

Friday 28th May 2021

L.O: To answer questions by using evidence from the text.



Benchmarking!

Can you move up a level?



The text this week is

'The wallet'

Scan over the text.

What type of text do you think it will be?

Why do you think this?

Read the text out loud.



Without looking back, can you retell
the text?

- Use words from the text
- Ensure you have the main points

How did the shop manager know what the boys had found?

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"I'll meet you at the sports shop in about fifteen minutes," Connor's mother called to the boys cheerfully, as they entered the shopping complex. "I'm going into the clothing shop next door." Connor and James darted off to look at the new season's footy boots. "I really need a new pair, but I don't have enough pocket money," James said dejectedly. It was then that Connor spotted the wallet lying on the floor. James stooped to pick it up and tentatively peered inside. He glanced at Connor in disbelief as he flicked through the wad of notes. "This would be more than enough for both of us to buy new footy boots," James calculated. "Nobody can see us here because we're hidden by that rack of clothes!" he reasoned. "What do you think we should do, Connor?" he asked, looking at Connor uneasily. Connor briefly considered their options, then said firmly, "We both know what we should do." James nodded in agreement. As they headed towards the counter, the shop manager appeared before them. "We found this wallet on the floor," James said defensively. "Yes, I know; I was observing you from my office on the in-store security camera," the manager explained. At that moment, Connor's mum came into the shop. She saw the manager holding the wallet.

Why did the manager reward the boys with a voucher?

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1. Why did James speak defensively to the store manager?
2. Why do shops have in-store security cameras?
3. What could Connor's mum have been thinking when she saw the store manager with the boys?
4. Explain why the boys made the right decision.
5. Explain why children have to realise that everything they do has consequences.
6. Replace the adverb 'tentatively' in this sentence: James stooped to pick up the wallet and tentatively peered inside

Answers

Inferential

1. Why did James speak defensively to the store manager?
(He was feeling a bit guilty because he had thought about using the money to buy the boots. / He did not want the store manager to accuse him of stealing.) ☐
2. Why do shops have in-store security cameras?
(to prevent stealing) ☐
3. What could Connor's mum have been thinking when she saw the store manager with the boys?
(She might have thought they were in trouble.) ☐

Applied Knowledge

1. Explain why the boys made the right decision.
(They were honest. / Mum would have known if they had spent the money on boots. / The store manager knew that they had picked up the wallet.) ☐
2. Explain why children have to realise that everything they do has consequences.
(Answers will vary.) ☐

Vocabulary

1. Replace the adverb 'tentatively' in this sentence: *James stooped to pick up the wallet and tentatively peered inside.*
(hesitantlv / cautiously) ☐