

B. Directions: Read and understand the short story below. Analyze the story elements by answering the guide questions.

New Game

Sammy is a funny little monkey. He lives in a zoo. He likes to eat bananas and play in the treetops. There are lots of other little monkeys in the monkey yard. They like to play on the rope swings and chase each other around.

One day, the zookeepers had to take down the swings because the ropes were getting old. They might break, and the monkeys might get hurt. Sammy was sad. He sat down under a tree.

Then another little monkey named Ronnie ran over to Sammy. "Race you to the top of this tree!" Ronnie said. Sammy jumped up. He liked this new game! Soon all monkeys were racing each other up the trees. They all liked this new game.

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- 1) What is the title of the story? _____
- 2) Who are the characters in the story? _____, _____, _____
- 3) Where did the story happen? _____
- 4) When did the story happen? _____
- 5) How did the story end? _____