

JOEY AND JENNY'S WRITING CONTEST!

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STORY CONTEST! WRITE THE ENDING TO THE STORY!

Read the story below and write a short ending to the story.

The story should be 1 to 3 paragraphs long and about 350 words or less. Be sure to answer the following questions in your story ending:

How will Penny and Pauli get out of the woods?

Will Penny and Pauli take the fox home?

Will Penny and Pauli get in trouble with their parents?



Congratulations to our Contest Winners!

3rd - 5th Grade Winner!

Grace - 4th Grade



6th - 8th Grade Winner!

Alex - 8th Grade



Kayli - Runner Up

Mike - Runner Up

Read the Story Starter -

The Fox in the Woods

Check out the winning entries and runners up entries below!

The Fox in the Woods

One evening, Penny and her twin brother, Pauli went to visit their grandparents who lived in a cabin in the woods. They walked to their grandparent's house and promised their parents that they would be home before dark. After visiting with their grandparents it was time to go home.

As they were walking through the woods on their way home, they could hear a faint sound in the distance. "What was that sound?" Penny asked Pauli. "I don't know, but let's keep going," Pauli said.

They heard the sound again. "It sounds like an animal is hurt," Penny said. "Let's go find out!" "No!" Paul shouted. "Let's go home. It will be dark and it's cold."

But Penny didn't listen. She ran further into the woods towards the sound. Pauli ran after his sister. The sound got louder and louder. "Look!" Penny exclaimed. "It's a baby fox and it looks hurt!" "We have to help the poor baby fox," she said" with a worried voice. Penny took off her coat and wrapped the baby fox in it and held the baby fox tightly in her arms.

Pauli looked around the woods. It was dark now. "What are we going to do now?" he said. Pauli lifted up his hands in frustration and let out a big sigh.

Grace - 4th Grade

Pauli did not know where the trail was so they used a map. "Pick up the baby fox and lets go", Pauli said. It was cold and windy out. They saw a little cabin and stayed in it until it was less windy. The wind calmed down.They saw a trail and ran for it. They made it home and hugged their parents and said "look we found a hurt baby fox." They made a place for the baby fox to sleep. The End

Kayli - 6th Grade

" I don't know " Penny said. " I guess we will have to take the fox with us " Pauli said. They started to walk home, it was cold and dark. As they were walking they heard a sound, but they couldn't see anything cause it was so dark! " Did you hear that penny " Pauli said. " Yea it sounded like a little stick broke " Penny said. They continued walking but they heard something again. " That sound is scaring me what do we do? " asked Penny. " Let's just keep walking it could be the wind " They continued walking and they stopped hearing the noise. They were almost home, but it got colder and darker. It was so dark they couldn't see where to go anymore. They kept going, and finally made it home. When they walked in the house there mom looked worried. "Where have you guys been?" The mom said. " We were walking home, and we saw a fox, and we got lost cause it was dark" said pauli. The mom was in shock when she saw the baby fox, "You guys brought the fox home!?" The mom said. " It was hurt and cold mom" said Penny. "Guys that could be dangerous" said mom. " Can we keep it?" said Pauli. " I guess we can, but it needs to go to the vet tomorrow", mom said. The next day they take the fox to the vet and keep it. The end.

Alex - 8th grade

Penny looks around. "I guess we're gonna have to find our way home, and we're not leaving the fox behind!" Penny says. "Well it's not like we even know where we should go." Pauli replies. Penny thinks for a minute, "Let's yell for help! Someone should surely be able to hear us!" Penny exclaimed. "Help!" "Help!" They yell. After one to two hours they start to lose hope. "Look! Over there!" Penny yells in excitement. "There's a police officer!" They rush over to the officer. "Please help! We're lost and we don't know where to go!" Pauli says. The cop replies, "Okay calm down it's fine." "I know how we can head back, your parents were so worried about you kids.". While they head back the officer asks, "Why are you holding a baby fox?" "The fox sounded hurt so we went to go look and saw the fox and decided to keep it." Penny says. "I don't think our parents are gonna let us keep the fox though." Pauli says. "I hope the fox isn't hurt!" Penny says worried. Pauli and Penny get home. "Oh my goodness!" their mom yells. Before they could say anything their parents rush over to hug them. "We were worried sick about you guys!" their dad says, "What happened?". "Well we heard this baby fox crying so we went over to help the fox and got lost." Penny says, "At least you two are safe, let's go eat dinner now."

The End

Mike - 8th Grade

As he's trying to think of a plan he sees a light. He then tells his sister while pointing at the light, "what are we waiting for?" They started to walk slowly towards it. Only the moonlight let them see a little bit. They walked on the sticks and leaves underneath their feet. It snapped and crunched loudly as they got closer. They heard chopping. They saw someone hitting a tree with an axe. They then went to go ask him for help, but before they even said anything he asked what what they need without even turning around. Pauli then said "Me and my sister Penny got lost getting a fox, and we need to go back home." The man then asked for the parent's phone number. Then the man called the parents. After a couple hours they arrived. The man then said, " I can take the fox to my house." Penny then looked at the fox and gave it to the man. As they got into their dad's car the dad said not to go into the woods without mom or dad again.

The End