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# The Missing Puppy Part 1

Read the passage below and answer the questions that follow.

Once upon a time, in the bustling city of Brightville, there was a delightful little puppy named Max. Max had soft, golden fur, and his eyes sparkled like two shiny marbles. He lived with his loving family, in a cozy house near the city park. And, like all puppies, Max was full of energy and was always very curious.

One sunny morning, Max's family took him for a walk in the park. Max wagged his tail happily as he sniffed the grass and chased



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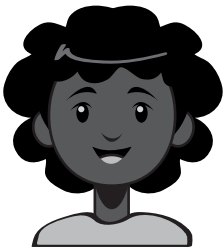
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He wasn't sure what to do next.

As Max roamed the city streets, he noticed a group of children playing with a colorful ball. Max thought maybe they could help him. He approached them, wagging his tail and barking softly. The children were delighted to see a lost puppy. They decided to help him find his family.

The children made posters with Max's picture and distributed them all around the city. They hoped someone would recognize Max and provide information about his family. The city became filled with posters, and soon everyone knew about the missing puppy.



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Days passed, and just when hope was starting to fade, a kind lady named Mrs. Jenkins saw Max's poster while she was out for a walk one sunny morning. She remembered seeing Max near a bakery and thought he might be there. Mrs. Jenkins hurried to the bakery, and sure enough, Max was waiting outside, looking for a friendly face.

Max and Mrs. Jenkins reunited, and Max's family was overjoyed when they received the good news. The children who had helped Max were immediately rewarded. The family was very happy.



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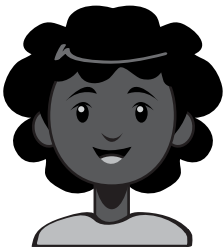
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1. What happened to Max while he was in the park?
  - a) In c
  - b) Ne

2. What happened to Max while he was in the park?
  - a) He slipped out of his collar
  - b) He found a colorful ball
  - c) He made friends with other puppies
  - d) He got lost in the forest

3. How did Lily, Ethan, and Mia help Max?
  - a) They played with him
  - b) They made posters with his picture
  - c) They called his family on the phone
  - d) They gave him treats and toys





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# The Missing Puppy Part 3

## “Searching for Synonyms”

REMEMBER: A synonym is a word that has the same meaning as another word

Example: happy and glad

On the spaces below, write a synonym for each word from the story.

Curio

Startl



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Unfamiliar \_\_\_\_\_

Terrified \_\_\_\_\_

Delighted \_\_\_\_\_

Overjoyed \_\_\_\_\_

