

TED SAVES A KITTEN



"Ted, please take out the trash," his mother said. It was Ted's job to take out the trash at home.

"Can I do it later?" he asked. "My TV show is on."

"What kind of show?" his mother asked.

"Cartoons," Ted said.

"Please take out the trash now," said his mother. "You can watch TV when you finish."

The trash can was by the street. Ted threw out the trash. Then he heard a funny sound. "What's that?" he said.

"Meow." Ted looked up. There was a kitten in the tree.

"Hello there," said Ted. He liked cats. "Are you afraid? I bet you are. That's okay, I will help you down," said Ted.

He climbed the tree. He held the kitten. It was orange with a small white spot on its back. He took the kitten inside the house.

"Look, Mom, a cat," he said.

"Where did that come from?" she asked.

"I found it in that tree," he said. "Can I keep him?"

"Maybe," said his mother. "But we will try to find the owner. Maybe he got lost."

Ted hugged the cat.

"Meow," it said.



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Answer the questions about *TED SAVES A KITTEN*

1. What is the story about?
 - a. a caterpillar in a tree
 - b. a boy who finds a kitten
 - c. a kitten in a trash can
 - d. a cartoon cat
2. What is Ted watching on TV?
 - a. the news
 - b. a commercial
 - c. cartoons
 - d. a movie
3. How does the kitten get out of the tree?
 - a. it jumps
 - b. it climbs down a ladder
 - c. Ted's mother carries it
 - d. Ted climbs the tree and carries it out
4. What would you do if you found a lost kitten?



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Answers to *TED SAVES A KITTEN*

1. b
2. c
3. d
4. answers will vary

