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Reading Comprehension **2**

## FICTION AND NON-FICTION

Remember: **Fiction** is everything that is **made up** or **not real**.

**Non-fiction** is everything that is **true** or **real**.

Do you think these pages come from fiction or non-fiction books?  
Write the answer under each one.

### Honey Milk

Ingredients:

- 1 bottle of milk
- 1 teaspoon of honey
- 1/4 teaspoon of nutmeg

Instructions:

1. Pour some milk into a tall glass
2. Stir in the honey
3. Mix in the nutmeg

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### Spot

Once upon a time there was a little cat who had a black spot on his head. All the other cats made fun of him. It looked like he had stuck his head into a tin of black paint.



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**Chop:** To cut into fine pieces.

**Cube:** To cut into small squares.

**Halve:** To cut into two equal parts.

**Peel:** To take off the outer skin.

**Stir:** To mix using a spoon.



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### Feeding your rabbit

Rabbits need dry rabbit mix, hay, vegetables and water to keep them healthy. Feed them 3 different vegetables a day but do not give them beans or potato peelings. Give rabbits fruit as a treat.

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1. Why was Mark very sad?

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he was sick

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he had lost his cat

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he had lost his dog

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he was lonely

2. What was Mark's dog called?

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Timmy

☐

Jerry

☐

Lucky

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Jack

3. How long was Jerry lost for?

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one week

☐

one day

☐

two weeks

☐

three weeks

4. How did this story make you feel?

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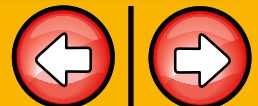
# A Poem - Daddy Fell into the Pond

a poem by Alfred Noyes

Everyone grumbled. The sky was grey.  
We had nothing to do and nothing to say.  
We were nearing the end of a dismal day,  
And then there seemed to be nothing beyond,  
Then, Daddy fell into the pond!

And everyone's face grew merry and bright,  
And Timothy danced for sheer delight.  
"Give me the camera, quick, oh quick!  
He's crawling out of the duckweed!" Click!

Then the gardener suddenly slapped his knee,  
And doubled up, shaking silently,  
And the ducks all quacked as if they were daft,  
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1. Who wrote the poem?

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2. What was the weather like?

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