

# Inferring

## Question Cards

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*I loaded up my arms with as much as I could carry and walked towards the front door. I could feel a bag slipping and tried to readjust everything so that I didn't drop anything on the walk from the car to inside.*

- What might the person be carrying inside?
- Why do you think they are so loaded up with bags?
- Where do you think they might have come from?

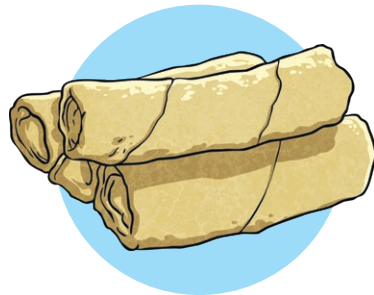


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*Mum called me from downstairs, "Hurry up Ben, we are going to be late for our booking at The Golden Dragon!"*

*"I'm coming," I called back as I daydreamed about spring rolls and fortune cookies for dinner.*

- What type of restaurant might Ben and his Mum be going to for dinner?
- What is an example of a dish they might order?
- What time of day do you think this conversation is taking place?



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*I heard an alarm ringing and reached over to turn it off.*

*'Just 5 more minutes,' I thought to myself...next thing I knew it was 8:30 and I was going to be so late!*

- What might the person be late for?
- What happened after they thought 'Just 5 more minutes'?
- What time of day do you think this is?



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*Susie looked down with shaky legs. Everything was so far away. She was too high to jump and there were too many branches in the way. She was starting to feel sick and her eyes were beginning to well up.*

- Where is Susie?
- Why do you think she is starting to feel sick?
- What do you think might happen next?



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*Nina glanced over to the table under the window and gasped. What had happened to Goldie? She was floating in the water, as still as ever. Nina started to cry.*

- Who do you think Goldie is?
- What do you think happened to Goldie?
- Why is Nina crying?



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*Miguel looked at the sign on the plate:  
DON'T EAT*

*Hmm, he thought to himself, surely that isn't for me.  
He slowly removed the sign and saw a delicious piece of chocolate cake.*

- Why was there a sign on the chocolate cake?
- Who might have put the sign there?
- What do you think Miguel did next?



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*I looked out the window at the trees flying past. I could see the water on the horizon and started to feel excited. We hadn't been there in a really long time. I had even got some new bathers for the trip.*

- Where were they going?
- How were they travelling?
- What were they going there for?



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*Poppy sat at the door and waited. She knew that it would be time to go soon. It always happens early in the morning after a cup of tea. She started to whine a little, looking at the lead hanging next to the door.*

- Who is Poppy?
- Where does she want to go?
- Why did she start to whine?

