

Read the text below and, then answer the following questions.

A boy shouted help

Grade 5

Once there was a shepherd boy. He didn't go to school, and he looked after sheep every day. He worked in the mountains and **saw** nobody. Nothing much ever happened, and he was very bored.

One day he ran down the mountain to the market in the nearby village and **shouted**, "Help! Help! Wolf, Wolf! A wolf is going to eat the sheep!" The villagers ran up the mountain to help the boy. But there was no wolf.

"It's a joke! There isn't really a wolf," **said** the boy, laughing. The villagers were very angry with the boy. They didn't laugh at his joke. The next day, a wolf really did come to the mountains. The boy was very scared, so he **ran** to the village to find help. Again he shouted, "Help! Help! Wolf, wolf! A wolf is going to eat the sheep!" But this time no-one helped the boy. "There isn't really a wolf," they said, laughing. "You are telling lies!" No-one believed the boy and he started to cry. The wolf ate all the sheep.

A – Answer the following questions.

- 1 – Did the boy go to school? Why?
- 2 – Why did the boy scream wolf all the time?
- 3 – What did the villagers do when the boy shouted?
- 4 – What happened when there was a real wolf and he called for help?

B – Read and number the sentences in order.

- The villagers ran up the mountain to help. But there was no wolf.
- The next day, a wolf really did come. The boy shouted.
- Once there was a shepherd boy who looked after the sheep up in the mountains.
- And then the wolf ate all the sheep.
- But this time no one helped the shepherd.
- The villagers were very angry.
- One day he was bored, so he ran to the village and shouted. "A wolf is going to eat the sheep."

C – Write the base form of the underlined verbs in the text. Score (----- /2)

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