

Reading Level - /r/ all word positions

Story #1: Reese and Ruby's Vacation

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Over the **summer**, **Reese** and **her sister Ruby** went to the beach **for** a family vacation. **Their parents, grandparents**, aunts, uncles, and cousins joined them at the beach. **Their parents rented** a big beach house that they could all stay in **together**. On the **first** day, **Reese** and **her** cousin **Charlie** went **snorkeling** to look at the **coral reefs**. They saw lots of **interesting** fish and ocean life! That night, **Charlie's mother grilled** steaks **for dinner**. The next day, **Reese** and **Ruby** decided to **try windsurfing**. They had **never tried** it **before**, so **Ruby** was a bit **afraid** of the idea. **Reese** went **first** so **Ruby** could watch. **After** seeing **Reese** have so much fun, **Ruby rushed over** to the **instructor** when it was **her turn**. It was a blast! On the **third** day, **Reese's** whole family **rode** bikes **around** the town. They stopped **for** lunch at a small **diner**, **where Reese ordered** a **roast** beef sandwich, and **Ruby ordered** a **turkey wrap**. **After** three busy days, **Ruby, Reese**, and the **rest** of the family decided to just **relax** on the beach **for** the **rest** of the **trip**, enjoying the **summer** sun.

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Story #2: At the Farmers' Market

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Rahul and his mother go to the local farmers' market every Saturday morning. Rahul loves to cook, so he enjoys picking out produce and checking out the other vendors. This week, Rahul is planning to make vegetable soup for his family to eat for dinner. First, he stops at the booth for Smith's Market. He grabs a bunch of carrots and a stalk of celery. He heads to the register and pays Mr. Smith for his purchase. Rahul puts the carrots and celery into his reusable bag. Next, he heads to the booth for Ruth's Farm Stand, where he looks at the corn, potatoes, and green peppers. It must have been a busy morning so far, because Ruth is already out of green peppers! Rahul pays for the corn and potatoes, and moves along to the booth for Robertson Farms. This booth has everything else he needs to buy – onions, green peppers, garlic, and tomatoes. Rahul pays for these, and with a full bag of fresh produce, heads off to find his mother. He can't wait to go home and start cooking!

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