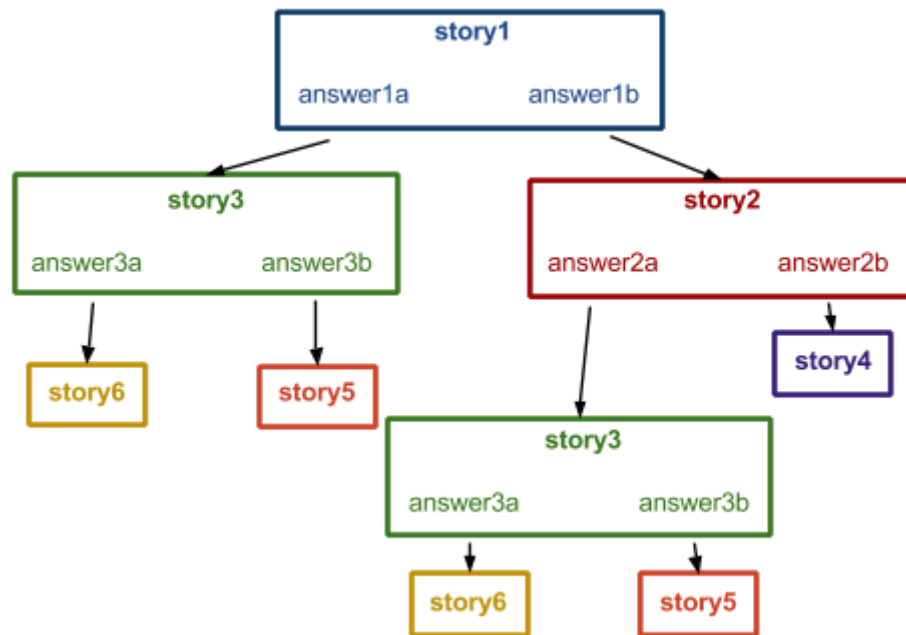


Story Structure



Story Outline

Story1: Your car has blown a tire on a winding road in the middle of nowhere with no cell phone reception. You decide to hitchhike. A rusty pickup truck rumbles to a stop next to you. A man with a wide brimmed hat and soulless eyes opens the passenger door for you and says: "Need a ride, boy?".

Answer1a: I'll hop in. Thanks for the help!

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Answer3b: It's him or me. Take the knife and stab him.

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Answer1b: Well, I don't have many options. Better ask him if he's a murderer.

Story2: He nods slowly, unphased by the question.

Answer2a: At least he's honest. I'll climb in.

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Story4: What? Such a cop out! Did you know accidental traffic accidents are the second leading cause of accidental death for most adult age groups?