## I Like to Read Comic Books



A collection of stories for Level - 38

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I Like to Read Comic Books

I like to read comic books.

They are fun to read. They make me smile.

I read them in the morning.

I read them in the afternoon.

I read them at night.

I even read them when I go camping.

Comic books are great to read.



I Planted a Tree

I planted a tree last spring.

I planted it in my backyard.

Mom said that it will be fun to watch it get bigger.

When it is bigger, birds will build nests and live in it.

When it is bigger, squirrels will build nests and live in it, too.

I am glad that I planted a tree.



My dad has a case.

He takes it to work with him every day.

There are a lot of papers in his case.

Dad needs the papers to do his job.

Every day he brings his case home from work.

He works on his papers at home.

It is good that dad has a case for his papers.



## My Fantastic Dog

I am Fred. This is my fantastic dog. Her name is Fran. Fran and I are the best of friends.

We do a lot of things together. We go for walks. We play ball. We even travel together.

You can see we are ready to travel again. Fran is a fantastic dog.



My mom has a case.

She takes it to work with her every day.

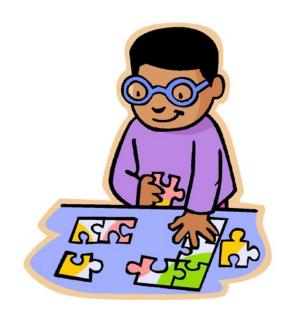
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## Rocky Likes Puzzles

This is Rocky. He likes puzzles.

He puts puzzles together every day.

He puts together easy puzzles.

He puts together hard puzzles.

He puts together puzzles of the outdoors.

He puts together puzzles of people. Rocky really likes puzzles.



Rocky and the Puzzle

One day Rocky sat down with a puzzle.

He wanted to put it together.

"I like to do puzzles," said Rocky.

"Puzzles make my brain work."

Rocky worked hard and soon the puzzle was done.

"It was a good for my brain to do this puzzle," said Rocky.



## Some Kids Made Me

"Some kids made me," said Greg the snowman.

"First they made and stacked three big balls of snow."

"Then they made me two arms out of snow."

"They used round rocks for my eyes, mouth and buttons."

"I have a bucket for a hat, a carrot for a nose, and I hold a broom."

"I think I am one cool looking snowman," said Greg.



The Little Dog Has a Nose

The little dog has a nose.

He is a sweet little dog.

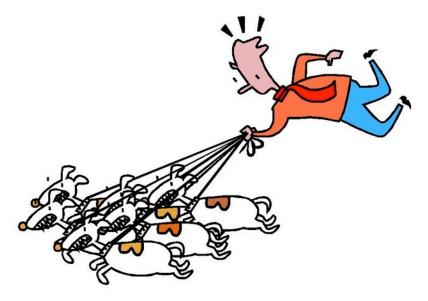
I can feel his nose with my nose.

It is a funny feeling.

His nose is wet.

My nose is dry.

Have you ever felt a little dog's nose?



The Man and His Dogs

The man and his dogs went for a walk.

They were walking along.

"Look there goes a squirrel," said one dog.

"Let's go after him," said another dog.

The dogs took off into a fast run.

"Stop! Stop!" yelled the man.

They didn't listen. The man had to hang on.



The Umbrella on a Log

One day a mother duck and her little ducks went for a swim.

"Look there is an umbrella on a log," said one of the little ducks.

"We can go there and sit under it," said the other little duck.

"No. Don't go there!" said the mother duck.

"That log is an alligator who wants to eat us for a snack!"



Time to Read

The morning has gone fast. I look up at the clock.

It is time to read with my teacher. Today we are reading about cars.

Ms. Wright tells us to come up to the reading spot.

My friends and I bring the reading books with us.

We sit down quickly and are soon ready to read with Ms. Wright.



We Can Help Make a Cake

We can help make a cake.

It will be a neat cake.

It will be good to eat.

We want it to look just right.

We want it to be pretty.

Kids will love to eat this cake.

We hope we will soon be done.



Yesterday a Zebra

Yesterday a zebra came to my school.

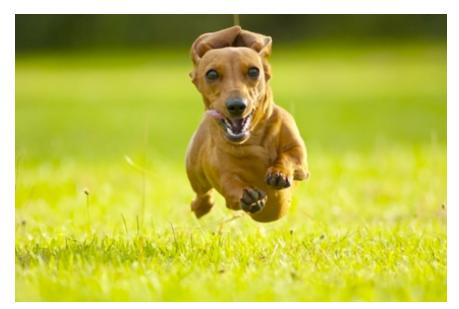
He came right into my school and sat down.

My teacher couldn't think of what to say.

The unreal thing about this zebra was that he could read.

He told my teacher that he had come to my school to read stories to kids.

It was fun to hear him read stories to us.



Zeb Can Go Fast

I have a dog named Zeb. One day Zeb and I were out for a walk.

"Let's see how fast you can go, Zeb," I said.

"Ready, set, go!" I called out.

Zeb took off. He ran out into the grass.

He ran so fast it looked like he was just flying across the ground.

I could see that Zeb is one fast dog!