

Maurice E. Moore Primary School
Bi-Weekly Assessment #3
Reading Comprehension
Topics: Story Elements

Read the story. Answer the questions.

Something Special

Julie woke up early and ran down the stairs with a huge smile on her face. She had been waiting all night for Saturday to arrive. It was her 8th birthday. She ran into the kitchen. On the table was a large pile of hot, steaming flapjacks with a candle in them. Dante, Julie's brother, walked in holding a large box wrapped in pretty pink paper and tied with a shiny, purple bow. Julie beamed and quickly tore off the paper to reveal a box with a beautiful doll on the side. She hugged and kissed her brother and ran to call her best friend. The day was starting off wonderfully.

1. Who are the characters in the story?

2. Who was the main character in the story?

3. Where did the story take place?

a at home

b in the park

c at church

4. When did the story take place?

a night

b morning

c evening

Write *beginning*, *middle*, and *end* to show the order of the story plot.

5. Julie opened her gift, then she hugged and kissed her brother.

6. Julie ran into the kitchen with a huge smile on her face.

7. Dante walked in the kitchen holding a large box.