

Reading Comprehension

FABLE

One day, the Wind and the Sun were talking.

"I'm stronger than you!" said the Sun.
"No you're not," said the Wind. "I'm much stronger than you!"
As they talked, they saw a man wearing a jacket.
"Why don't we have a competition?" said the Wind. Who takes the jacket off the man, will be the strongest of all!"

"The Wind was the first. He blew so hard that leaves and branches fell off the trees. But the Wind could not take the jacket off the man. The man was very cold so he kept his jacket with him.

"You have failed," said the Sun. "And now it is my turn." The Sun shone. It was very warm. The man felt hot and thirsty. He stopped to drink a cup of water. The Sun shone brighter and the man became hotter and hotter. He pulled off his boots. It was much too hot to wear them. At last he came to a stream. He sat on the bank and put his feet in the cool water. But the Sun shone warmly on his back. The man decided to rest under a huge tree. He took off his jacket and fell asleep.

"I have won," said the Sun to the Wind. "As you can see it is easier to influence people with gentleness than with force."

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1 CHOOSE A TITLE FOR THE FABLE

A. The man and the coat. B. The wind and the man. C. The wind and the sun.

2 WHAT TYPE OF STORY IS THIS?

A. It is a fairy tale with princesses and castles.

B. It is a fable with moral.

C. It is a poem that rhymes.

3 WHO ARE THE MAIN CHARACTERS?

A. The sun and the wind. B. The man and the coat. C. The sun.

4 WHO IS THE STRONGEST?

A. The wind. B. The sun. C. The man.

5 CHOOSE THE MORAL

A. Be strong and you will win.

B. Gentle persuasion is better that strenght.

C. The happy you are the better.

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