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Text 2 **A** **Read the letter.**

28th August 20XX

Dear Humpty Dumpty,

Mum asked me to write because she is worried about you. I am worried too! Every day you just sit on a wall and eat unhealthy food. I think you will fall because you are very fat. I have some ideas to help you.

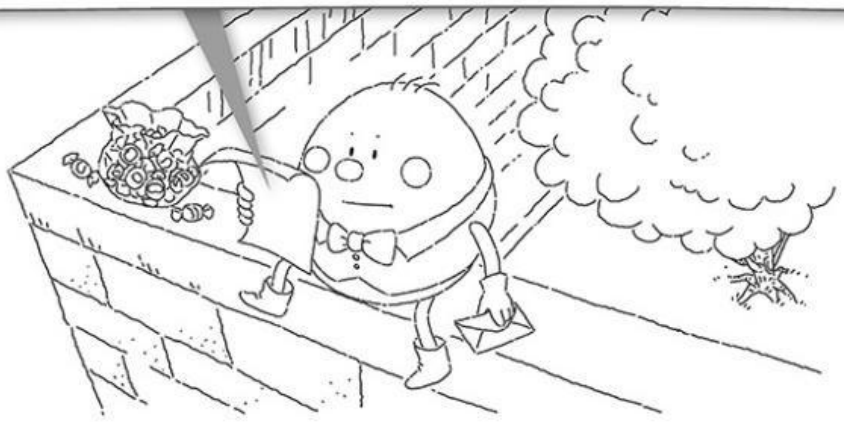
Mum said you eat a lot of takeaway food. You need to eat less takeaway food and have more home-cooked meals. Come to my house for dinner. I can teach you to cook if you like. I know you eat a lot of steak and pork chops. You need to eat less meat. Mum said you also eat a lot of fried noodles. You need to eat fewer noodles. If you eat a lot, you will get really fat!

Do you eat any fruit or vegetables? I know when we were kids, you only ate a little fruit and very few vegetables. You need to eat more fruit and vegetables. I am growing peas and tomatoes on my balcony. They are delicious. You must try some! I think you will love them.

What about doing some exercise? I know you like climbing onto your wall every day so maybe you will like mountain climbing. You can do it in the countryside. There are fewer people there and less noise. It is lovely and peaceful.

I hope you will follow my advice and you will be thinner and healthier. Please be careful on your wall. Don't fall — you will break and all the king's horses and all the king's men won't be able to put you together again!

Love from your brother,
Slim Jim



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B Read the letter again. Are these sentences true or false? Write 'T' or 'F'. Then correct the false sentences.

1 Humpty Dumpty and Slim Jim are friends. ☐

2 Humpty Dumpty doesn't often cook at home. ☐

3 Humpty Dumpty needs to eat more meat. ☐

4 Humpty Dumpty is growing food on his balcony. ☐

5 Slim Jim likes the countryside. ☐

C Blacken ● the circles.

1 Humpty Dumpty needs to eat ___ .

- ○ A. fewer noodles and more steak and pork chops
- ○ B. more fruit and vegetables and fewer noodles
- ○ C. fewer vegetables and more fruit
- ○ D. less meat and more noodles

2 Why does Slim Jim think Humpty Dumpty will fall?

- ○ A. He is not good at mountain climbing.
- ○ B. The wall is very high.
- ○ C. He is overweight.
- ○ D. His mum says sitting on a wall is dangerous.

3 In the letter, Slim Jim did NOT ask Humpty Dumpty to ___ .

- ○ A. stop sitting on the wall
- ○ B. eat less unhealthy food
- ○ C. eat more healthy food
- ○ D. do some exercise

☆4 Slim Jim wrote this letter to tell Humpty Dumpty ___ .

- ○ A. the best type of exercise for him
- ○ B. that the king's men cannot help him
- ○ C. about his balcony garden
- ○ D. how to be healthier



The answer should be about the whole letter, not just part of it.

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