



TOPIC: Reading Comprehension

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Read the story carefully.

A Little Fish Story

There are a great many million fish in the seas, but this story is about just one of them, a very small one of them. This little fish had everything in the seas to make him contented, but he was not happy. He was unhappy because he was so very small. "It is very hard to be such a little mite of a fish!" he would say, over and over again.

"If I were only larger, how much happier I could be." And he said it so many times and he was worried about it.

One day he was swimming along with his friends. Suddenly, with no warning, they found themselves in the meshes of a great net.

There was much floundering and splashing because the net was drawn up out of the water into the sunlight, and was being emptied into the boat. The smallest fish in the group wriggled through the mesh and slipped back into the cool clear water. How good it felt!

He swam here and there and everywhere, and never again said that he wished to be anything but a small fish.

By *Enos B. Comstock*

I. Fill in the blanks.

1. There are _____ fish in the sea.
2. The fish was unhappy because _____

II. Answer the following questions.

1. What happened to the fish one day?

2. How did the fish escape?

3. Why was the fish thankful to be a little fish?

III. Find out words from the passage which mean the following.

1. satisfied - _____
2. struggling helplessly - _____