Tomato Story Pictures

Use an actual story picture and words to understand Nia's garden trip.

CCSS.ELA-Literacy.RL.2.7 "Use information gained from the illustrations and words in a print or digital text to demonstrate understanding of its characters, setting, or plot."

NAME _____ DATE _____

1 READ AND MARK

Read it twice

YOUR JOB Look at the supplied garden illustration. Number the paragraphs 1–3 and underline what Nia brings, picks and takes home. Use details in both the illustration and story for Questions 1–2.

Nia's Garden Trip

1. At sunrise, Nia carried an empty bucket to Grandpa's garden. Dew shone on the bean leaves. Grandpa pointed to three ripe red tomatoes near the fence. "Pick only the red ones," he said.

2. Nia picked the three red tomatoes and placed them in her bucket. A gray rabbit hopped beside the bean plants. Nia stood still. The rabbit sniffed a leaf, then hopped away.

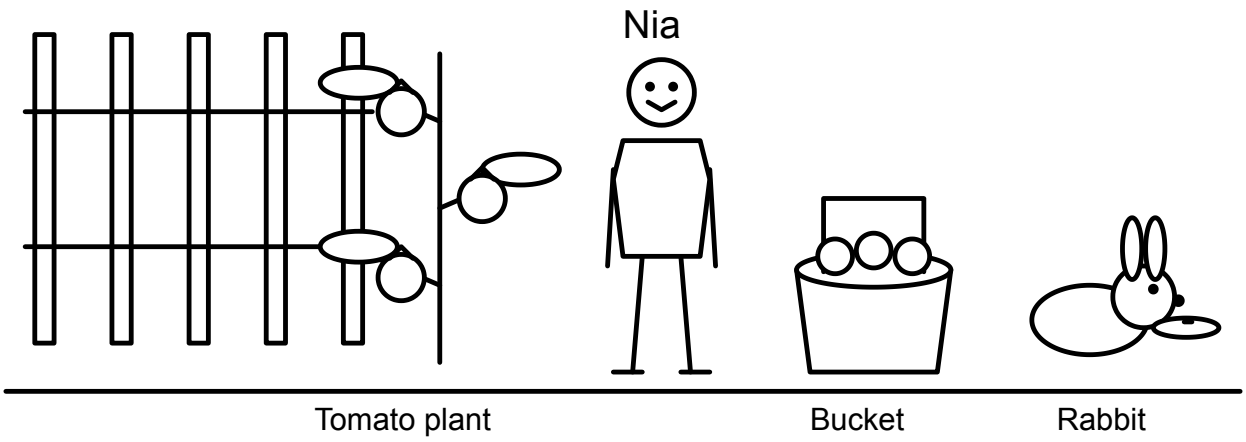
3. At the garden gate, Nia showed Grandpa the full bucket. He smiled and gave her a small paper bag. Nia put the tomatoes in the bag and carried it home for supper.

1 STORY ILLUSTRATIONS

Use with the story

Look closely at the supplied picture details. Use this page with the story and questions.

NIA AND THE RABBIT IN THE GARDEN



2 ANSWER WITH EVIDENCE

Use the passage

1. Look at the supplied garden illustration. What object is beside the tomato plant? Connect it to paragraph 1.

2. Look at Nia and the rabbit in the supplied illustration. What is Nia doing? Which words in paragraph 2 match?

3. What does Nia do with the tomatoes before she carries the bag home?

3 YOUR TURN

Your own words

Draw three panels to show the beginning, middle, and ending of Nia's garden trip. Add one label in each panel to show a setting detail or an important thing from the words.

ANSWER KEY

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PART 1 · READ AND MARK

Look at the supplied garden illustration. Number the paragraphs 1–3 and underline what Nia brings, picks and takes home. Use details in both the illustration and story for Questions 1–2. Accept any marking that follows this job and points at the right text.

PART 2 · ANSWERS

#	QUESTION	ANSWER
1	Look at the supplied garden illustration. What object is beside the tomato plant? Connect it to paragraph 1.	**The fence is beside the tomato plant; paragraph 1 places the tomatoes near the fence.**
2	Look at Nia and the rabbit in the supplied illustration. What is Nia doing? Which words in paragraph 2 match?	**She is standing still; paragraph 2 says Nia stood still.**
3	What does Nia do with the tomatoes before she carries the bag home?	**She puts the tomatoes in the paper bag.**

PART 3 · YOUR TURN (SAMPLE ANSWER)

Panel 1: Nia carries an empty bucket to Grandpa's garden. Label: garden. Panel 2: Nia picks three red tomatoes and puts them in her bucket. Label: red tomatoes. Panel 3: Nia puts the tomatoes in a paper bag and carries it home for supper. Label: paper bag.

Accept details supported by the story and actual supplied illustration. The fence beside the tomato plant connects to paragraph 1; Nia's still pose beside the rabbit connects to paragraph 2. Ask learners to point to visible features, enlarging the supplied illustration if needed. For the three learner-created panels, accept clear beginning, middle and ending drawings with one accurate label each.