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Reading Comprehension
Making Predictions

Read each story and answer the questions.

1. Peter has an apple tree. His dad planted it in his backyard. There are many apples on it. Peter wants an apple, so he shakes the tree. **What do you predict will happen next?**

a. An apple will fall from the tree.
b. The tree will fall.

2. Toby has a hole in his pocket. His mother gave him money to buy himself some lunch at school. Toby put the money in his pocket and walked to the school bus stop. **What do you predict will happen next?**

a. Toby will give the money to his friend on the bus.
b. The money will fall out of his pocket.

3. Matthew's dog has been outside all day. When he went to the door to go inside, he was covered in mud. Matthew went inside and grabbed a bottle of soap. Then he went over to the hose and turned it on. **What do you predict will happen next?**

a. Matthew is going to give his dog a bath.
b. Matthew is going to feed his dog.