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answer key

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MAIN IDEA AND DETAILS

Read each story and choose the correct answer below!

Molly took her new bike out to the sidewalk. Her dad was going to teach her to ride it. He said it was easy, but she wasn't so sure. He said not to worry, but she wasn't so sure. She got on the bike, and her dad ran beside her, holding on to keep her steady. The bike wiggled a little, but Molly rode to the end of the block. She put on the brakes and looked around. Her dad was all the way up the sidewalk—she had been riding all by herself! After that, Molly never worried about riding a bike. She knew that she could do it.

1. What is the whole story mostly about?
 - a. Molly learns to ride a bike
 - b. Molly gets a new bike
 - c. Molly's dad ran beside her
2. Which of these is a small piece of information from the story that makes the story more interesting?
 - a. Molly took her new bike to the park
 - b. Molly wore her pink shirt.
 - c. The bike wiggled a little.

The eye doctor said Julie needed glasses. Julie picked out a pair of cute pink glasses. But when the glasses were ready, Julie wasn't so sure. When she went to school the next day, she kept her new glasses in her backpack. She went into her classroom, and saw her teacher, Mrs. Swan. Mrs. Swan was wearing new pink glasses! Now Julie wasn't worried about wearing her new glasses. Now she thought her new glasses were wonderful!

1. What is this whole story mostly about?
 - a. Julie's teacher
 - b. Julie's new glasses
 - c. Julie's classroom
2. Which of these is a small piece of information from the story that makes the story more interesting?
 - a. Julie's glasses came in a cute case.
 - b. Mrs. Swan liked Julie's new glasses.
 - c. Julie's new glasses are pink.