

Take the Quiz: Chapter one - *Welcome to the backyard*

1. **Where** were the twins when they watched the butterflies scatter?

The twins were low behind a shrub in their grandmother's garden. P. 1

2. **What** did Luka want to name the rare butterfly he thought he'd found?

*Luka wanted to name it **Luka's Flitter Flutter Flyer**. P. 2*

What would you name it?

*I would name it **Marigold Magic** or **Hector the butterfly**. (Examples only)*

3. Leandra wanted to put the fairy back where they found her. **Why** didn't Luka?

Luka wanted to check to see if she was injured or sick and protect her from the magpies. P. 6

4. **What** was covering Luka's desk?

Luka's desk was covered in sketches and notes. P. 7

5. **Why** couldn't they tell Grandpa about the fairy?

Grandpa had been missing for two years. P. 9

6. **What** did the twins want to do about the fairy?

The twins wanted to help the baby fairy and get her home. P. 10

What would you do if you found a baby fairy abandoned in the garden? Draw your imaginary garden in space below. *I would ask someone I knew who believed in fairies to help me find out how to look after her/him. I would read about fairies to help return her/him to the fairy-world.*



Test Your Sentence Skills – Sentence sort

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and sat on the grass.

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with her hand.

He picked up the container

that they could ever do.

Luka loved to explore and watch insects

through the bushes.

Leandra shielded her eyes from the sun

and covered it with its wings.

To harm a tiny creature was the worst thing

out of the shadows.

He leaned closer to the bug catcher

where we found her.

He moved forward with the bug catcher

through his bug catcher.

We better put her back

and peered in at the fairy.

Time to Create:

Make, draw or paint

- a butterfly,
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Find another interesting idea and tell

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Write your answers here:

a. crouched	b. watched	c. photograph	d. explore	e. butterfly
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4. Test your skill: Character knowledge. Write the character’s name beside each question.

Leandra, Luka, the fairy, Grandma or Grandpa

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(d) Who started to crawl around the shrub?	Luka	P.4
(e) Who is the oldest twin?	Leandra by five minutes.	P.5
(f) Who has brown shiny curls?	the fairy	P.8
(g) Who loves to photograph insects?	Leandra	P.1
(h) Who is a missing person?	Grandpa	P.9
(i) Who first identified the butterfly as a fairy?	Luka	P.5
Write your own <i>who</i> question: Who suggested they place a stone on the place they found her to act as a marker?		P.7

1. Find each word in the puzzle.

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| b. | <i>alike</i> |
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| d. | <i>vanished</i> |
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2. Draw a line from each word on the left to its antonym.

a. <i>watched</i>	<i>carelessly</i>
b. <i>whisper</i>	<i>exactly</i>
c. <i>alike</i>	<i>disagreed</i>
d. <i>sudden</i>	<i>thoughtlessly</i>
e. <i>vanished</i>	<i>shout</i>
f. <i>alright</i>	<i>appeared</i>
g. <i>carefully</i>	<i>gradual</i>
h. <i>almost</i>	<i>unpleasant</i>
i. <i>thoughtfully</i>	<i>ignored</i>
j. <i>agreed</i>	<i>disagreed</i>
k. <i>watched</i>	<i>different</i>

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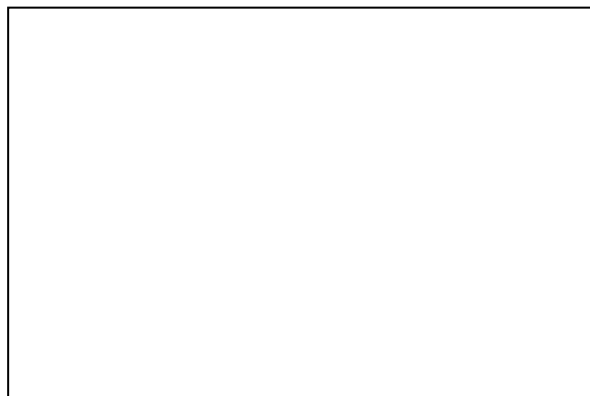
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- disagreed*
- different*

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Give Little Fairy a *fairy-name* and write it here in fancy writing.

Forever Fairies

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