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LANGUAGE ARTS

STORY STRUCTURE: SETTING & CHARACTERS

A good story always has a setting and characters.
Without these two things, you can't have a story where things happen.

Character

- The characters are the people in a story.
- Characters can be animals.
- Characters can be objects.

Setting

- The setting is **where** a story takes place.
- The setting can also be **when** in time a story takes place.



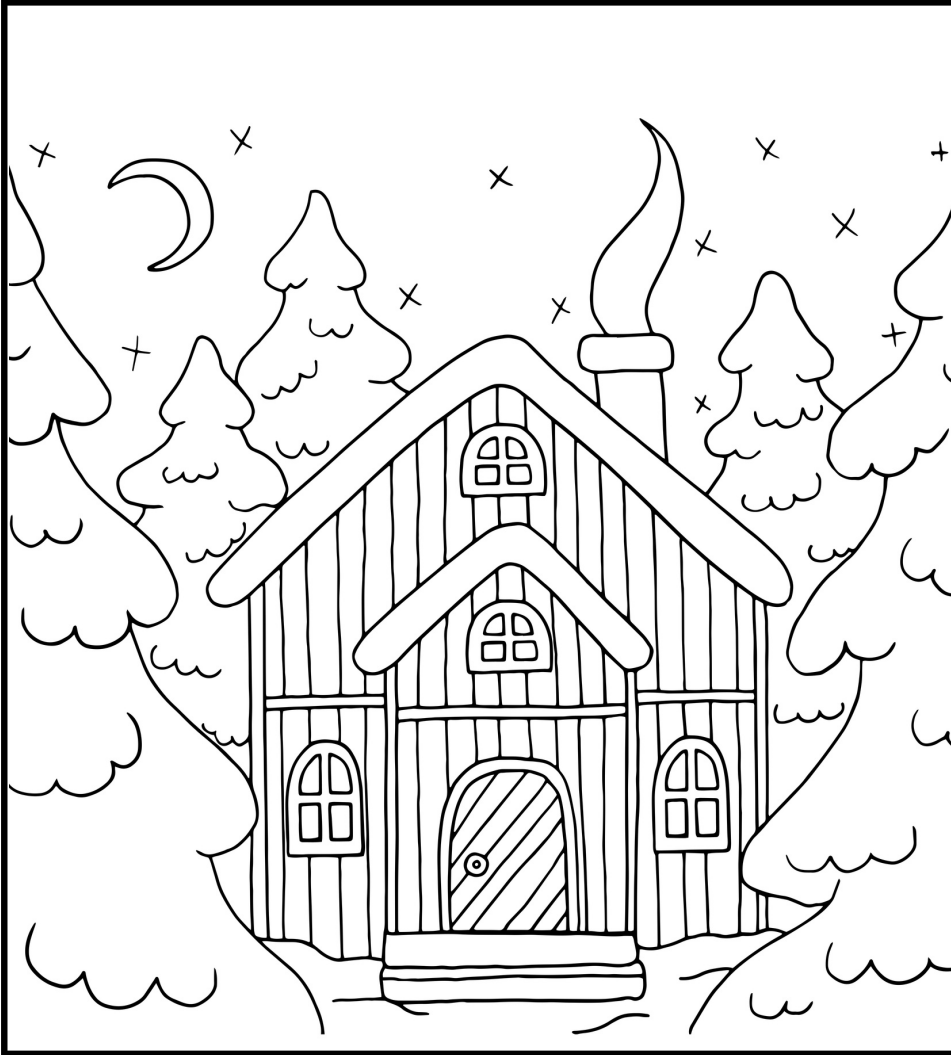


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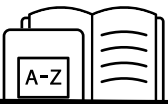


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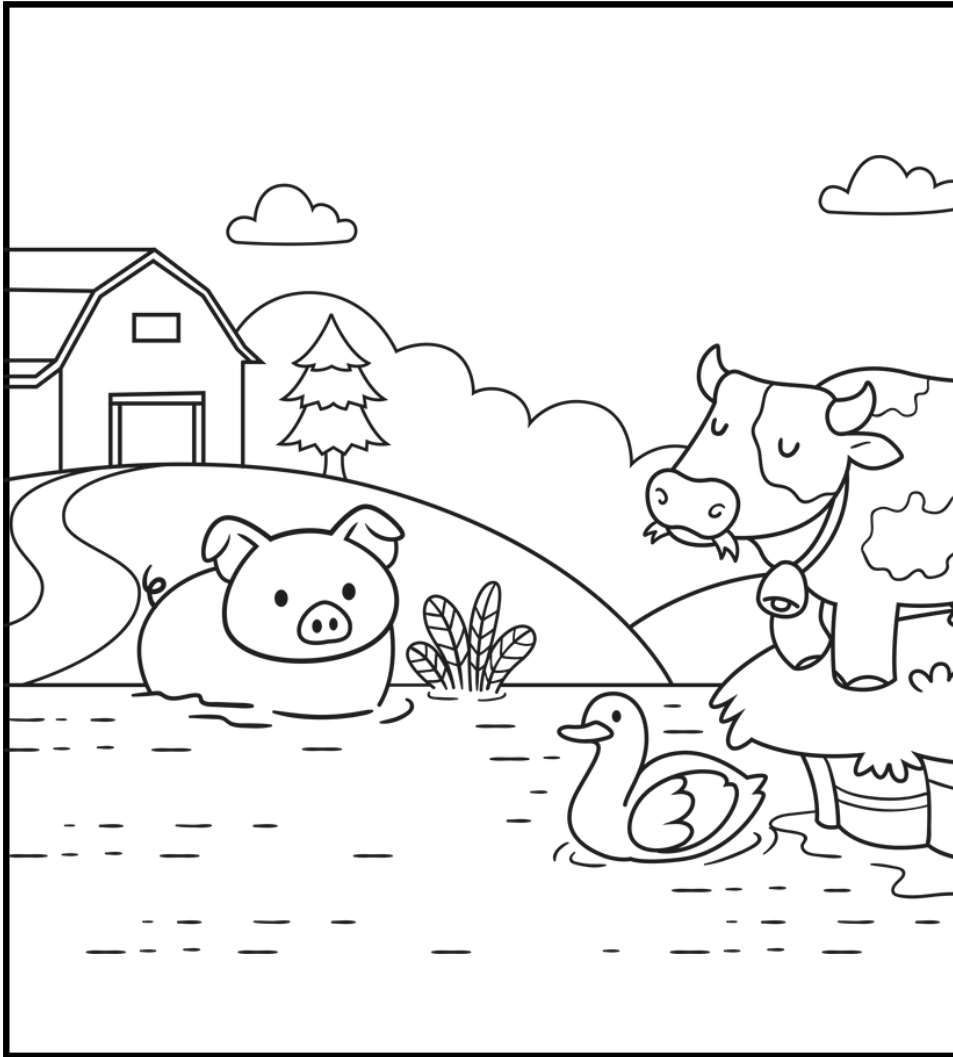


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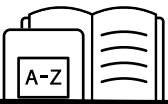


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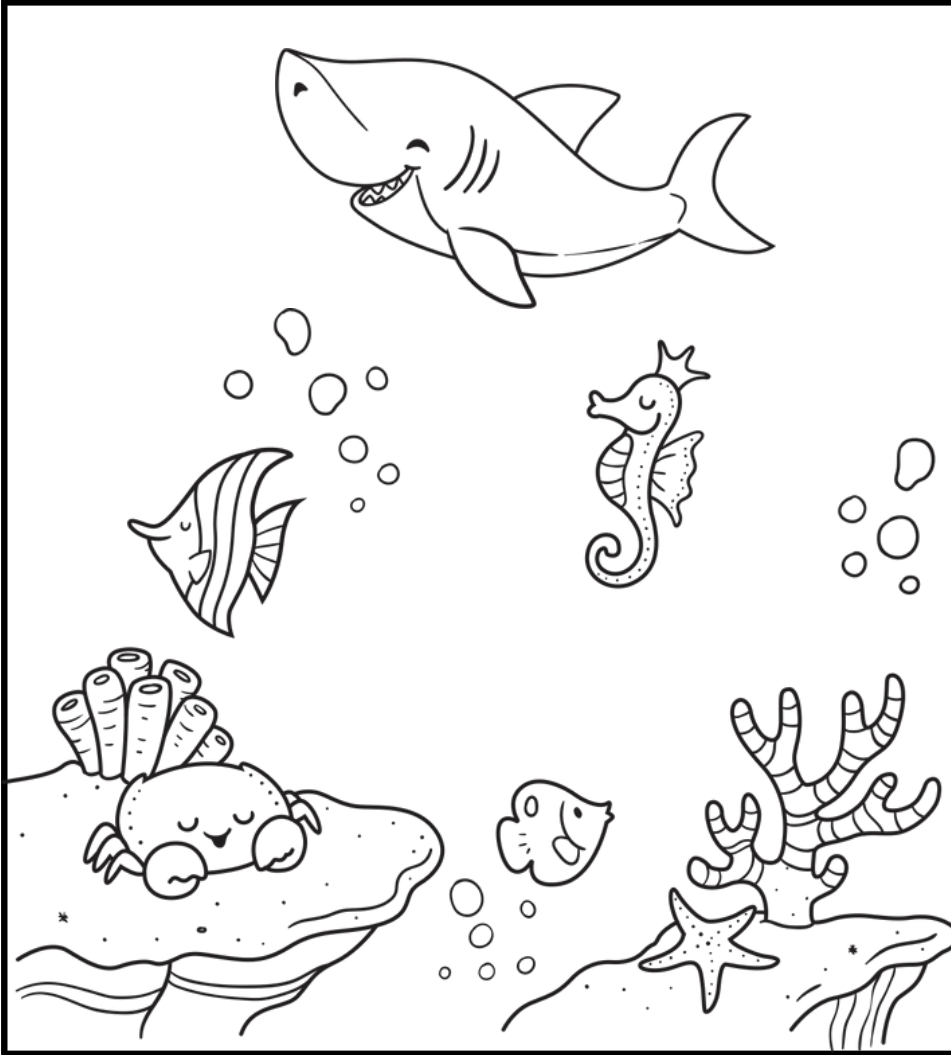


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Color the picture. Answer the questions about the character.



What is the character in the picture doing?

Write a sentence about this character.



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What are the characters in the picture doing?

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Read the story and answer the questions.

Today, Grandma Sarah and Joe a story about when she was a little girl. When she was little she lived on a farm with her parents and three brothers.

All of them had chores to do on the farm. Grandma's job was to feed the chickens and collect their eggs.

One day she went to collect eggs and there was a rock in the chicken's nest. She was confused.

Her brothers started to laugh. They had played a trick on her! Sarah and Joe laughed. They thought the joke was funny too.

Who are the characters?

What is the setting?



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Read the story and answer the questions.

My dad likes to take me out on the lake.
We always wear life jackets before we
get in the boat. The life jackets keep us
safe.

My life jacket is orange and fits me just
right. If I fall out of the boat, it will help
me float on top of the water. I feel safe
with it on.

When we're in the boat, we go really fast!
I see birds, fish, and other people. I love
spending time with my dad in the boat.

Who are the characters?

What is the setting?
