

Cloze Paragraph

Name: _____

Fill in the missing words, using the word bank. Some words may be used more than once.

flood	rough	tough	enough	laugh
laughter	cough	trough	eye	buy

Here's a paragraph suitable for 3rd or 4th graders, incorporating the words you provided:

Barnaby the pig was having a _____ day. He woke up with a tickly _____. He went to the _____ to get some water, but the rain had caused a _____! It was _____ going getting through the mud. He didn't have _____ coins to _____ his favorite berries at the market. Barnaby started to _____ at how silly he felt covered in mud. Suddenly, he tripped, landing face-first in a pile of berries! One berry landed right on his _____! He started to _____ so hard that the sound of his _____ echoed through the farm. Even though his day started poorly, it ended with berries and joy.

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Next, answer these questions about the paragraph.

Why was Barnaby having a tough day?

What happened after Barnaby tripped in the mud?

How did Barnaby feel at the end of the day?

Answer Key

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Barnaby the pig was having a tough day. He woke up with a tickly cough. He went to the trough to get some water, but the rain had caused a flood! It was rough going getting through the mud. He didn't have enough coins to buy his favorite berries at the market. Barnaby started to laugh at how silly he felt covered in mud. Suddenly, he tripped, landing face-first in a pile of berries! One berry landed right on his eye! He started to laugh so hard that the sound of his laughter echoed through the farm. Even though his day started poorly, it ended with berries and joy.