Prediction

READ TOGETHER

*When you **make a prediction**, you use clues to guess what happens next.*

1. **Read or listen to the short story.**

   Alexander went to his friend's birthday party and ate a big dish of cake and ice cream. He drank two glasses of juice. After he got home, he ate a lot candy from the birthday piñata.

   Then make a prediction! What do you think happened next? Circle one picture and describe why you chose it.

Alexander played with his dad's pocket watch.	Alexander felt sick.	Alexander felt dizzy.

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2. Read or listen to the short story.

Billy worked on the science experiment with his partner, Diane. Then the teacher told all the students to come back to the big table by the chalkboard. The teacher asked if someone could explain what happened in the experiment.

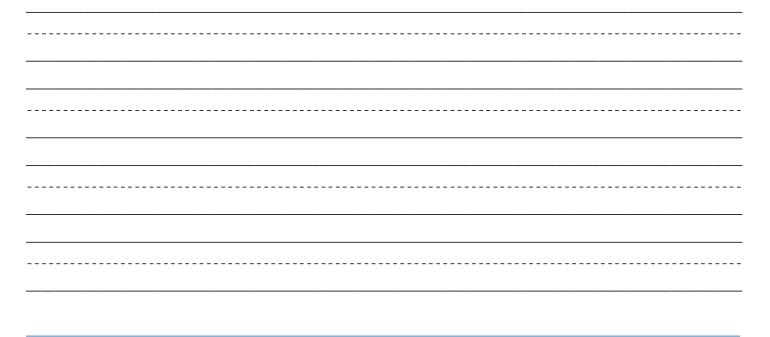**Then make a prediction! What do you think happened next? Circle one picture and describe why you chose it.**

Billy and Diane worked on the science experiment.	Billy asked another student for help with the experiment.	Billy raised his hand because he knew the answer.

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3. Read or listen to the short story.

Andy drew a picture showing what happened in school that day. His teacher gave him a gold star for his good work. Andy put his picture in his backpack. When Andy got home, his mom asked him about his day at school.

Then make a prediction! What do you think happened next? Tell the rest of the story.

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4. Read or listen to the short story.

Emma loves playing with cars with her big brother, Leo. Today, Leo asked her if she wanted to play with him!

Then make a prediction! What do you think happened next? Tell the rest of the story.

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Answers

1. Alexander felt sick.

2. Billy raised his hand because he knew the answer.

3. *Accept any reasonable answer, such as,* Andy showed his picture to his mom.

4. *Accept any reasonable answer, such as,* Emma excitedly said, "yes!"