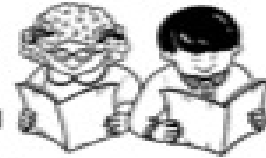


Name _____ Skill: Reading comprehension-reasoning

Read the story and answer the questions.



I was counting down the seconds as I watched the clock. I didn't even hear what the teacher was saying. All I know is I was ready to leave. It was Friday. I heard some chatter in the background, but I didn't listen. All I could think about was how good the food would be that night. I would order a thick juicy hamburger and some fries with extra ketchup. All of the waiters loved me at Jake's Hamburger Stop. My parents had promised to take me there. Finally the bell rang. I jumped up and ran to my locker. A lot of papers flew out. I just stuffed them back in, grabbed my things, and ran down the hallway. "Sarah," I heard my teacher call, "Don't forget about..." as I ran out of the door. On Monday, I was back at school. "Oh, no, we are having a test," I thought. How could I have known? The teacher handed out the tests. I didn't know any of the answers to the multiplication or division problems.

1. Where was I when I was watching the clock?

2. Where were my parents taking me that night?

3. What was Sarah's teacher probably trying to tell her?

4. Do you think Sarah did well on the test? Why or why not?

5. What class was Sarah probably in when she was watching the clock?
