

Characters

Hansel and Gretel

Match the characters and their names.

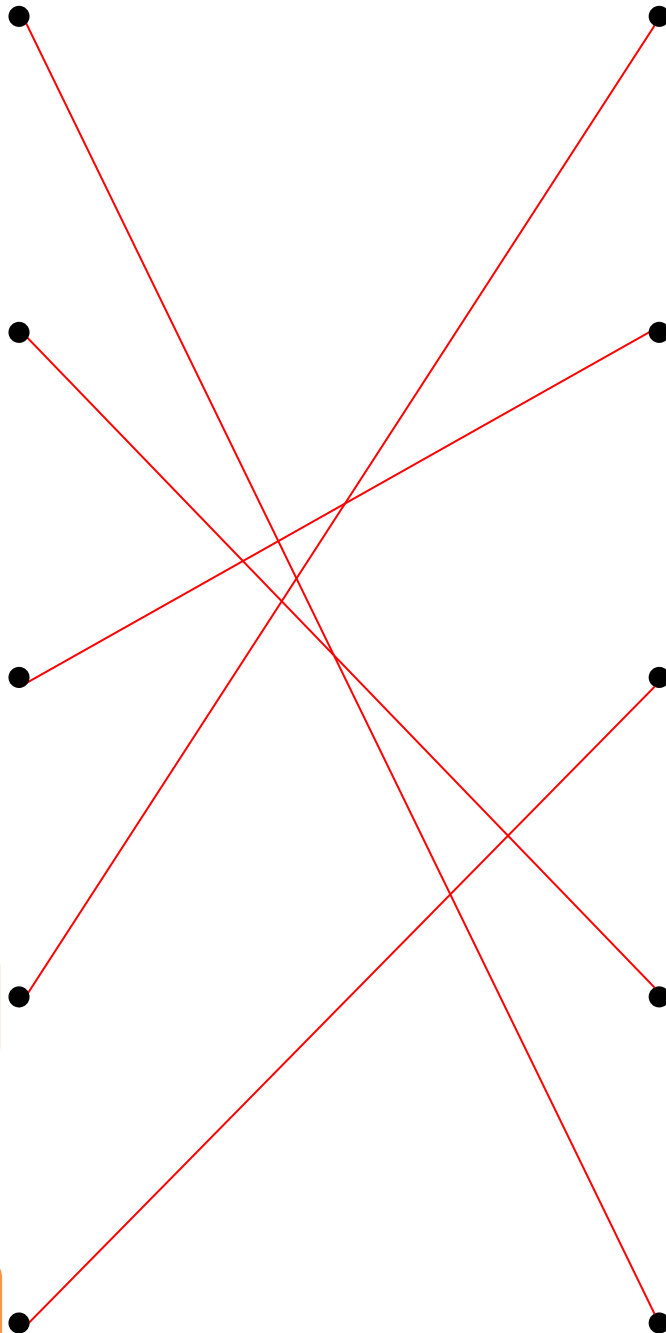
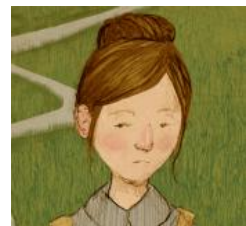
Father

Stepmother

Hansel

Gretel

Witch



Word Puzzle

Hansel and Gretel

Complete the crossword puzzle.

trail woodcutter pebbles bread oven treasures

The crossword puzzle grid is partially filled with the following words:

- bread** (vertical, 2 letters)
- treasures** (horizontal, 9 letters)
- woodcutter** (horizontal, 10 letters)
- oven** (vertical, 3 letters)
- pebbles** (horizontal, 7 letters)

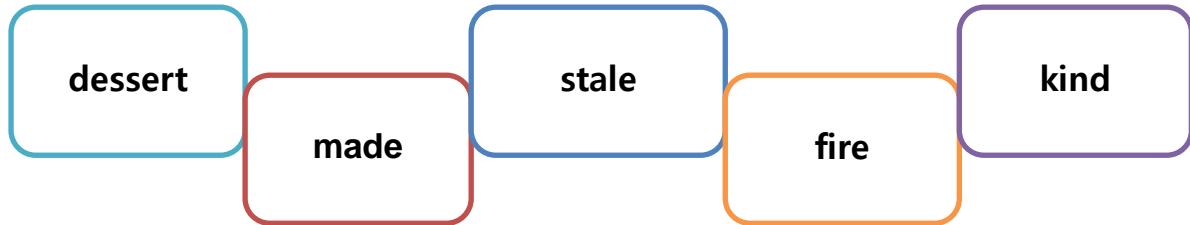
Illustrations and arrows indicate the placement of these words:

- A loaf of **bread** with a red arrow pointing down to the first two cells of the vertical word.
- A treasure chest with gold coins and a red arrow pointing right to the first nine cells of the horizontal word.
- A woodcutter with an axe on his shoulder and a red arrow pointing right to the first ten cells of the horizontal word.
- An oven with a fire inside and a red arrow pointing down to the first three cells of the vertical word.
- A trail of footprints with a red arrow pointing down to the first seven cells of the horizontal word.
- A pile of pebbles with a red arrow pointing right to the first seven cells of the horizontal word.

Vocabulary

Hansel and Gretel

Finish the sentences with the words given.



1. The woodcutter gathered sticks and built the children a fire.

2. Hansel and Gretel sat down to eat their stale bread.

3. "And the roof is made of cake!" Gretel shouted.

4. But she was only pretending to be kind.

5. We must also bake a delicious dessert.

Sequencing

Hansel and Gretel

Number the pictures in story order.

6



3



1



4



2



5



Reading Comprehension

Hansel and Gretel

Answer the questions based on the story.

1. The woodcutter was _____.

- a. clever **b. poor** c. wicked

2. What did Hansel use to find his way home?

- a. pebbles** b. sticks c. nuts

3. What did the witch say? Fill in the blank.

"Nibble, nibble, little mouse. Who's that nibbling at my house?"

4. Choose T (True) or F (False).

a. The woodcutter did not want to leave his children in the forest. **T** F

b. The witch made Gretel cook for Hansel day and night. **T** F

c. Hansel and Gretel took the witch's treasures to their father. **T** F

5. Fill in the blank.

Problem	Solution
The witch locked Hansel in a <u>shed</u> and wanted Gretel to crawl into an oven.	Gretel pushed the witch into the <u>oven</u> and released Hansel from the shed.

Making My Book

Hansel and Gretel

Draw pictures to make your own book.

0 0	<p>Hansel and Gretel</p> <p>by _____</p>	<p>A poor woodcutter left his children, Hansel and Gretel, in a forest.</p>
	<p>Hansel dropped white pebbles to find his way home.</p>	<p>Hansel and Gretel were left in the forest again and found a witch's house.</p>
	<p>The wicked witch planned to cook Hansel and Gretel. She locked Hansel in a shed.</p>	<p>Gretel locked the witch in the oven. Hansel and Gretel went home with the witch's treasures.</p>