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Ducks



There are many different kinds of ducks. Some ducks are small. Some ducks are large. Some ducks live near fresh water, while other ducks live near the sea.

Ducks make quacking sounds so that they can talk to each other. You might be able to touch or feed a duck if you visit a petting zoo or a farm. It is fun to watch ducks as their fluffy little ducklings follow close behind them.

- Why do ducks make sounds?
 - o to talk to each other
 - o to get someone to feed them
 - o to get someone to pet them
- What does this story say about ducklings?
 - O They all live near fresh water.
 - They are fluffy.
 - They want people to feed them.

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DEER



Male deer have antlers.

Deer can be found in the woods. The male deer is bigger than the female deer. The female deer takes care of the babies. She looks for food for them. She shows them how to live in the woods. Male deer have antlers that look like tree branches.







- What does the story say that female deer look for?
 - antlers
 - o babies
 - O food

- Where can you find deer?
 - O in caves
 - in the woods
 - in tree branches

- This story says that
 - male deer are bigger than female deer
 - O female deer have antlers
 - male deer take care of babies

Answer Key

SAT Standard

Identify explicit supporting details

SSS Benchmark

LAA211: Determines the main idea or essential message from a text and identifies supporting information. (Identifies the main idea and supporting details from text.)

LAA213: Reads for information to use in performing a task and learning a new task. (Supports responses with detailed information from the text.)

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- 1. to talk to each other
- 2. They are fluffy.

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- 3. food
- 4. male deer are bigger than female deer
- 5. in the woods