Early one morning, Ian and his dad were sitting in a canoe on a lake. Ian’s dog, Sir Wags-a-Lot, was there too.

“I hope I catch a big fish,” Ian told Dad.

Dad smiled. “Me, too.”

Ian put a worm on his hook. Then he dropped his line in the water.

Something in the water moved.

“A fish!” Ian hoped it would bite his worm.

Sir Wags-a-Lot barked.

Finally, a fish swam up to the line. It bit the worm. Ian pulled up on his pole, but the fish swam away. “Fishing is hard,” Ian said.

“Maybe we should move to a new spot,” Dad said.

Sir Wags-a-Lot leaped into the lake. He came up with a big fish in his mouth.

Ian laughed. “Sir Wags-a-Lot doesn’t need a fishing pole. He’s the best fisherman of all!”
Ian Goes Fishing
by Anita N. Amin

1. Where did Ian and his dad fish?
   a. in a river  
   b. in a pond  
   c. in a lake  
   d. in a pool

2. How many fish did Ian catch? _______

3. Ian's dad said, “Next time, that dog is staying home.” Why did he say this?
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4. Every time Sir-Wags-a-Lot barked, Ian and his dad probably felt...
   a. excited  
   b. happy  
   c. tired  
   d. upset

5. What happened when Sir-Wags-a-Lot jumped in the water?
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1. **canoe**  
   - long, thin animal with no arms or legs

2. **lake**  
   - small boat

3. **worm**  
   - jumped

4. **darted**  
   - moved fast

5. **quieted**  
   - stopped making noise

6. **leaped**  
   - body of water
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   The dog kept barking and scaring the fish away.

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5. What happened when Sir-Wags-a-Lot jumped in the water?  
   He caught a fish with his mouth.

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