

The Boy Who Cried Fox

1. Read the story.

Once, a boy looked after chickens on a farm. He was bored. He shouted, "Help! Wolf!" The farm workers came running to help. There was no wolf. The boy laughed. The next day, he played the trick again. He shouted, "Help! Coyote!" The farm workers came running. They were very angry when they saw no coyote. Three days later, a hungry fox walked into the chickens' coop. The boy jumped up and shouted, "Help! Fox!" No one came. The boy yelled again, "Help! Fox!" They thought he was playing a trick. The fox had a tasty chicken lunch!



2. Check the correct missing words.
There can be more than one right answer.

The boy shouted _____ !

"Wolf!"

"Chicken!"

"Coyote!"

"Fox!"

The _____ ate a chicken.

coyote

wolf

farm workers

fox