

Blizzard Bag Third Grade Day 2

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Reading – Complete story and questions

Jonah Learns a Lesson

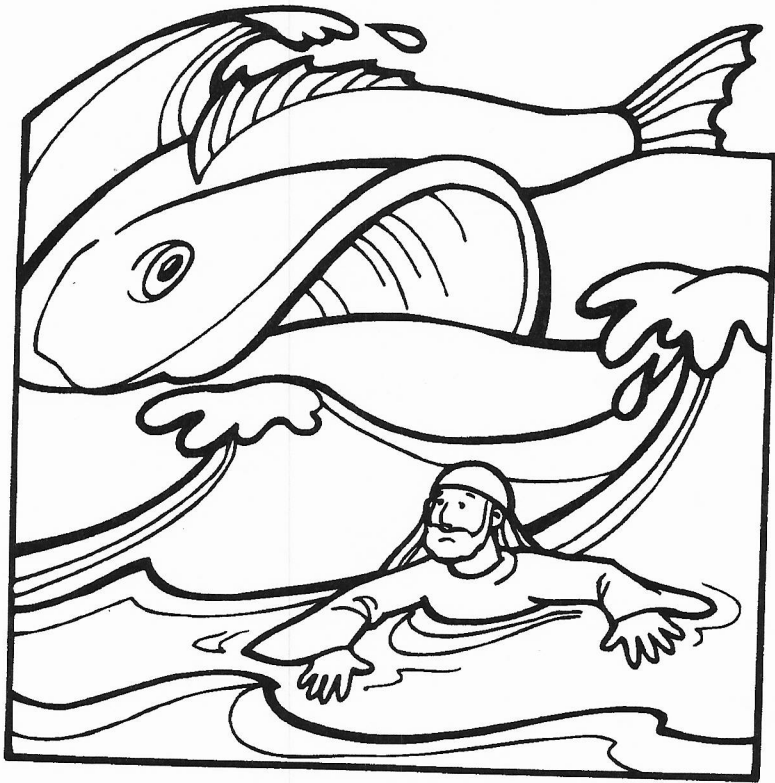
The sea was getting rougher and rougher, so they asked him what they could do to make the sea calm down.

Jonah replied, "Throw me into the sea. I know that it is my fault that this terrible storm has occurred." Jonah took the blame and admitted that it was his fault.

When the sailors threw Jonah overboard, the sea grew calm. Then the Lord had a great fish swallow Jonah. Jonah spent three days and three nights inside the fish! Can you imagine how scared Jonah must have been?

What do you think Jonah did while he was inside the fish? He prayed to God! He was sorry that he had disobeyed God. He was sorry that he had tried to run away and hide instead of doing what God told him to do. So God commanded the fish to spit Jonah out on the shore.

Then Jonah proved that he was sorry. He went to Nineveh and preached the word of the Lord as God had told him. God forgave Jonah because he repented. To *repent* means to do something about being sorry. It means to stop doing wrong, and do what is right.



Talk About It Answer ?'s on back.

- Why didn't Jonah do what God asked?
- Was God mad? How do you know?
- Was Jonah sorry?
- How did Jonah show God he was sorry?
- What can you do to show someone you are sorry for something?
- How can you show God you are sorry for something?

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Unlucky

By Kelly Hashway



Xander entered the school fair and scanned the booths. There were tons of games, including beanbag toss, ring toss, bowling, and magnetic fishing. After he purchased a few tickets and signed a slip of paper, which he assumed they used for attendance, he headed straight for the booth run by his gym teacher, Mr. Stanford.

"Hey, Xander," his best friend Will said as Xander walked by a table full of raffle tickets. "Want to enter the raffle for that basketball hoop?" Will pointed to a brand new hoop on display about ten feet away.

Basketball was Xander's favorite sport, and he'd love to have a hoop of his own. But instead of jumping at the chance to enter the raffle, Xander shook his head and mumbled, "No thanks. I'm the most unlucky person there is. I'd never win."

Will shrugged. "It's only fifty cents for two tickets. Are you sure?"

Xander shoved his hands in his pockets and nodded. He walked over to the bowling booth.

"Hello, Xander," Mr. Stanford said, handing Xander a bowling ball. "First throw is on the house."

"Thanks." Xander lined up his shot. He knocked down all the pins.

"Nicely done!" Mr. Stanford said. "If you get another strike, you win a prize."

Xander handed Mr. Stanford a ticket and lined up his second shot.

He knocked down all but one pin.

“So close!” Mr. Stanford said.

Xander shrugged. “I knew I wouldn’t get a strike. I have the worst luck ever.”

“Well I hope you still had fun,” Mr. Stanford said.

Xander forced a smile and walked to the beanbag toss. He made the first toss but not the second. He played every game, coming so close to winning each time, but never getting a prize.

Finally he’d had enough. He walked toward the door when Will ran up to him with a big smile. “You won!” Will said.

“Won what?” Xander asked.

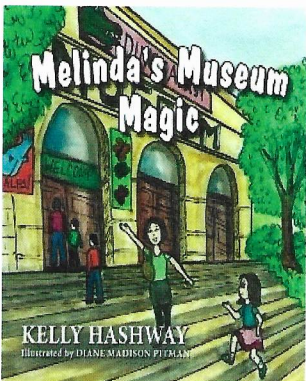
“The raffle. Everyone gets one free entry in the raffle just for coming. You beat out people who bought over twenty tickets a piece.” Will handed Xander the slip of paper with his name on it.

“I won?” Xander asked.

“Yeah. Do you still think you’re unlucky?”

Xander smiled. “No, I guess I’m lucky after all.”

About the Author



Kelly Hashway's picture book, *Melinda's Museum Magic*, is now available!

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1. At the beginning of the story, Xander signed a slip of paper, what did he think it was for?
 - a. a raffle
 - b. attendance
 - c. a time sheet
 - d. to sign up for games

2. If basketball is Xander's favorite sport, why didn't he enter the raffle for the basketball hoop?

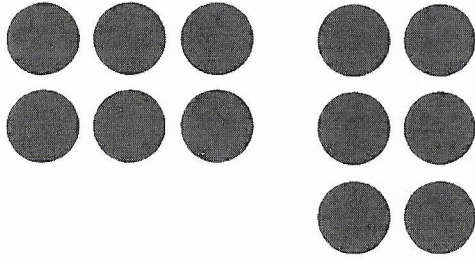
3. What was the first booth Xander visited at the fair?
 - a. beanbag toss
 - b. bowling
 - c. magnetic fishing
 - d. basketball

4. As Xander was playing the games at the fair, what kept happening on his second turns? How did this make him feel?

5. At the end of the story did Xander still think he was unlucky? What occurred that changed his opinion?

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19. Which statement is true?



- A. $2 \times 3 < 3 \times 2$
- B. $2 \times 3 > 3 \times 2$
- C. $2 \times 3 = 3 \times 2$

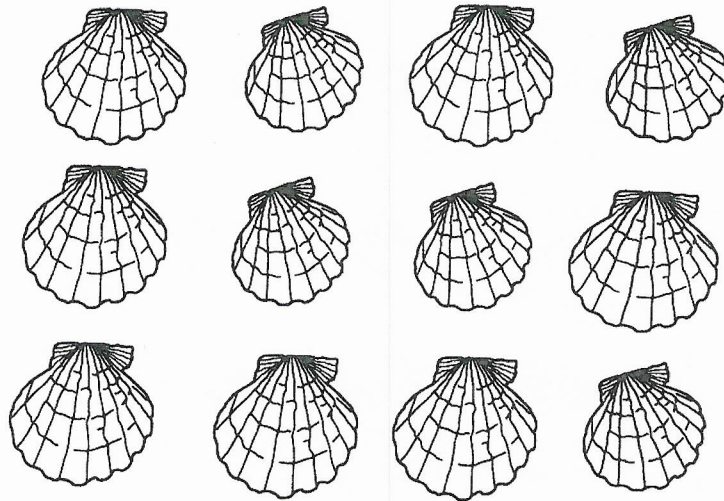
20. Mr. Anderson bought 7 small postcards and 5 large postcards.

Postcards
Small - \$1
Large - \$2

How much did Mr. Anderson spend on postcards?

- A. \$21
- B. \$17
- C. \$15

21. Michael is making a display with shells. He has 3 rows with 4 shells in each row. How many shells does he use?



22. Miss Lily put some flashcards on the bulletin board. She put 6 cards in each row. There were 4 rows of cards.



Draw an array to find the total number of flashcards.

Write a multiplication fact for the array.

Show your work here.

23. Jan and Gary are learning their multiplication facts.




$$8 \times 1 = \blacksquare$$

Jan says the product is 8. Gary says the product is 1. Who is correct? Why?


24. There are 9 markers in each box. If Tonya has 4 boxes of markers, how many markers does she have altogether?



_____ boxes \times _____ markers in each box = _____ markers

-  25. Mr. Sloan put some fruit bowls in the store display case. There were 3 bowls with 3 apples in each bowl. There were 2 other bowls with 6 oranges in each bowl. How many pieces of fruit were in the display case?

Show your work here.

-  26. Cassandra's photo album can hold 6 small pictures or 4 large pictures on each page. How many small pictures can 3 pages hold?

Write a number sentence to solve.
