Asking Questions about Key Details in a Text

Before we read a story, we may have some wonderings about the **characters**, **setting**, **problem**, and **solutions**.

We can ask **questions** before we read using these words:

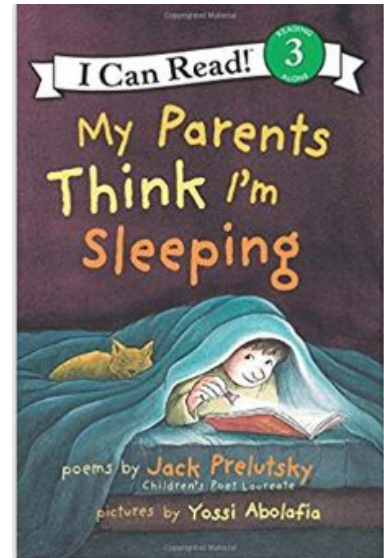Who   Where

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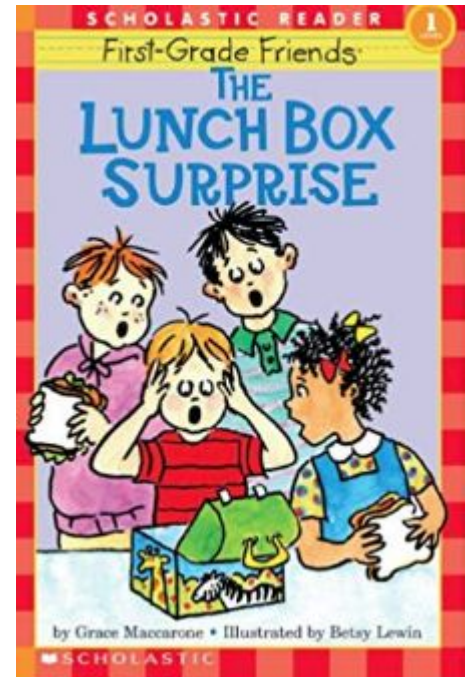Let's look at these stories and decide which questions would match the text.

What question would match this story?

A. Who built his house out of bricks?
B. How did Cinderella get to the ball?
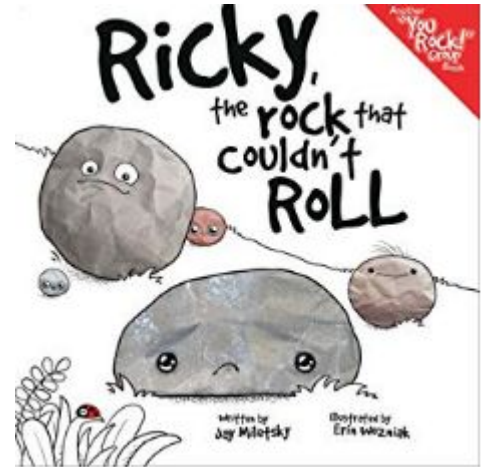C. What does this boy do when he should be sleeping?

What question would match this story?

A. What is inside the lunchbox?
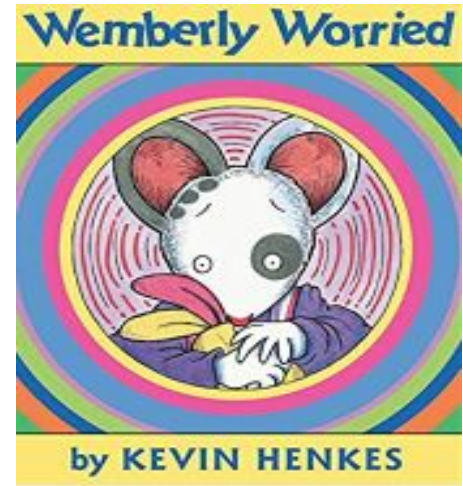B. Where does Goldilocks live?
C. When is the best time to plant a garden?

What question would match this story?

A. Where does Father Bear go fishing?
B. Why couldn't Ricky roll?
C. How do caterpillars turn into butterflies?

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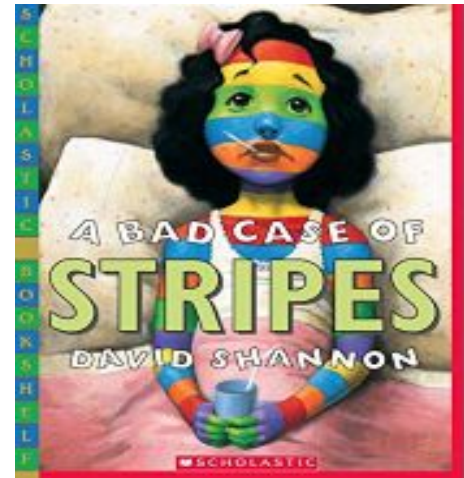A. Where do oranges grow?
B. How do you take care of a pet snake?
C. Why was Wemberly worried?

Wemberly Worried

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What **question** would match this story?

A. Where was Miss Nelson when she was missing?
B. How did this girl get stripes?
C. Why did Jack sell his cow for magic beans?

What **question** would match this story?

A. Where is the best seat in second grade?

B. Who was the first person to go into space?

C. When is the best time to visit Florida?