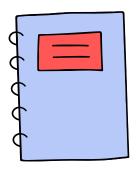
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WHAT'S THE MAIN IDEA?

Can you underline the main ideas in the sentences below?



- 1. The dog wagged his tail, ran in circles, and barked happily when his owner came home.
- 2. Sara packed her backpack, grabbed her lunch, and walked to the bus stop.
- 3. The sun was shining, the birds were singing, and the flowers were blooming in the garden.
- 4. James brushed his teeth, put on his pajamas, and climbed into bed.
- 5. The rabbit hopped across the grass, nibbled a carrot, and twitched its nose.
- 6. The teacher wrote on the board, gave directions, and passed out papers.
- 7. Mia put on her helmet, got on her bike, and pedaled down the street.
- 8. The cat stretched, yawned, and curled up in the sun.
- 9.Tom washed the dishes, wiped the counters, and swept the floor.
- 10. The little boy built a tall tower with blocks, but then it fell down.
- 11. The soccer players kicked the ball, ran fast, and tried to score a goal.
- 12.Emma planted seeds, watered them, and watched them grow.
- 13. The chef chopped vegetables, stirred the soup, and put it on the stove.
- 14. The fireman sprayed water, carried a hose, and helped put out the fire.
- 15. Max went to the library, picked out a book, and sat down to read.
- 16. The kids put on costumes, knocked on doors, and said, "Trick or treat!"
- 17. The birds flew high, built nests, and chirped in the trees.
- 18. The girl mixed flour, sugar, and eggs to bake cookies.
- 19. The family packed their suitcases, got in the car, and drove to the beach.
- 20. The snow fell, kids built a snowman, and everyone drank hot cocoa.