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## THE MAIN IDEA OF PARAGRAPH

Read each paragraph and choose the main idea!

Susy Brown is a good girl. Some of her friends were going to the woods to pick berries, and Susy wanted to go with them. However, when Susy came home from school, she found her mother tired and worn out from her work. Susy took the baby and said she would stay at home and let her mother rest. When the girls came home with their berries, they all gave Susy some. Everybody loves Susy.

1. Is Susy Brown a good girl or a bad girl?

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2. What are her friends doing?

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3. What is the main idea of the story?

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Simon the scarecrow stood in the cornfield. He had a red shirt and a pumpkin head. Simon's job was to keep the birds away from the corn. One day, Simon saw a flock of crows in the sky. He heard them talking about the yummy corn in the field.

Simon watched as the crows landed in the field. The crows started to eat the corn. Simon shook his arms. The crows did not move. Simon shook his legs. The crows did not move.

Simon made a loud caw! The crows did not move. Simon shook his pumpkin head. His straw hat fell off. The crows did not move. Simon frowned. How could he scare away the crows? Simon made a "meow" like a cat. The crows flew away. They cawed at Simon. Simon smiled. He had done his job

1. What kind of head did Simon have?

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2. What is the main idea of the story?

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