

## RL 4.2\_2 Summarize the text

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### The Big Word

CHARACTERS:

MRS. LAWSON, Jane's mother

JANE, an 11-year-old girl

Scene 1

Stage Set: Jane is sitting in her room. Books are spread in front of her.

- (Mrs. Lawson enters Jane's room.)
- MRS. LAWSON: Jane, darling, dinner is ready! I made your favorite grilled chicken.
- JANE: Mom, I'll have dinner later. I need to finish my homework, which is due tomorrow.  
(Mrs. Lawson calmly takes a seat next to Jane.)
- MRS. LAWSON: It's OK, Jane. You're a smart girl. You will finish it on time. Do you need any help?
- JANE: Mom, I don't know how to correctly explain this big word. I tried searching in the dictionary, but I couldn't find the meaning.
- MRS. LAWSON: You must be tired. Let me see.
- (Mrs. Lawson flips through the dictionary and finds the word.)
- MRS. LAWSON: Aha! There you go!
- JANE: (excitedly) Thanks, mom! You're the best!  
(Curtain closes.)

#### Which is the best summary of the drama?

- A. Jane's mom realizes that Jane is finding it difficult to complete her homework because she is tired. So, she decides to help Jane, and Jane thanks her mom.
- B. Jane's mom finds Jane sitting in her room. She calls Jane to eat dinner, but Jane tells her that she has to finish her homework and will eat later.
- C. Jane tells her mom that she cannot find the meaning of a big word. Jane's mom tells Jane that she is a smart girl, and she will finish her homework on time.
- D. Jane tells her mom that she will eat dinner after finishing her homework. Jane's mom decides to wait for Jane to finish her homework.