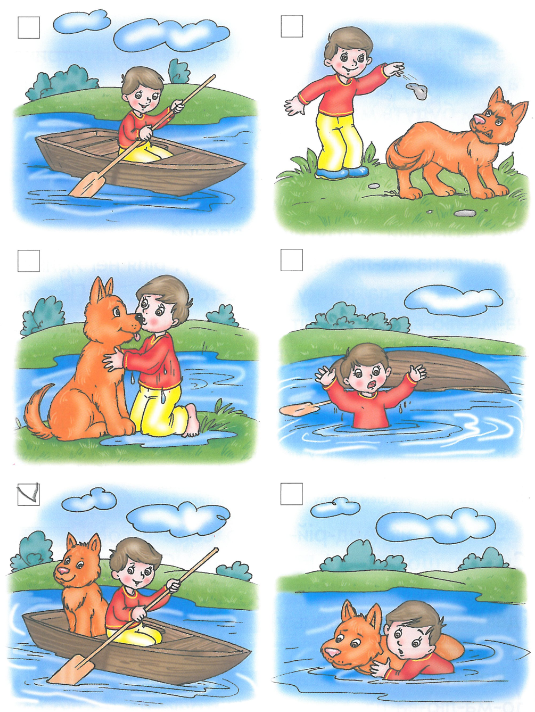
**Reading, writing and speaking.**

**Short stories for reading about animals.**



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Roma felt relieved. He took the dog in his arms and kissed him on his nose. “Sorry for my bad behaviour” he said.

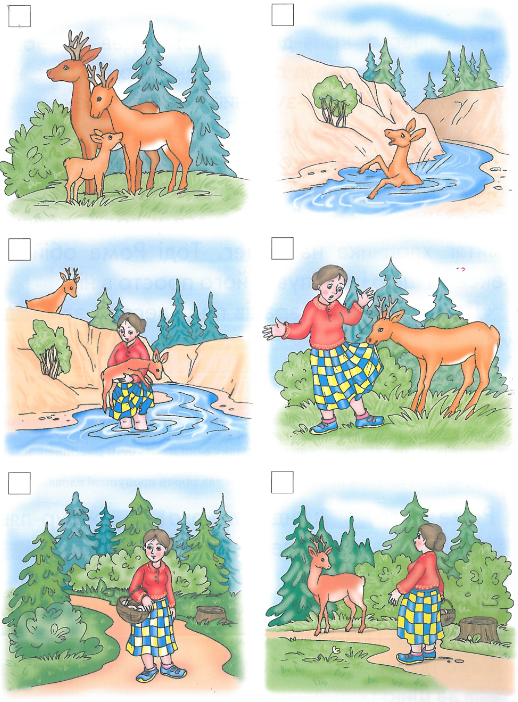
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  + Did Rex bite Roma?
  + What happened to the boy in the river?
  + What did Rex do?
  + How did the boy thank Rex?
* Put pictures in the right order. There is one extra picture.
* Cover the text and read text. Complete the missing words.
* Retell the story

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- What did the woman notice in a deep ravine?

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