



Name: _____

CHOOSE YOUR OWN STORY

Directions: Circle your answers, and follow the instructions.

A. My mom made chocolate chip cookies this afternoon. I love chocolate chip cookies, and my mom knows that they are my favorite. They smelled so good that I wanted to eat all of them, but my mom told me that I had to wait until after dinner because we were celebrating my sister's graduation day.

1. I listen to my mom and do not eat any cookies. (If this, go to Point B.)
2. I disobey my mom's request and I eat 3 cookies before dinner. (If this, go to Point C.)

B. It is now dinner time, and I am excited to eat the chocolate chip cookies. But, my dad tells me I have to finish ALL of my green beans before I can have dessert.

1. Even though I don't like them, I know they will make me strong, so I eat all of them. (If this, go to point D.)
2. I dislike green beans, so I will not eat them, even though my dad said so. (If this, go to point E.)

C. As I am hiding and eating my cookies, I suddenly hear my mom come into the kitchen. I do not want to get in trouble, so I pretend that our dog, Sammy, ate the cookies. I put cookie crumbs by Sammy's dog bowl, and then my mom asked me what happened.

1. I felt guilty for what I had done, so I told my mom the truth. (If this, go to point F.)
2. I lied and said that Sammy had eaten the cookies (If this, go to point G.)

D. Since I ate all the food off of my plate, my parents were so proud of me. They said that because I listened to them, I could have 2 chocolate chip cookies and a glass of milk for dessert!

E. My dad was angry that I did not listen to him, so I was sent to my room with no dessert and I couldn't celebrate my sister's graduation.

F. My mom was proud that I had told her the truth, so she decided to give me one more chance. She told me that if I helped with the dishes after dinner she would give me 1 cookie!

G. My mom knew I was lying (as mothers do) and was disappointed in me. She told me that even if Sammy had been the one to eat the cookies it was different because Sammy is just a dog who doesn't know any better. She told me that I was her child, and I do know better because she taught me the difference between right and wrong. So, I should know that disobeying my mom and lying about it is wrong.