## Year 1 Reading

Date: Monday $11^{\text {th }}$ May 2020
LO: To retrieve information from a text

## Success Criteria:

1. Choose a comprehension task to read (there are two).
2. Talk to an adult about what you have read.
3. Answer the questions.

Read the short fact sheet. Then answer each question.

## Spiders

Spiders and insects are different.
Spiders have eight legs and insects have six legs.
Spiders make silk which they spin into sticky webs. They use this to capture their prey.
A spider has two body parts and an insect has three body parts.
Spiders are called arachnids.


## Questions

Are spiders and insects the same?
How many legs do spiders have?
How many legs does an insect have?
How so spiders capture their prey?
How many body parts does an insect have?

## A New Pet

Tom was six. He lived in a flat with his Mum. The flat was on the top floor. It was very high up!

One day, Tom said to his Mum, "Mum, can I have a dog?"
But Mum shook her head and said, "No Tom, you can't have a dog. There are no dogs allowed in a flat."

Tom wanted to cry. Then he said, "Mum, can I have a cat?"
But Mum shook her head and said "No Tom, you can't have a cat. There are no cats allowed in a flat."

Now Tom did start to cry. "I want my own pet!" he shouted.
Mum patted Tom on the back and gave him a kiss, "Don't cry Tom, I will see what I can do."
The next day, when Tom got home from school, there was a small cage on the table. Tom was excited! He ran to look in the cage. In the cage was an orange hamster! Mum put the hamster in Tom's hands.

Tom smiled and said, "I will call it Rusty. Thank you, Mum!"


## Questions.

Please answer in full sentences.

1. How old is Tom?
2. Where does Tom live?
3. What pets did Tom want?
4. How does Tom feel when Mum says "No?" How do you know this?
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5. How does Mum try to make Tom feel better?
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6. Why was Tom excited when he saw a cage on the table?
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7. What was in the cage?
8. Why did Tom call his pet, 'Rusty?'
9. How do you know Tom is happy about his new pet?
10. Do you have a pet or would you like one? What kind of pet?
