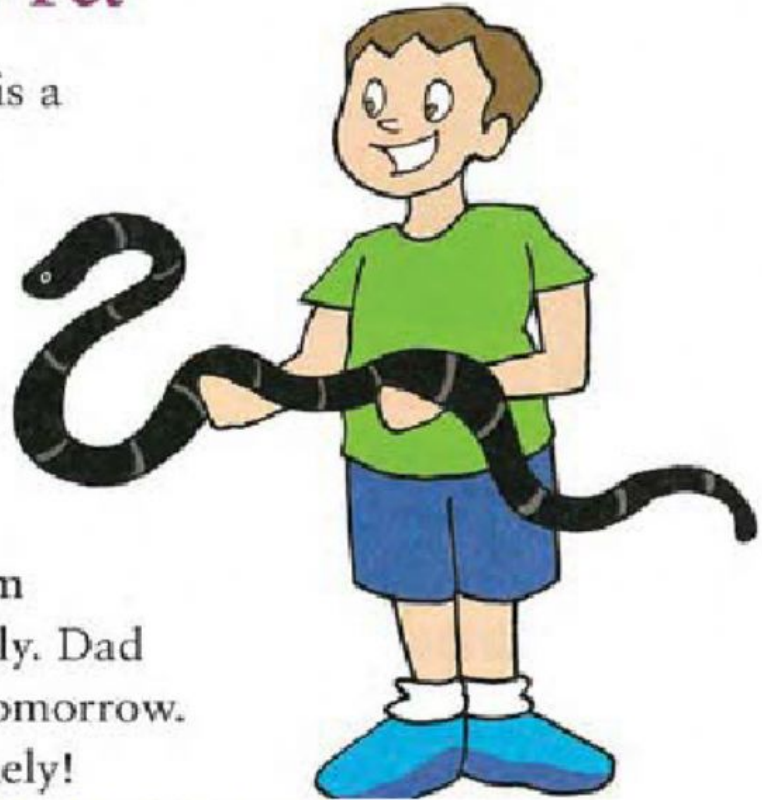


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Mark's New Pet

I have a new pet. He is a snake. His name is Sam. Snakes are my favorite animals. I like them because they are soft and cool. I love to pick up Sam and hold him. My friends don't like Sam. They run away from him. I think he feels lonely. Dad will buy another snake tomorrow. Then, Sam won't feel lonely!



Reading Comprehension

Choose the best answer.

1. Who is this story about?
 - a. A dog
 - b. Mark's dad
 - c. A pet snake
 - d. A lonely boy
2. What do the children do when they meet Sam?
 - a. Run away
 - b. Pick him up
 - c. Talk to him
 - d. Hold him
3. Why is Mark worried about Sam?
 - a. He wants a pet dog.
 - b. Mark worries too much.
 - c. People scream at him.
 - d. He thinks Sam is lonely.
4. Which is true?
 - a. Sam has many friends.
 - b. Mark and Sam are snakes.
 - c. Mark loves his pet.
 - d. Sam is not a pet.