Grade 3

Reading - Fiction

The Magic Treehouse

Every summer, Mia and Jake visited their grandmother's old house in the countryside. The house had an enormous backyard with a giant oak tree right in the middle. Mia and Jake called it the "Magic Treehouse" because the tree had a treehouse built high in its branches.

One sunny afternoon, while the siblings were playing in the treehouse, Mia found a dusty old book wedged between the wooden floorboards. It had a shimmering golden cover and was titled, "Tales of Enchanted Lands." Mia opened the book and began to read out loud to Jake.

"As soon as the words are spoken, the reader shall be awoken," Mia read the inscription. Suddenly, the treehouse began to shake and rattle. Before they knew it, the surroundings had changed. The treehouse was floating high above a beautiful, magical kingdom.

Jake looked down and gasped. "Mia, we're not in Grandma's backyard anymore!"

Below them was a sparkling river, flowing through a meadow filled with flowers of every color. Unicorns grazed peacefully, while fairies fluttered around playfully. In the distance, they could see a majestic castle with tall towers touching the sky.

Excited, Mia and Jake climbed down a ladder that appeared and began exploring this magical land. They met a kind fairy named Lila, who told them they had been transported to the Enchanted Kingdom through the power of the magical book.

Lila explained, "To return home, you must find the Golden Feather of the Phoenix and place it in your book. Only then will the enchantment be broken."



With Lila's guidance, Mia and Jake embarked on a journey, facing challenges and making new friends along the way. And after many adventures, they finally found the Golden Feather.

Upon placing the feather in the book, the enchantment broke, and they found themselves back in the treehouse in their grandmother's backyard. The siblings hugged each other tightly, grateful for the adventure and even more grateful to be home.

From that day on, Mia and Jake treated the book with great respect, often reading its tales but never aloud. The magic treehouse held a special place in their hearts, a place of adventure, magic, and endless possibilities.

Multiple Choice Questions:

- 1. Where was the treehouse located?
 - a) In a park
 - b) In Mia and Jake's house
 - c) In their grandmother's backyard
 - d) Near a river
- 2. What did Mia find in the treehouse?
 - a) A golden feather
 - b) A fairy
 - c) A magic wand
 - d) A dusty old book



3. Who did Mia and Jake meet in the Enchanted Kingdom?

- a) A unicorn named Sparkle
- b) A fairy named Lila
- c) A phoenix named Phoenixia
- d) A king named Arthur

4. What did Mia and Jake need to find to return home?

- a) A magic wand
- b) A silver coin
- c) The Golden Feather of the Phoenix
- d) A magical potion

5. Where did Mia and Jake return to after their adventure?

- a) To the Enchanted Kingdom
- b) To their home
- c) To their grandmother's backyard
- d) To a different magical land



Answers and Explanations:

1. c In their grandmother's backyard

The story mentions the treehouse was in their grandmother's backyard.

2. d A dusty old book

Mia found a dusty old book with a golden cover in the treehouse.

3. b A fairy named Lila

In the Enchanted Kingdom, they met a kind fairy named Lila.

4. c The Golden Feather of the Phoenix

Lila told them to find the Golden Feather of the Phoenix to return home.

5. c To their grandmother's backyard

After placing the feather in the book, they returned to the treehouse in their grandmother's backyard.

