

Reading Comprehension: The Lost Puppy - Answer Key

1st Grade - short story comprehension | 12 minutes

Read the passage:

Sam had a little puppy named Spot. One morning, Spot was not in his bed. Sam looked under the table. He looked behind the door. Then he heard a soft bark. Spot was hiding in a basket of socks! Sam laughed and gave Spot a big hug. 'There you are!' he said, and Spot wagged his tail.

Read the story. Then answer each question using the story.

1. What is the puppy's name?

Answer: Spot.

2. Where did Sam look first?

Answer: Under the table.

3. Where was Spot hiding?

Answer: In a basket of socks.

4. How did Sam feel when he found Spot?

Answer: Happy - he laughed and hugged him. (Sample answer.)

5. What is the story mostly about?

Answer: Sam looking for and finding his hiding puppy. (Sample answer.)

Challenge

6. How do you know Spot was happy at the end? Use the story.

Answer: He wagged his tail.