeglasses are missing from his bedside table, he thinks about where they could be.

Place a check mark (✓) next to each place where Dominick thinks his eyeglasses could be.

- Outside, where he was gazing at the stars
- By the pond, where he went for an evening dip
- Near the oak tree, where he sat in the shade
- Anywhere



2. When Dominick climbs out of his molehill, does he find his glasses right away? What does he find?

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3. At the end of the story, what does Dominick discover he is running away from?

\_\_\_\_\_

4. Who is the second character in the story? \_\_\_\_\_

5. The last sentence of the story, "It couldn't have been any clearer," has two different meanings. Explain what they are.

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# A Monster out of a Molehill

by Neal Levin



Fill in the missing letters to form a vocabulary word from the story. Then write the full word on the line. Be sure you spell each word correctly.

1. e \_ \_ e \_ \_ \_ a \_ \_ s e \_ \_

**hint:** lenses you wear to help you see clearer

2. \_ \_ o \_ \_ e

**hint:** a small burrowing mammal

3. \_ \_ \_ \_ a n \_ \_ e

**hint:** a quick look

4. s \_ \_ o u \_ \_

**hint:** the nose and mouth of an animal

5. f o \_ \_ u \_ \_

**hint:** clear view

6. \_ \_ e \_ \_ i e \_ \_

**hint:** a feeling of ease after being tensed or worried

7. t e \_ \_ t a \_ \_ l e \_ \_

**hint:** flexible limbs

8. p o \_ \_ \_ \_ \_

**hint:** a covered sitting area in front of a house

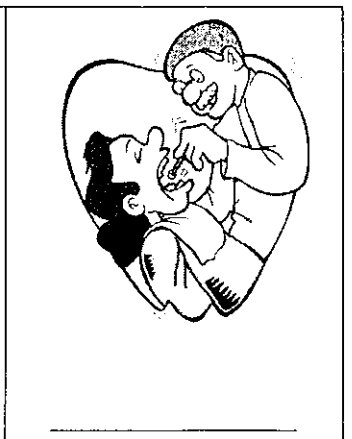
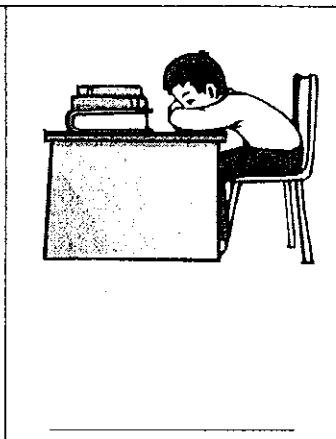
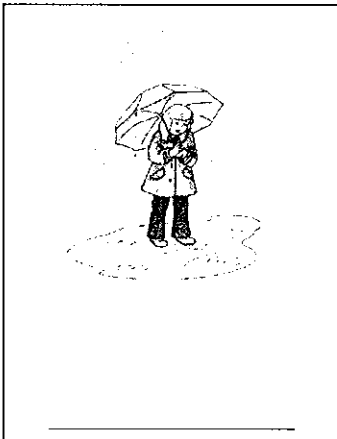
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## Cause and Effect

Read each sentence. Determine the cause and underline it in red and determine the effect and underline it in blue.

1. I got a tummy ache when I ate too much ice cream.
2. Anne had cake for dessert because it was her birthday.
3. Thomas was feeling sleepy because he stayed up late doing his homework.
4. Dee was hungry, so her mother made her a cheese sandwich.
5. Kevin went to dentist because he had a toothache.
6. Janice didn't eat her breakfast quickly, so she missed the school bus.
7. It was pouring rain, so the football game was canceled.
8. Leah wasn't watching where she was walking and she stepped in a puddle.
9. Cole wasn't feeling well, so he stayed home from school.
10. Jackson didn't go to school because it was Saturday.
11. My sister's room was messy, but I helped her clean it up.
12. The baby didn't like Cheerios, and she would not eat them.

Re-read the sentences above to find the names of the people in these pictures. Write each person's name on the line.



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# Reading a Calendar

Use the calendar to answer the questions.

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1. Are there more months with exactly 30 days or 31 days? \_\_\_\_\_
  
2. Mark's birthday is on March 24. His party is exactly two weeks later. What is the date of his party? \_\_\_\_\_
  
3. What day of the week does New Years Day fall? \_\_\_\_\_
  
4. Mother's Day falls on the second Sunday in May. What is the date of Mother's Day? \_\_\_\_\_
  
6. Is the year shown on the calendar a leap year? Explain how you know.  
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Day 8



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# Bear and Hare Warm Up

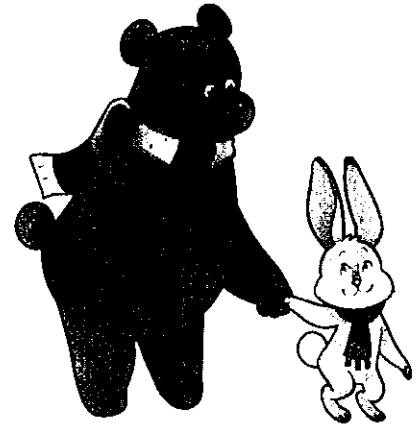
by Neal Levin

One cold frosty morning, Bear woke up from the middle of his long winter sleep. He wandered outside his den and noticed that the lake had frozen over.

"Good thing I'm not made of water," he said, "or I'd turn to ice."

"But you are made of water," said Hare, who was tumbling around in a snow bank beside him. "Over half your body is water."

"You must be fooling," said Bear. He looked at his body. His arms didn't look like water. His legs didn't look like water. His paws didn't look like water.



"Think of all your blood," said Hare. "Your blood's made of water. In fact, all your parts are made of cells, and cells are made of water."

Bear rubbed his paws together and blew on them to keep them warm. "I don't want to freeze like the lake," he said.

"Don't worry," Hare giggled. "We're warm-blooded animals. That means our body temperature stays the same, even when it's cold outside. Besides, our body water isn't pure water. It contains organic molecules like sodium and potassium that make its freezing point lower than regular water. We can only freeze in very extreme conditions."

"Brrrrrr." Bear shivered.

"See, when you shake like that, your body's using energy to make more heat and warm you up."

"I know a better way to warm up," said Bear. "Let's go inside."

They stomped into Hare's house. Bear relaxed by the fireplace. A few minutes later, the snow on his fur melted and dripped into puddles on the floor.

A teapot whistled on the stove. Bear looked at the teapot and saw a thick stream of steam shooting into the air.

"How are you feeling now?" Hare asked as he brought Bear a cup of chamomile tea.

"I'm still afraid," Bear said as he cuddled the steaming teacup in his paws.

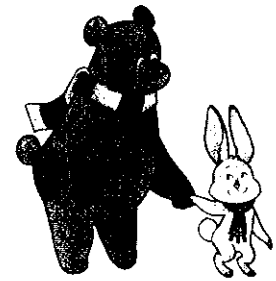
"Don't be silly," Hare told him. "Even though you're made of water, you know you aren't going to turn to ice."

"I know," Bear said. "But now I'm afraid I'll evaporate."

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# Bear and Hare Warm Up

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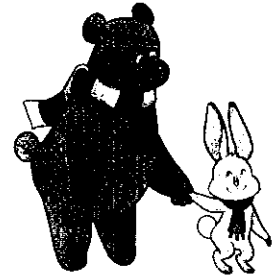


1. In the story, "Bear and Hare Warm Up," why does Bear have a hard time believing his body is made up of mostly water?
  - a. Bear doesn't hear any water sloshing around inside of him.
  - b. Bear looks at himself and doesn't see any water.
  - c. Bear hasn't had any water to drink recently.
  - d. Bear hasn't gone swimming in the lake since the beginning of winter.
  
2. According to Bear and Hare's conversation in the story, how is the water in the animals' blood different from the frozen water of the lake?
  - a. The water in their blood is thinner than the water in the lake.
  - b. The water in their blood is less salty than the water in the lake.
  - c. The water in their blood has organic molecules in it that make it more difficult to freeze.
  - d. The water in their blood is pure water, whereas the water in the lake is not.
  
3. Even though Hare explains to Bear why he won't freeze over like the lake, why is Bear still afraid at the end of the story? What did Bear see that may have given him this thought?  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
  
4. Hare points out one way Bear's body helps him stay warm automatically. What is it?
  - a. Bear sneezes.
  - b. Bear coughs.
  - c. Bear shivers.
  - d. Bear tumbles through the snow.
  
5. Which word best describes Bear's personality, based on what you read in the story?
  - a. fretful
  - b. easy-going
  - c. grumpy
  - d. whimsical

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

# Bear and Hare Warm Up

by Neal Levin



The words below are scrambled words from "Bear and Hare Warm Up." by Neal Levin. Unscramble each word and write it on the line. Check back in the story to make sure each word is spelled correctly.

1. 

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d	d	w	r

 \_\_\_\_\_

Clue: walked or moved casually or leisurely

2. 

n	o	g	c
a	i	r	

 \_\_\_\_\_

Clue: relating to living matter

3. 

o	c	e	a	m
i	l	h	m	

 \_\_\_\_\_

Clue: a type of plant used to make herbal tea

4. 

s	e	r	d
v	i	h	e

 \_\_\_\_\_

Clue: shook because of cold or fear

5. 

p	e	t	a	e
r	v	a	o	

 \_\_\_\_\_

Clue: turn from liquid to gas

6. 

b	n	i	m
l	t	u	g

 \_\_\_\_\_

Clue: toppling over

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

## Scrambled Sentences

Statements are sentences that tell you information about something. Statements end with a period (.).

Questions are sentences that ask you something. Questions end with a question mark (?).

**Directions: Unscramble the words to form a question and a statement.**

1. my is favorite basketball sport

Question: Is basketball my favorite sport?

Statement: Basketball is my favorite sport.

2. holiday Christmas favorite is your

Question: \_\_\_\_\_

Statement: \_\_\_\_\_

3. those are ready cookies eat to

Question: \_\_\_\_\_

Statement: \_\_\_\_\_

4. the in yard there rabbit a is

Question: \_\_\_\_\_

Statement: \_\_\_\_\_

5. very the hot is stove

Question: \_\_\_\_\_

Statement: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

## Money Addition

Solve the word problems below. Use the empty space to the right of each problem to show your work. Write your answer on the blank line by each question.

Work Space

1. An adult ticket for a day at the zoo costs \$9.95, while a child ticket costs \$6.75. How much will it cost for one adult and one child to spend a day at the zoo?

Answer: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Janie earned \$15.50 at her part time job on Saturday morning. Later that night she made \$32.50 babysitting. What was her total income for Saturday?

Answer: \_\_\_\_\_

3. Hannah ordered a large pizza for \$15.95 and an order of wings for \$11.70. What was the total of her dinner purchase?

Answer: \_\_\_\_\_

4. Dan bought a pair of jeans for \$42.95 and a shirt for \$17.65. How much did the whole outfit cost him?

Answer: \_\_\_\_\_

Day 9

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

# Road Trip

by Kelly Hashway

Daniel was so excited he was almost bouncing in the backseat of the car. It was his first trip to Disney World, and he couldn't wait to get there. Only that's exactly what he would have to do. Wait. For countless hours.

At first it wasn't too bad. He played all the silly car games he could think of with his brother Emmitt and his parents. They found all the letters of the alphabet in different signs along the highway. They guessed numbers between one and a hundred and played twenty questions. They even counted all the license plates from different states. After that, Daniel took a nap out of sheer boredom. But he couldn't sleep any longer, and they were still hours from Disney World.

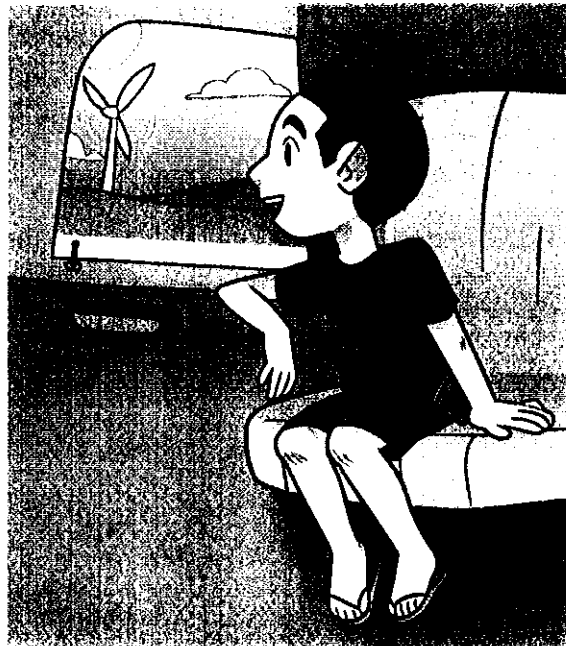
"Are we—"

"No, Daniel," his father said. "Please try to be patient. You were the one who picked the vacation spot this year. We told you it would be a long drive."

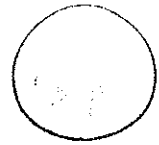
"Yeah, but this is so boring!" Daniel whined.

"It's more than boring," Emmitt said. "It's torture."

"You want to hear about torture?" Dad asked. "When I was about your age, Daniel, Grandma and Grandpa took your aunt Jan and me to Disney World. About halfway there, Grandpa ran over a nail and we got a flat tire. Luckily we had a spare, but it took forever to change the tire because Grandpa dropped the lug nuts and they rolled into the highway. We had to flag down a police car to close the right lane so we could get the lug nuts."



Daniel laughed, picturing Grandpa running across the road looking for the lug nuts. "Grandpa must have been really mad!"



"Oh, he wasn't happy, but it gets worse," Dad said.

"About fifty miles later, the engine died. Grandpa had to walk three miles to get to a pay phone and call for a tow truck."

"Why didn't he use his cell phone?" Daniel asked.

Dad laughed. "We didn't have cell phones back then."

"What happened next?" Daniel asked.



"We had to pay for a cheap motel room for the night while the car was in the shop being fixed. The hotel was filthy and the shower only had cold water. Even the diner next door was terrible. They served cold, runny eggs."

"You must have been happy to get back on the road," Daniel said.

"Yes, we were," Dad said.

Daniel looked at his mom. "Do you have any road trip stories from when you were growing up?"

"As a matter of fact, I have four or five funny stories," Mom said. "Do you want to hear them?"

Daniel nodded and glanced at the clock on the dashboard. He hoped they'd have enough time to hear them all.

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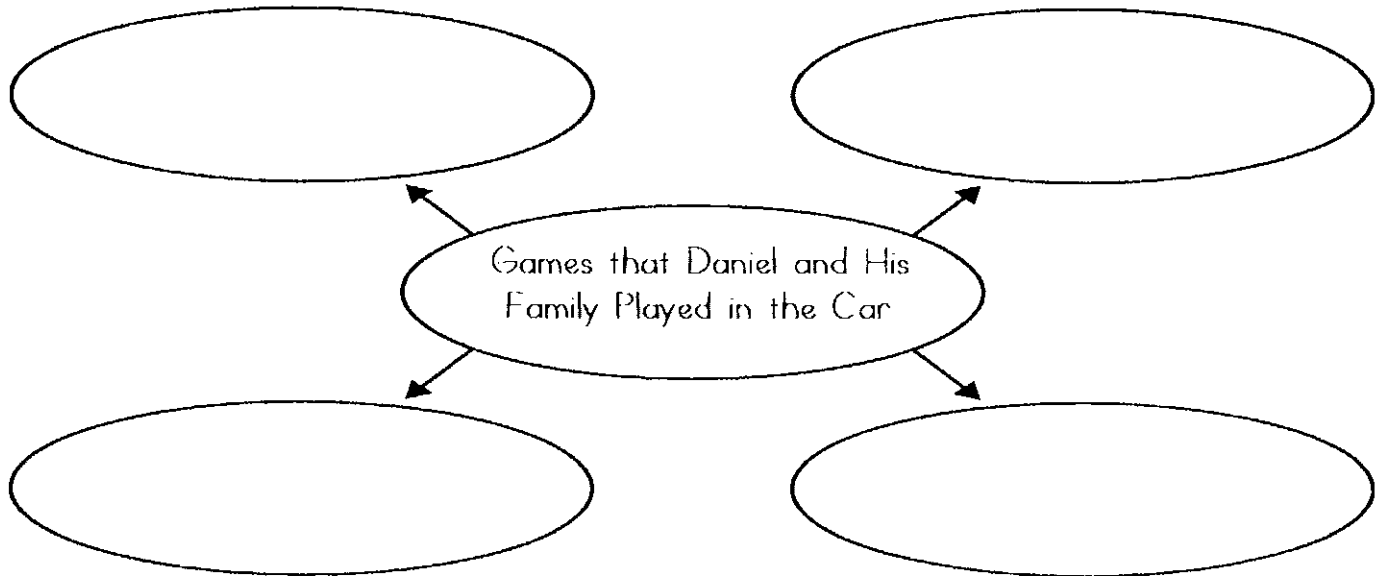
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# Road Trip

by Kelly Hashway

1. Complete the graphic organizer.



2. When Daniel became bored in the car, what did his father do to help pass time?

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3. Where was the family traveling?

- a. to New York
- b. to Florida
- c. to Texas
- d. to Georgia

4. Who was Aunt Jan?

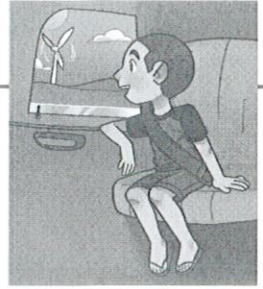
- a. Daniel's mother's sister
- b. Daniel's grandfather's sister
- c. Daniel's father's sister
- d. Daniel's sister

5. In the story, grandpa dropped lug nuts which rolled into the highway. What do lug nuts do?

- a. hold wheels onto a car
- b. fill tires with air
- c. remove nails from a tires
- d. help a car's wheels turn

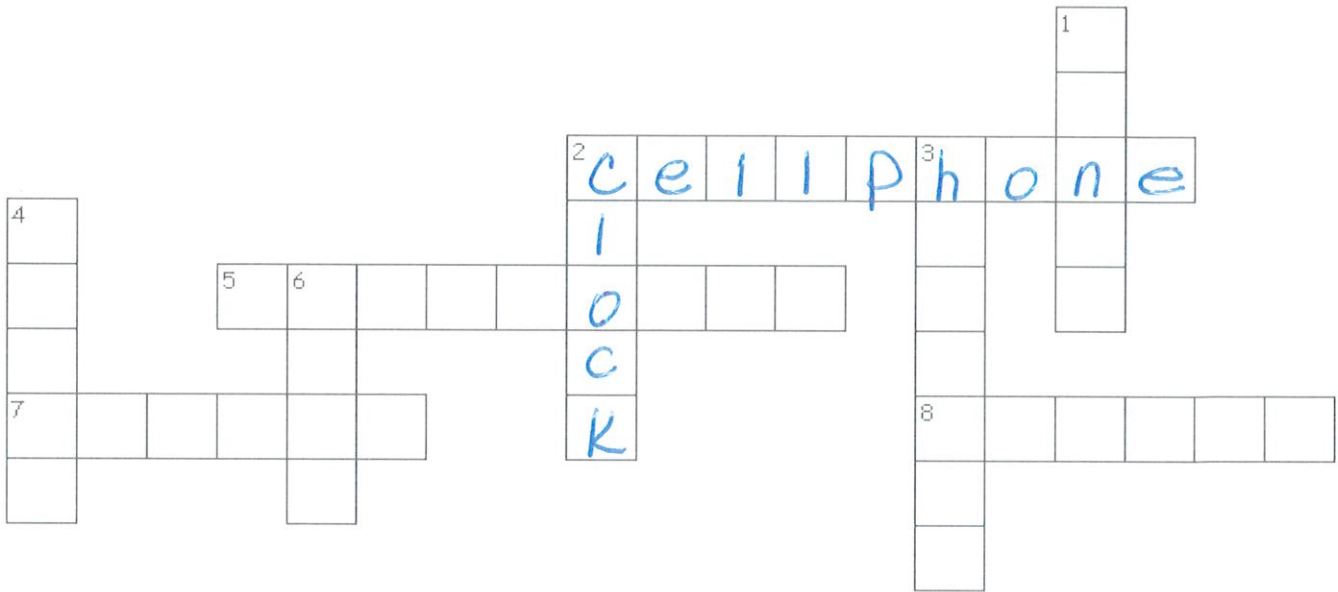
**Challenge:** On a separate sheet of paper, make a list of 8 things Daniel and his brother could do to amuse themselves in the car. List activities that are not mentioned in this story.

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# Road Trip

## Vocabulary Crossword Puzzle



Use words from the story, "Road Trip" to complete the crossword.

### Across

- portable phone without wires
- panel in a car with gauges and instruments to help the driver
- machine that powers a car
- complained in a high-pitched voice

### Down

- humorous
- time-telling device
- a busy road with many cars
- place with rooms for travelers to stay overnight
- mother or father's sister

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

## Synonym and Antonym Analogies

Complete each analogy by writing the correct word on the line. Then, tell whether the words in the analogy are synonyms or antonyms.



1. Open is to closed as near is to \_\_\_\_\_.  
(far, closed, shut)

The pairs of words in this analogy are \_\_\_\_\_.  
(synonyms, antonyms)

2. Soft is to loud as slow is to \_\_\_\_\_.  
(quiet, quick, sluggish)

The pairs of words in this analogy are \_\_\_\_\_.  
(synonyms, antonyms)

3. Little is to small as large is to \_\_\_\_\_.  
(tiny, huge, medium)

The pairs of words in this analogy are \_\_\_\_\_.  
(synonyms, antonyms)

4. Smart is to intelligent as sly is to \_\_\_\_\_.  
(sneaky, dumb, genius)

The pairs of words in this analogy are \_\_\_\_\_.  
(synonyms, antonyms)

5. Dishonest is to honest as always is to \_\_\_\_\_.  
(usually, never, sometimes)

The pairs of words in this analogy are \_\_\_\_\_.  
(synonyms, antonyms)

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## The Hot Football Stadium



Find the differences. Then, solve the riddle by matching the letters to the blanks below.

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$$\begin{array}{r} \boxed{\text{E}} \ \$6.99 \\ - 2.78 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} \boxed{\text{L}} \ \$16.78 \\ - 4.96 \\ \hline \end{array}$$



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$$\begin{array}{r} \boxed{\text{N}} \ \$7.88 \\ - 2.29 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} \boxed{\text{F}} \ \$8.66 \\ - 4.86 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} \boxed{\text{A}} \ \$9.25 \\ - 7.43 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} \boxed{\text{R}} \ \$11.45 \\ - 1.09 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

**Why was the football stadium hot after the game was over?**

Because

$$\begin{array}{r} \$1.82 \\ \$11.82 \\ \$9.08 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} \$4.08 \\ \$9.66 \\ \$2.05 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} \$3.80 \\ \$17.59 \\ \$5.59 \\ \$1.53 \end{array}$$

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Day 10

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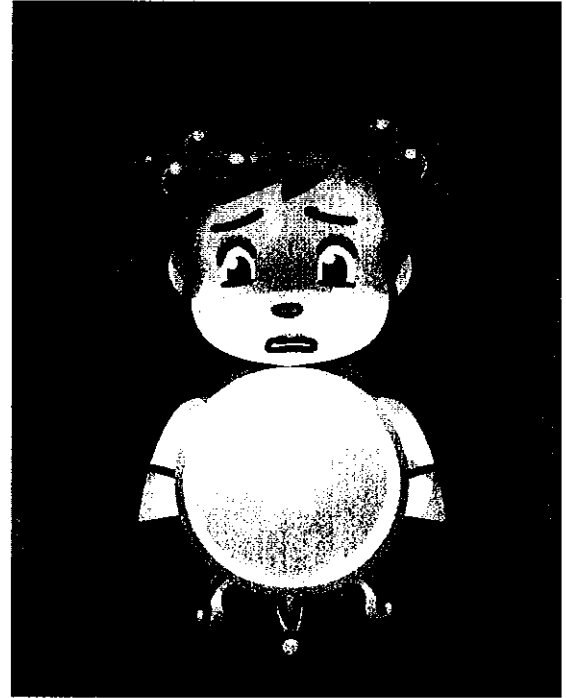
# The Fortune Teller

by Kelly Hashway

Maureen stood on the boardwalk and stared at the fortune teller's booth. She'd always thought fortune telling was a little spooky.

"Come on. I want to get my fortune told," Becca said, pulling Maureen toward the booth.

They walked through the strings of beads hanging in the doorway. It was completely dark inside. The only light came from a single candle in the middle of a round table. A woman wearing a bandanna sat at the table and motioned them over.



"Please, sit. I'm Madam Ursula." She locked her eyes on Maureen. "No need to be frightened. Sit and we will find out what it is that's scaring you so much."

Maureen's eyes widened. "Um, no. I'm not getting my fortune told."

"I am," Becca said, plopping down in the seat.

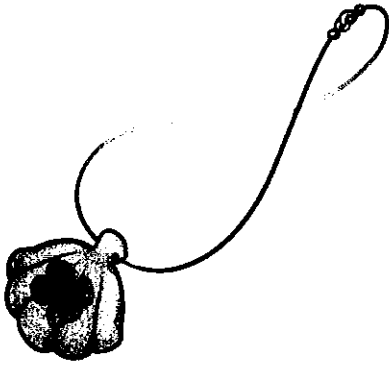
Madam Ursula rose. "Ah, but there's something you need to hear. I can see it already." She led Maureen to a chair.

Maureen's hands shook as she reached up and touched the lucky seashell she wore on a string around her neck.

Madam Ursula sat down and closed her eyes. "You are very superstitious, are you not?"

"She is!" Becca said.

Maureen's foot shook. How could this woman know anything about her? Her shoe grazed the leg of the table.



"You're nervous. You think people shouldn't have their fortunes told."

"Wow!" Becca said. "You're amazing! What else can you see?"

Madam Ursula smiled. "Hmm. I have good news. You will receive a gift from a friend today."

"Ooh! I wonder what it will be," Becca said.

Maureen relaxed in her chair. She didn't listen as Madam Ursula told Becca her fortune. She thought about her own fortune. She touched her seashell necklace, feeling the smooth point of the four-leaf clover on the front of it. Four-leaf clover! That's how Madam Ursula knew she was superstitious. In her excitement Maureen wagged her foot harder. Madam Ursula jumped. Maureen peered under the table. She hadn't been nervously kicking the table leg. She'd been kicking Madam Ursula. But what about the gift she was supposed to get from a friend?

"That will be ten dollars for the both of you," Madam Ursula said.

"I got it," Becca put the money on the table.

Madam Ursula winked at Maureen, and Maureen laughed.

"What's so funny?" Becca asked as they left.

"She knew you dragged me in there, so she figured you'd pay for both of us."

Becca shrugged. "It was still fun."

"Yeah, it kind of was."

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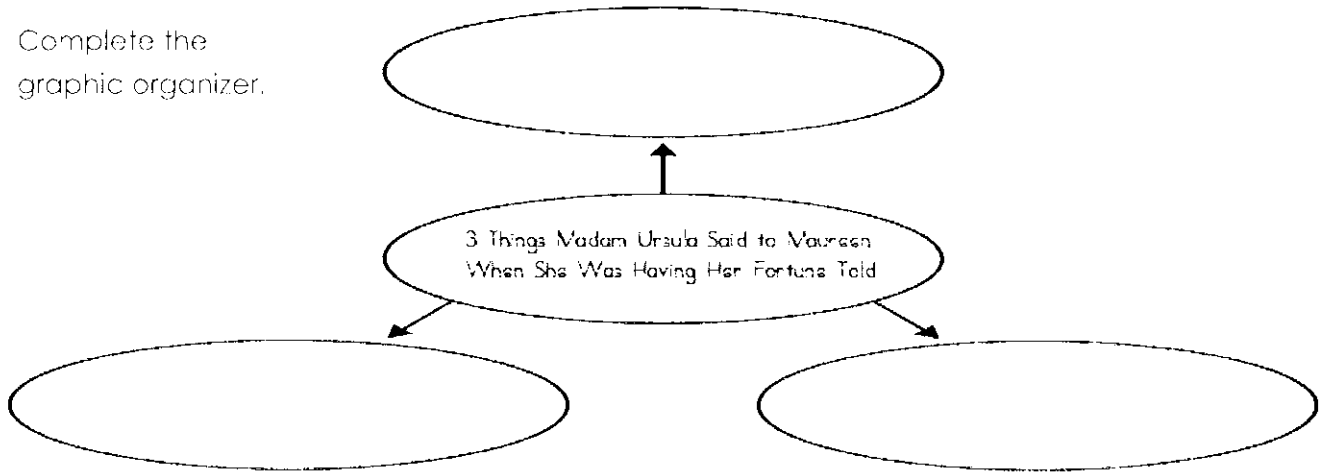
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1. When they first walked in the fortune teller's booth, how were Maureen and Becca's attitudes towards Madam Ursula different?

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2. Complete the graphic organizer.



3. Which word best describes Becca? (circle one)

timid	outgoing	intelligent	greedy
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Explain why you chose this word.

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4. Which word best describes Madam Ursula? (circle one)

overwhelmed	graceful	confused	insightful
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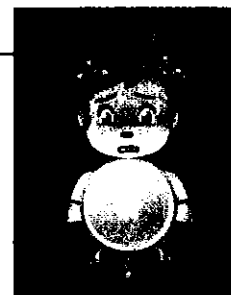
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Fill in the missing letters to create a word from the story.  
Then, write the full word on the line. Be sure you spell each  
word correctly.

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**hint:** colorful cloth used to cover the neck or head

1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_ \_ \_ \_ a \_ \_ \_ \_ w \_ \_ \_ \_ \_

**hint:** sidewalk made of wood

2. \_\_\_\_\_

3. \_ \_ u \_ \_ e \_ \_ \_ t i \_ \_ \_ o u \_ \_

**hint:** believing in magic or luck

3. \_\_\_\_\_

4. \_ \_ \_ \_ z \_ \_ d

**hint:** scraped or touched lightly

4. \_\_\_\_\_

5. \_ \_ \_ \_ o \_ \_ o \_ \_ n g

**hint:** allowing your body to drop heavily into a chair

5. \_\_\_\_\_

6. \_ \_ \_ g g \_ \_ \_ d

**hint:** moved from side to side

6. \_\_\_\_\_

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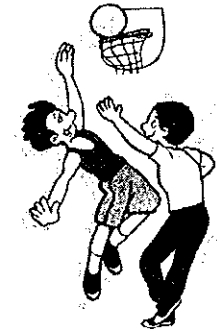
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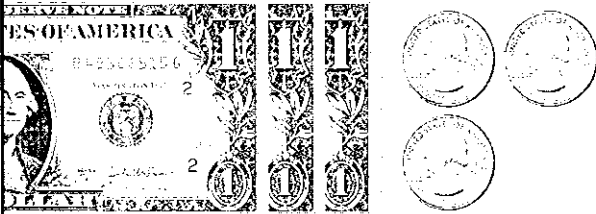


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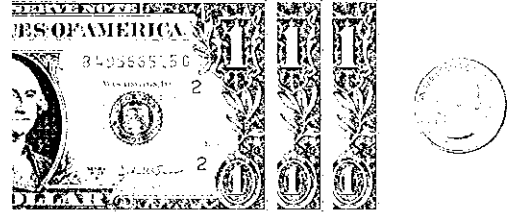
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# Comparing Money

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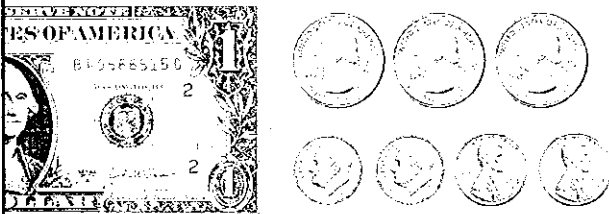


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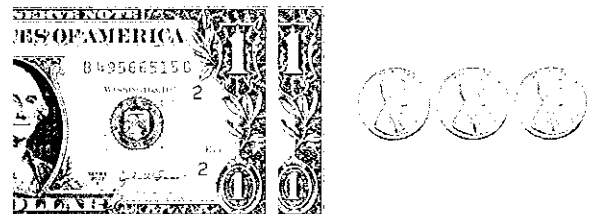


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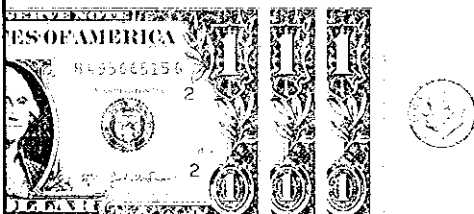


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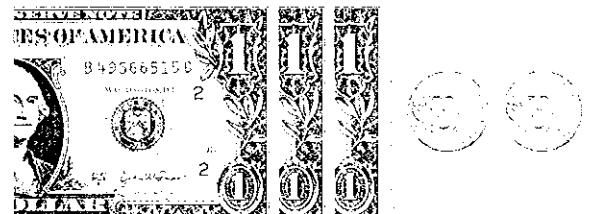


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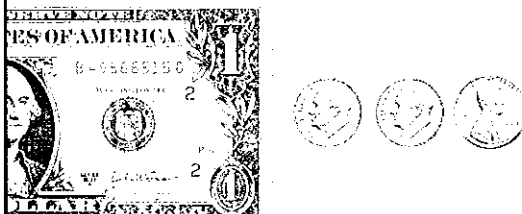


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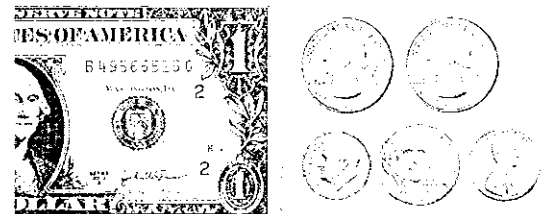


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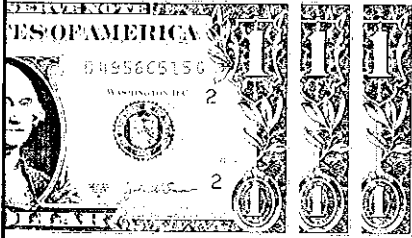
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# Counting Money

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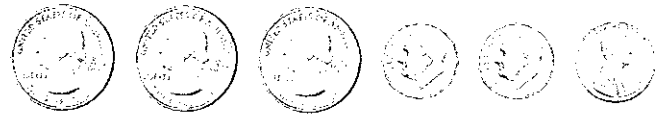
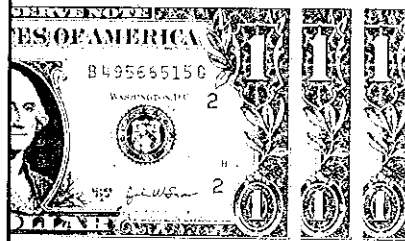
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★ Challenge: Can you count all of the money on this page and find the total? \_\_\_\_\_