



Reading Comprehension

Doggone Dogs

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Remember, you should only tackle these comprehension questions after reading the book to your child, at the minimum, at least two times. Some of the questions are open-ended which can lead to valuable discussions. Take the time to listen and respect your child's point of view.

1. At what time of day does this story begin? How do you know?
2. What do the dogs do when the sun comes up?
3. What is obedience school? Do you think the dogs in the story have been to this type of school? Why or Why not?
4. Tell me two things that happened when the dogs were at the park.
5. What happened to the trash can?
6. Why did the whole park smell?
7. How does it sound when dogs whine? How does it sound when children whine?
8. Can you remember any of the dogs' names?
9. Turn to the second to the last page of the story. Why do you think the dogs and the owner look so tired?
10. Do any of the dogs in the story remind you of dogs you know?