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lan's New Dog

by Anita Amin

In his yard on a sunny morning, Ian played with his new dog.



"How about Spot?" Dad asked. "Your dog has a brown spot on his face."

lan frowned. "No, there are too many dogs named Spot."

Ian picked up a stick. He threw it. "Fetch!" Ian yelled to his dog.

The dog wagged its tail and got the stick. The dog dropped the stick at lan's feet.

"Good boy." Ian patted his dog's head. "What else could I name him?"

"How about Trixie?" Dad asked. "Your dog knows some good tricks. He can get a stick. And your dog can roll over."

lan frowned. "Trixie is a nice name, but not for my dog. It sounds like a girl's name. My dog needs a boy's name."

Ian picked up a small ball. He threw it. "Fetch!" Ian yelled to his dog.

The dog wagged his tail and got the ball. The dog dropped the ball at lan's feet.

"Good boy." Ian patted his dog's head. "What else could I name him?"

"I don't know," Dad said. "But your dog sure does wag its tail a lot."

"That's it!" Ian said. "I'll name my dog Sir Wags-a-Lot." Ian patted his dog's head. Ian asked his dog, "Do you like that name?"

Sir Wags-a-Lot barked and wagged his tail.

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۱.	Who helped Ian name his dog?
2.	Why didn't Ian want to name his dog Spot?
	a. His dog had brown spots.
	b. His dog did not have spots.
	c. His dog wagged his tail a lot.
	d. Too many other dogs are named Spot.
3.	Why did lan's dad think Trixie was a good name?
1.	What did lan name his dog?
5.	What is this story mostly about?
	a. a boy taking good care of his dog
	b. a boy teaching his dog to do tricks
	c. a boy choosing a name for his new dog
	d. a boy and his dad finding a lost dog

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Draw straight lines to match each vocabulary word on the left with the definition on the right.



- 1. stick
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• made a sad face

- 2. frowned
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• shouted

- 3. tricks
- ullet

bring back

- **4.** wag
- lacktriangle

• branch of a tree; piece of wood

- 5. fetch

• things a pet can do

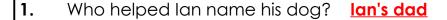
- 6. yelled

• move back and forth

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The dog could do a lot of tricks.

4. What did Ian name his dog?

<u>Sir Wags-a-Lot</u>

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