



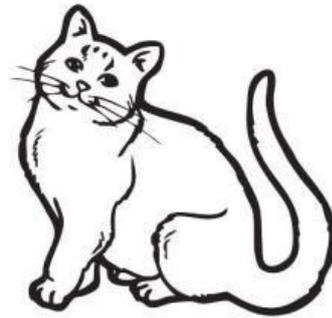
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CATS

Cats have things that help them catch mice. These things also help cats get away.

Cats use these to feel their way in the dark, and they use them to find out how large a hole is. They also use these when the air moves. These things help tell the cat if there is a wall, a bed, or an object from the air that hits them. The cat uses these to feel its food on the ground. They tell the cat if a mouse is about to get away. If a twig hits it, the cat will blink to protect its eyes because these things let it know quickly that something is coming toward it.

Do you know what part of a cat this is? It is the whiskers! They give the cat feeling. They guide and save the cat from getting hurt. They help your cat go through its day and night happy.



STORY QUESTIONS

1. What is this story mostly about?
 - a. keeping your cat safe
 - b. the life of a cat
 - c. a cat's whiskers
 - d. helping your cat eat the right food
2. An **antonym** means the opposite. *Day* is an antonym for . . .

a. light.	c. big.
b. wall.	d. night.
3. Which one is **NOT TRUE** about the cat's whiskers?
 - a. They help it to cook rice.
 - b. They save the cat from getting hurt.
 - c. They help it find their way in the dark.
 - d. They help it catch mice.