## Ben's Pet Hen

I am Ben.

I have a pet hen.

Her name is Jen.

Jen lays eggs.

I want to cook eggs.

Oh no, I don't have any eggs!

I know where to get them.

I will go and ask Jen for some eggs.

Jen clucks happily and lays me some eggs.

Now I can cook eggs.

Thank you, Jen!

- 1. Read about Ben's Pet Hen
- 2. Underline each word that you could not read.
- 3. Circle each word that took you more than 1 try.
- 4. Answer the questions.



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#### Answer according to the reading passage:

- 1. What is Ben's Pet Hen's name?
- a. Jan
- b. Jen
- c. Jill
- 2. What does the hen do?
- a. lays eggs
- b. clucks
- c. stays in the hen house
- 3. What does Ben need to cook?
- a. flour
- b. eggs
- c. milk
- 4. What did the hen do when Ben asked for eggs?
- a. hid
- b. broke the egg
- c. clucked happily
- 5. What did Ben do when he got the eggs?
- a. cooked them
- b. ate them
- c. baked cake

# Ben's Pet Hen Open Response Questions

### **Open Response Questions for Thinking Skills:**

- 1. Inferring
- 2. Making Connections
- 3. Summarizing
- 4. Visualizing
- 1. Why would Ben have a pet hen?
- 2. What does this story remind you of?
- 3. What is this story about?
- 4. Describe what a pet hen would look like.
- Could this be true or not? Explain
- Would you like a pet hen? Why or why not?
- How would you cook eggs?
- Do you think hens make good pets?
- What farm animals might make good pets? Explain.