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Ricky's Woodland Adventure

Read the short story and answer the questions

Ricky lived on a farm with his family and their three beloved pets: Fido, a playful golden retriever; Rex, a loyal German shepherd; and Piper, a curious tabby cat. One sunny afternoon, Ricky decided to take his pets on an adventure in the woods behind their house. Fido and Rex were thrilled at the prospect of exploring the woods. They bounded ahead, their tails wagging excitedly. Piper, however, was a bit more hesitant. She wasn't as fond of the outdoors as the dogs were, but she followed along anyway.

As they ventured deeper into the woods, Ricky and his pets encountered a variety of wildlife. They saw deer grazing in a meadow, squirrels scampering up trees, and a family of rabbits hopping through the undergrowth. Fido and Rex were eager to chase the rabbits, but Ricky held them back. He knew that rabbits were wild animals and could be dangerous. Piper, on the other hand, was fascinated by the squirrels. She watched them intently as they darted from branch to branch, her eyes wide with curiosity.

After a while, Ricky and his pets came to a small pond. Fido and Rex couldn't resist the temptation to jump in. They splashed around and chased each other through the water, their barks echoing through the woods. Piper watched them from the shore, her tail twitching with amusement.

As they were playing in the pond, Ricky heard a rustling in the bushes. He looked up and saw a small, furry creature. It was a raccoon! Ricky had never seen a raccoon in the wild before. He watched as the raccoon cautiously approached the pond and dipped its paw into the water.

Fido and Rex barked at the raccoon, but it didn't seem to mind. The raccoon continued to drink from the pond, oblivious to the dogs' presence.

After a while, Ricky and his pets decided it was time to go home. They said goodbye to the raccoon and made their way back through the woods. As they walked, Ricky thought about all the amazing things he had seen that day. He was so glad he had taken his pets on this adventure.

When they got home, Ricky's parents were surprised to see him and his pets covered in mud. But Ricky didn't mind. He had had the time of his life exploring the woods with his best friends.

Complete the questions on the next page.



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Questions:

1), What did Ricky live on?

2). Who were Ricky's pets?

3). Where did Ricky take his pets for an adventure?

4). What did Ricky and his pets see in the woods?

5). What did Fido and Rex do in the pond?

6). What did Ricky see in the bushes?

7). How did Ricky feel about his adventure?

8). What did Ricky's parents think when they saw him and his pets covered in mud?
