

## Year 2 Reading

Read the text and then pick some questions to answer each day

# Hide and Seek

I didn't mean to bring a dinosaur home and I didn't mean to keep him under my bed; it sort of just happened. I couldn't leave him in the garden and Mum would have seen him if I'd put him in the bath tub... but now I've got a dinosaur under my bed and I don't quite know what to do with him. He's very friendly. He doesn't smell too bad either. Mum might just think I've left my dirty socks on the floor. I hope she doesn't go looking for them... I'm not sure what she'll do if she looks under the bed but I am sure that I don't want to be at home when she does...



### Find the answer in the text:

1. Where is the dinosaur being kept?
2. Complete the sentence: He's very \_\_\_\_\_.
3. True or False: The dinosaur smells really nice.
4. Name 1 place he couldn't leave the dinosaur.

### Inference – look for clues in the text:

1. Why was he not able to leave the dinosaur in the garden?
2. Why might Mum think he has left dirty socks on the floor when she goes in the room?
3. Would Mum find dirty socks if she went looking for them?
4. Mrs Johnson thinks he is worried about having a dinosaur under the bed. DO you agree? Explain your answer.

### Predict:

1. Do you think Mum will find the dinosaur?
2. What might she do when she finds the dinosaur?
3. What will the boy do with the dinosaur?

### Language:

1. Pick out a noun (person, place or object)
2. Pick out an adjective ( a word which describes the noun)
3. Pick out a verb (an action/doing word)
4. Pick out a word you like – explain why you like it

### Author:

1. What is the title?
2. Do you think it is a good title? Explain why.
3. Would you want to read the rest of the story? Explain why?