

# Story 7

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Jill was camping with her family.

“What’s for dinner, Mom?” asked Jill.

“Let’s roast some hot dogs and make s’mores for dessert,” Mom said.

“Sounds yummy!” Jill’s stomach was growling. She helped to build a fire.

Jill put a big hot dog on a cooking fork and held it carefully over the flames to cook it. After five minutes, she slid it off the fork onto a bun. She added ketchup and mustard and took a big bite.

“Delicious!” she said. “This is the best gourmet hot dog I’ve ever had!”

“Now let’s make the best camping dessert, s’mores!” said Dad. “First we put two marshmallows on a stick. As we start to roast those, we get two graham crackers and a chocolate bar ready. As soon as the marshmallows look runny and gooey, you take them off the stick and put them on one graham cracker. Then put some chocolate on top of the marshmallows. Then add a graham cracker on top. S’mores are messy, but so tasty!”

“We’re happy campers tonight!” said Jill.

## Main Idea and Details

1. What is the main idea of this story?
  - a. The family goes camping.
  - b. The family cooks dinner.
  - c. The family pitches the tent.
  
2. What are s'mores made from?
  - a. popcorn and candy corn
  - b. Oreos and peanut butter
  - c. graham crackers, chocolate bars, and marshmallows
  
3. Who said the family should roast hot dogs for dinner?
  - a. Jill
  - b. Dad
  - c. Mom

## Vocabulary and Semantics

4. Jill said, “**This is the best gourmet hot dog I’ve ever had!**” What did she mean?
  - a. The hot dog tasted so good, it must be special.
  - b. The hot dog tasted like shoe leather.
  - c. The hot dog tasted like a pizza.
  
5. What does it mean if **your stomach is growling**?
  - a. Your stomach is mad at you.
  - b. You’re hungry.
  - c. You’re tired.
  
6. What is another word for **delicious**?

## Sequencing and Problem Solving

7. When Jill roasted her marshmallows for the s'mores and put them on the chocolate bar, what do you think happened to the chocolate?
  - a. It got hard.
  - b. It got soft and melted.
  - c. It stayed the same.
  
8. If Jill had not roasted the marshmallows, how would her s'more have looked?
  - a. ugly
  - b. pretty
  - c. not gooey
  
9. What steps did Jill take to complete her roasted hot dog?
  - a. She put it onto her fork, held it over the fire, slid it onto a bun, and put ketchup and mustard on it.
  - b. She put ketchup and mustard on the hot dog, roasted it, and slid it onto the bun.
  - c. She put it in the bun without roasting it.

## Asking Questions

How could you find out if Jill's parents liked their hot dogs?

### Writing Prompt .....

What does the expression "happy campers" mean? Write your definition of a **happy camper**.