

# The Tortoise and the Eagle

Answer the following questions.

1. Why didn't the tortoise and the eagle meet regularly?

The eagle and tortoise didn't meet regularly because the tortoise lived on the ground whereas the eagle lived up on a tree.

2. Why did the eagle visit the tortoise?

The eagle visited the tortoise because he heard that the tortoise was very friendly and kind hearted.

3. How did the tortoise respond to the eagle's visit?

The tortoise invited the eagle into his home with a big meal.

4. What were the eagle's thoughts while eating the tortoise's food?

While eating the tortoise's food, the eagle kept on thinking that the tortoise would never reach the tree top to eat his food.

5. Who advised the tortoise about the eagle?

A frog advised the tortoise about the eagle.

6. How did the tortoise plan to teach the eagle a lesson?

The tortoise planned to go to eagle's house by hiding in the pumpkin. The eagle carried the pumpkin to the tree top. The tortoise came out of the pumpkin and told the eagle

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that he wanted to have a meal with his family.

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Choose the correct answer.

1. The tortoise and the eagle rarely met

- a) because they lived in different countries.
- b) because they didn't like each other.
- ☒ c) because they lived at different heights.



2. The eagle enjoyed many meals at the tortoise's house and got greedy.....

- ☒ a) The frog told the tortoise what to do.
- b) The tortoise had a brilliant idea.
- c) The tortoise didn't mind the eagle being greedy.

3. The tortoise's wife filled the pumpkin with food and the eagle carried it away.

- a) The eagle knew that the tortoise was inside the pumpkin.
- b) The eagle ate the pumpkin with the tortoise inside it.
- ☒ c) The eagle didn't know that the tortoise was inside the pumpkin.

4. The eagle was angry when he found the tortoise.....

- a) The eagle hurt his beak on a chair's leg.
- ☒ b) The eagle hurt his beak on the tortoise's shell.
- c) The eagle hurt his beak on a nut.



5. The eagle carried the tortoise back to his home. He threatened to.....

- ☒ a) drop him so that his shell broke.
- b) leave him in a cloud.
- c) drop him in the sea.

6. The tortoise held him tightly, so that the eagle had to take him back home.  
The tortoise left the eagle to think about his.....

- a) foolishness
- b) greediness
- ☒ c) selfishness

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Add -ing to these action words. Then fill in the blanks with the right word.

clean

cleaning

kick

kicking

read

reading

glow

glowing

play

playing

cry

crying

eat

eating

drink

drinking

fly

flying

buy

buying

1. The children are playing cricket.
2. Ram is eating an apple.
3. She is crying because she lost her doll.
4. My dad is buying me a new dress.
5. The Moon is glowing in the dark.
6. Rani is reading a book.
7. They are drinking milk.
8. The kite is flying.
9. Aravind is kicking the ball.
10. We are cleaning the classroom.





Look at the table and frame as many sentences as you can.



- 1) I / you / we drink milk.
- 2) She plays tennis.
- 3) It plays on a cot.
- 4) I am sleeping on a cot.
- 5) you / we are sleeping on a cot.
- 6) she / It is sleeping on cot.
- 7) I / you / we / she / It cried.