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Making Inferences

After reading "Kayla Won't Quit," fill in the missing inference and clues below. *Making an inference* means using clues from a text to figure out something that isn't stated. For example, if you read "Josh was glad he had sunscreen on" and "After five minutes outside, Josh was already sweating," you should be able to infer that it was a hot, sunny day.

CLUES

Use these two clues to make an inference.

Clue 1:

About having MS, Kayla says, "I was not about to let myself be defeated."

Clue 2:

Kayla has not given up running, even though she falls down after every race.

INFERENCE

Write your inference here:

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Write two clues that support the inference at right:

Clue 1:

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Clue 2:

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Kayla's decision to become a long-distance runner has worked out well.