

Task 1. Choose the correct answer

1. The story is about the Blooms and a (**dog / bird**).
2. Mom can't (**walk / see**).
3. The bird's name is (**Penguin / Parrot**).
4. Penguin is (**black and white / brown and white**).
5. The boys come home at (**3 o'clock / 6 o'clock**).

Task 2. True (T) or False (F)

1. Mom is not OK in 2013. **T / F**
2. The boy finds a small bird that is fine. **T / F**
3. The family gives the bird a new name: Penguin. **T / F**
4. Penguin has two colours. **T / F**
5. In the afternoon, Penguin sits with Mom. **T / F**
6. At 3 o'clock, Penguin waits in the garden. **T / F**
7. The boys study with Penguin after school. **T / F**
8. Penguin never leaves the Bloom family. **T / F**

Task 3. Fill in the missing words to complete the text

This is a story about the Blooms: Mom, Dad, three boys... and a bird.

In 2013, Mom gets (1)_____. She can't (2)_____.

One day, one of the boys finds a baby magpie. It's hurt, too. The boy brings it (3)_____.

This bird is black and white, so they call her "Penguin". The Blooms help Penguin get better. Soon, she can (4)_____!

Penguin helps the Blooms, too.

In the (5)_____ , she flies into the bedroom and the boys get up. She sits with Mom in the (6)_____.

At three o'clock, Penguin goes to the (7)_____ and waits. The boys come home from school.

Now they can (8)_____. With Penguin, the Blooms are happy again.

One day, Penguin flies away. The Blooms love Penguin, but they aren't sad. Now she's with other birds!