I’ll tell you about some people I know.

Someone named Nicole gave her friend a gift.

Was Nicole nice? Was Nicole mean?

Someone named James hit his friend.

Was James nice? Was James mean?

Someone named Kyle broke his mom’s vase, and he told his mom the truth that he broke it. Was Kyle telling the truth?

Someone named Pam ate five cookies, but Pam told her mom a lie that she didn’t eat any cookie. Was Pam telling the truth?

Look, this is Heather!

One day, Heather decided to draw a picture of her friend.

Heather brought her drawing to school and met her friend Stanley. Heather said to her friend Stanley,

“Here, look at my drawing of you!”

Stanley flipped the drawing over and looked at the drawing,

and he did not like the drawing at all —

he thought the drawing was ugly!

So did Stanley like the drawing or did he not like the drawing?

Heather asked Stanley, “Stanley, how did you like my drawing?”

Stanley told Heather, “Heather, your drawing was pretty.”

So what did Stanley tell Heather again?

Let’s think about the story again.

Stanley thought Heather’s drawing was ugly.

And Stanley told Heather that her drawing was pretty.

Why did Stanley say that to Heather? How did Heather feel?

Was Stanley telling the truth?

Was Stanley mean? Was Stanley nice?

Look, this is Heather again!

One day, Heather decided to draw a picture of her friend.

Heather brought her drawing to school and met her friend Richard. Heather said to her friend Richard,

“Here, look at my drawing of you!”

Richard flipped the drawing over and looked at the drawing,

and he did not like the drawing at all —

he thought the drawing was ugly!

So did Richard like the drawing or did he not like the drawing?

Heather asked Richard, “Richard, how did you like my drawing?”

Richard told Heather, “Heather, your drawing was ugly.”

So what did Richard tell Heather again?

Let’s think about the story again.

Richard thought Heather’s drawing was ugly.

And Richard told Heather that her drawing was ugly.

Why did Richard say that to Heather? How did Heather feel?

Was Richard telling the truth?

Was Richard mean? Was Richard nice?

Remember Stanley and Richard from our story?

Look, here they are.

Stanley thought Heather’s drawing was ugly.

And Stanley told Heather that her drawing was pretty.

Richard thought Heather’s drawing was ugly.

And Richard told Heather that her drawing was ugly.

Who do you want to play with more, Stanley or Richard? Why?

Who do you want to ask about another drawing,

Stanley or Richard? Why?

Look, this is Edward!

One day, Edward decided to bake some cookies.

Edward brought his cookie to school and met his friend Sally. Edward said to his friend Sally, “Here, try my cookie!”

Sally tasted the cookie,

and she did not like the cookie at all —

she thought the cookie tasted yucky!

So did Sally like the cookie or did she not like the cookie?

Edward asked Sally, “Sally, how did you like my cookie?”

Sally told Edward, “Edward, your cookie was yucky.”

So what did Sally tell Edward again?

Let’s think about the story again.

Sally thought Edward’s cookie was yucky.

And Sally told Edward that his cookie was yucky.

Why did Sally say that to Edward? How did Edward feel?

Was Sally telling the truth?

Was Sally mean? Was Sally nice?

Look, this is Edward again!

One day, Edward decided to bake some cookies.

Edward brought his cookie to school and met his friend Mary.

Edward said to his friend Mary, “Here, try my cookie!”

Mary tasted the cookie,

and she did not like the cookie at all —

she thought the cookie tasted yucky!

Mary tasted the cookie,

and she did not like the cookie at all —

she thought the cookie tasted yucky!

Edward asked Mary, “Mary, how did you like my cookie?”

Mary told Edward, “Edward, your cookie was tasty.”

So what did Mary tell Edward again?

Let’s think about the story again.

Mary thought Edward’s cookie was yucky.

And Mary told Edward that his cookie was tasty.

Why did Mary say that to Edward? How did Edward feel?

Was Mary telling the truth?

Was Mary mean? Was Mary nice?

Remember Sally and Mary from our story?

Look, here they are.

Remember, Sally thought Edward’s cookie was yucky.

told Edward that his cookie was yucky.

Mary thought Edward’s cookie was yucky.

told Edward that his cookie was tasty.

Who do you want to play with more, Sally or Mary? Why?

Who do you want to ask about another cookie, Sally or Mary? Why?

Look, this is Stanley!

One day, Stanley saw a (piece of) paper.

Stanley said, “I’m going to look at the back of this paper!”

Stanley’s friend Heather also wanted to look at the drawing.

Heather asked Stanley, “Stanley, how did you like the drawing?”

Stanley told Heather, “Heather, the drawing was pretty.”

Let’s think about the story again.

Stanley thought the drawing was ugly.

And Stanley told Heather that the drawing was pretty.

(note how it’s ‘the’ drawing, not Heather’s)

Stanley thought the drawing was ugly.

And Stanley told Heather that the drawing was pretty.

Richard thought the drawing was ugly.

And Richard told Heather that the drawing was ugly.

Look, this is Sally!

One day, Sally saw a free cookie.

Sally said, “It’s a free cookie, I’ll try it!”

Sally’s friend Edward also wanted to taste the cookie.

Edward asked Sally, “Sally, how did you like the cookie?”

Sally told Edward, “Edward, the cookie was yucky.”

Let’s think about the story again.

Sally thought the cookie was yucky.

And Sally told Edward that the cookie was yucky.

Remember, Sally thought the cookie was yucky.

told Edward that the cookie was yucky.

Mary thought the cookie was yucky.

told Edward that the cookie was tasty.