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Read the passage.

Fox Gets Help

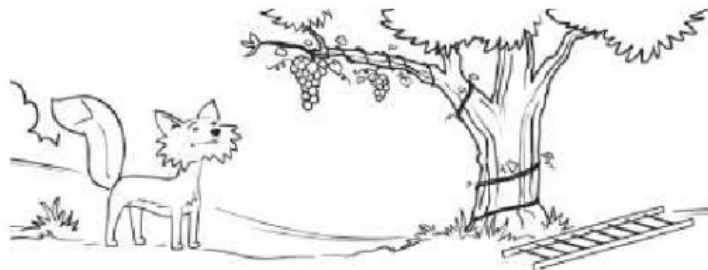
One day, Fox was walking in the woods. High in a tree, he saw a nice bunch of grapes. "Those will make a healthful snack," Fox thought. He jumped up to get the grapes.

Fox nearly reached the grapes, but he could not jump high enough. He really wanted those grapes. So Fox made a plan. He got a ladder and leaned it on the tree. He should be able to reach the grapes easily.

The wind began blowing strongly. As Fox stepped up to the ladder, the wind blew it down on the ground. This happened over and over again. Fox sighed loudly. He was about to give up. Then Turtle crept up slowly.

Turtle had an idea that was helpful. He would hold the ladder tightly while Fox climbed up. Fox went up the ladder and picked the bunch of grapes.

When Fox was safely back on the ground, he shared the grapes with Turtle. Fox was thankful for his friend's help. Sometimes it takes a friend to help you reach a goal.



Answer the questions.

1. What was the problem in the story?

2. What steps did Fox take to solve the problem?

3. What was Fox's solution to the problem?
