



1 Remember the story

Answer in your own words. Look back at the story if you want.

- 1 What response did Binyomin predict before a club member read his work?

- 2 What did Shmuel actually ask?

- 3 Why did one helpful listener not prove that everyone would like the story?





2 Fact or guess

Read each sentence. Circle Fact if the story shows it for sure.
Circle Guess if it is only an idea someone has.

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| 1 | Binyomin wrote about a radish. | Fact | Guess |
| 2 | All older boys would reject a funny vegetable story. | Fact | Guess |
| 3 | Shmuel asked how the radish could hang. | Fact | Guess |
| 4 | One listener's interest guaranteed everyone's interest. | Fact | Guess |
| 5 | A boy later suggested a clearer reason for the radish's wish. | Fact | Guess |
| 6 | Binyomin revised part of the beginning. | Fact | Guess |

Write one fact and one guess from your own day.





3 Think and write

Write what is true for you, or write about a made-up person. You do not have to share anything private.

- 1 Write a prediction about how a willing listener might respond.

- 2 Describe one small, agreed way to get actual information with adult support.

- 3 What could one response tell you? What could it not prove?





4 Word search

Find the 6 words. They go across or down.

S	K	W	K	S	B	S	A	L	L
Y	V	S	T	O	R	Y	F	A	L
O	C	L	L	H	D	W	K	U	R
C	I	H	U	H	M	P	G	G	A
U	T	C	H	A	I	N	A	H	D
V	I	F	O	U	E	B	R	L	I
D	W	T	R	O	O	T	D	Y	S
R	M	Y	H	N	M	P	E	O	H
R	E	N	V	V	P	P	N	S	B
O	U	G	E	S	E	H	U	G	F

RADISH ROOT CHAIN STORY LAUGH GARDEN





5 Words connected to the story

These words are connected to the story. Put the letters in order.

1 S R H I A D

2 O T O R

3 H I N C A

4 R O T Y S

5 U G H A L

6 A R D N E G





6 Say it out loud

Practice these out loud, or whisper them. Then write what you would say in your own words.

- 1 "That's what I expect. I haven't heard their response yet."

- 2 "Would you like to read one paragraph?"

- 3 "One person was interested. I don't know what everyone will think."





7 Draw the moment

Draw the imaginary radish studying a chandelier picture. Add a harmless funny caption.



8 Try another scene

An invented girl thinks nobody will understand the ending of her comic. A teacher helps her invite one willing reader to explain what they understood. Write what she predicted, what the reader said, and one thing she now knows. The reader may have a useful question rather than perfect praise.



Answers for the grownup

This page is for checking. Fold it back or keep it for later.

Remember the story

1 An insulting laugh/rejection as babyish. 2 Whether it had roots or a chain, and how it could hang. 3 People differ; one response supplies limited information.

Fact or guess

1. Fact 2. Guess 3. Fact 4. Guess 5. Fact 6. Fact

Word search

RADISH: row 3, column 10, down; ROOT: row 7, column 4, across;
CHAIN: row 5, column 3, across; STORY: row 2, column 3, across;
LAUGH: row 1, column 9, down; GARDEN: row 4, column 8, down

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