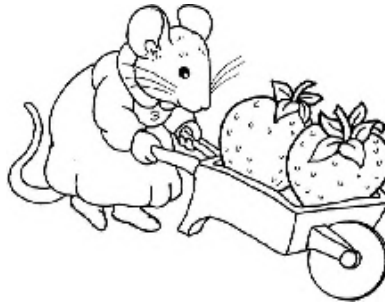


LITTLE MOUSE AND THE STRAWBERRY PIE



Little Mouse likes the summer season the best. She thinks it is when the strawberries taste the sweetest. Strawberries are Little Mouse's favorite food. She loves strawberry jam, strawberry ice cream, and strawberry pie. Little Mouse likes strawberry pie the best.

During the summer, Little Mouse makes a strawberry pie every day. First, she goes to the market and buys fresh strawberries for the pie. Then, she bakes a pie crust and makes the gooey filling for the pie. Next, she washes the strawberries and cuts them up. Finally, she adds the fresh strawberries and the thick, syrupy filling to the pie crust. The delicious pie is ready to eat!

ANSWER THE QUESTIONS.

1. Why does Little Mouse like the summer season the best?
 - a. It is warm in the summer
 - b. It is fun to swim in the summer.
 - c. It is when the strawberries taste the sweetest.
 - d. It is time to take a vacation.

2. Which of the following does Little Mouse like the best?
 - a. strawberry pie
 - b. strawberry ice cream
 - c. strawberry jam
 - d. strawberry candy

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3. When does Little Mouse make strawberry pies?
 - a. every day in the winter
 - b. on Tuesday
 - c. on Sunday
 - d. every day in the summer

4. When Little Mouse is ready to make a pie, what does she do first?
 - a. bakes a pie crust
 - b. goes to the market
 - c. cuts the strawberries
 - d. washes the strawberries

5. The word “gooey” in the story means _____.
 - a. thin
 - b. sweet
 - c. sticky
 - d. cold

6. What does little mouse do just before she eats the pie?
 - a. goes to the market with her sister
 - b. calls her friends to come and visit
 - c. washes the strawberries and cuts them
 - d. adds the strawberries and the filling to the pie crust

7. Do you like strawberries? How do you like to eat strawberries?

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ANSWERS TO LITTLE MOUSE AND THE STRAWBERRY PIE

1. c
2. a
3. d
4. b
5. c
6. d
7. answers will vary