

Jack and the beanstalk



1 Match the words to the pictures.

a.



b.



c.



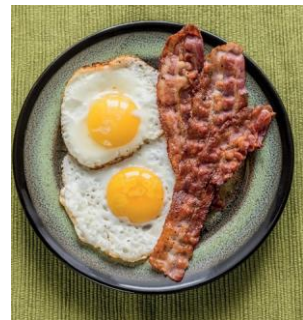
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e.



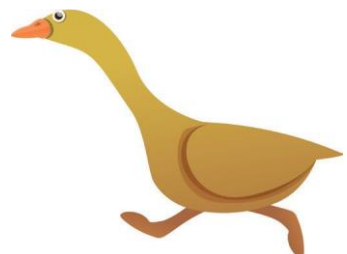
f.



g.



h.



1. cow
2. beans
3. golden goose
4. castle
5. beanstalk
6. golden harp
7. golden coins
8. bacon and eggs

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2 Put the pictures in the correct order as they appear in the story.

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3 Tick (✓) the sentences that are true, cross (X) the sentences that are false.

- a) Jack and his mother are very poor at the beginning of the story. ✓
- b) Jack takes a goose to market.
- c) A strange old man gives Jack some peas.
- d) A beanstalk grows outside Jack's bedroom.
- e) Jack climbs to the top of the beanstalk.
- f) Jack steals the golden coins.
- h) Jack steals the golden guitar.
- i) The giant disappears forever.

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4 Put the 4 main events in the story in the correct order.

A magic beanstalk grew up outside Jack's bedroom window. Jack climbed to the top of the beanstalk and knocked on the castle door. The giant's wife opened the castle door. The giant's wife gave Jack a piece of giant toast for breakfast. The giant ate 2 chickens for breakfast. The giant's wife gave the giant a big bag of gold coins.

The giant fell asleep and Jack took the gold coins and went back down the beanstalk.

Jack lived with his mother in a very small house. Jack took Daisy, the cow, to market. On the way to the market, he met a strange man. The strange man gave Jack some magic beans. Jack went home and showed his mother the magic beans but Jack's mother was very angry with him. She threw the beans out the window.

On the third day, Jack went back up the beanstalk and knocked on the castle door. The giant's wife opened the castle door again. The giant's wife gave Jack a huge bowl of cornflakes for breakfast. The giant's wife gave the giant a cow for his breakfast. The giant's wife gave the giant his magic harp. Jack put the harp on his back and went back down the beanstalk. The magic harp cried 'master, master, help, help!'. The giant woke up and chased Jack down the beanstalk. Jack's mother cut the beanstalk with an axe. Jack and Jack's mother now had the gold coins, the golden goose, golden eggs and golden harp. The giant was gone forever.

The next day, Jack went back up the beanstalk and knocked on the castle door. The giant's wife opened the castle door again. The giant's wife gave Jack an enormous plate of bacon and eggs for breakfast. The giant's wife gave the giant a pig for his breakfast. The giant's wife gave the giant his golden goose. The golden hen laid golden eggs. Jack took the giant's golden eggs and golden hen. He went back down the magic beanstalk.

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- 5 Write the 4 main events in the story, from activity 4, in the correct order.