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Activity Sheet 1

Name:

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Comprehension- A family for Ramses (pg 3-42)

Answer the following questions in complete sentences.

1. Do you think Gary was good at roller blading? How do you know?

2. How did Gary plan to rescue Ramses?

3. Who convinced Mum to keep the dog? How did she/he do it?

4. Why did Dad tear even before he heard about Ramses?

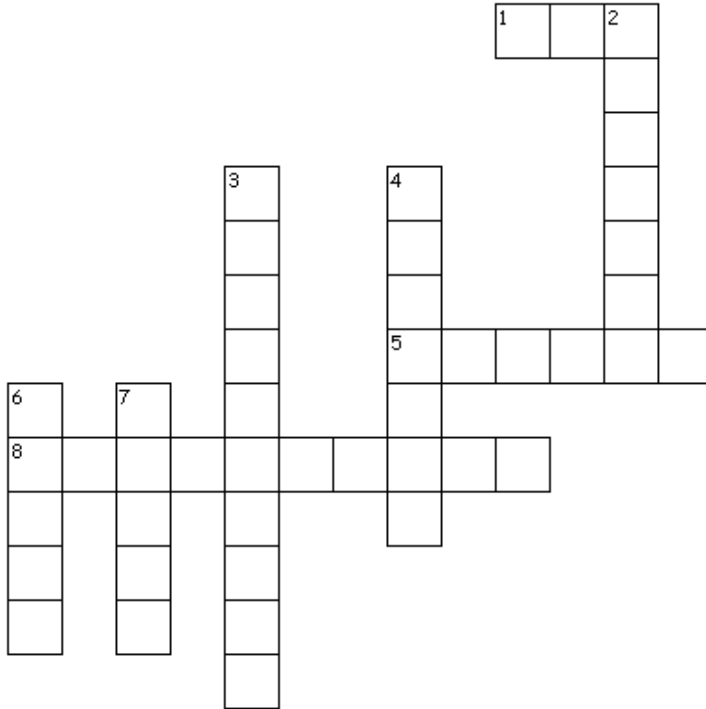
5. What finally persuaded Dad to let Ramses stay in his house?

6. How did Ramses manage to have the best of both worlds in the end?



B. Vocabulary Challenge

The answers can be found in the story. Can you solve the puzzle? Have fun!



Across

1. not intelligent
5. badly damaged or spoiled
8. something foolish

Down

2. something that is very surprising and unexpected
3. to feel that someone cannot be trusted
4. a king of ancient Egypt
6. in a bad mood
7. to take into your care and make it as your own

Answer key

Activity 1: Comprehension

1. No, I don't think so. He took small, careful steps on his roller blades and needed the garden wall to help him move towards Mrs Hardy.
2. He planned to use his house's big ladder to climb over Mrs Hardy's gate after enlisting Lulu's help.
3. It was Ramses herself. In her best behavior, Ramses put her head on Mum's knees and seemed to ask Mum to be her stay.
4. Dad was allergic to dog fur which caused his eyes to redden and then to tear.
5. Dad was so amazed that Lulu would even be willing to leave her computer in order to take Ramses for walks that he agreed to let Ramses stay.
6. In order to visit the children, Ramses dug a hole under the fence between Mrs Hardy and the children's house. Thus, she had the best of both worlds.

Vocabulary Challenge

Across: 1. dim 5. ruined 8. ridiculous

Down: 2. miracle 3. suspicious 4. pharaoh 6. cross 7 adopt

