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Topic: Plot

The **plot** is what happens in the story. Think about what happens at the beginning, middle, and end. Then think about the story problem and how it is solved.

Read the story. Then answer the questions below.

Ling went to her new school for the first time. She was afraid. She did not know anyone. But at lunch some children asked her to sit at their table. Ling ate lunch with them. She had fun. Ling sat with her new friends on the bus on the way home. She was not afraid anymore.

1. Who is the main character in the story?
2. Where did the story happen?
3. At what time of day did the story begin?
 - a) in the afternoon
 - b) in the morning
 - c) at night
4. What was Ling's problem?
 - a) Ling did not want to go to a new school.
 - b) Ling was afraid to go to a new school.
 - c) Ling got into trouble at school.
5. How did the children help to solve Ling's problem?
 - a) Some children asked her to sit at their table.
 - b) The children ate Ling's lunch.
6. What happened at the end of the story that showed that Ling's problem was solved?
 - a) She rode the bus home alone.
 - b) She was not afraid anymore.

