

  
 1. How they found the Magic Wood

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There were once three children, called Joe, Beth and Frannie. All their lives they had lived in a town, but now their father had a job in the country, so they were all to move as soon as they possibly could.

‘What fun to be in the country!’ said Joe. ‘I shall learn all about animals and birds!’

‘And I shall pick as many flowers as I want to,’ said Beth.

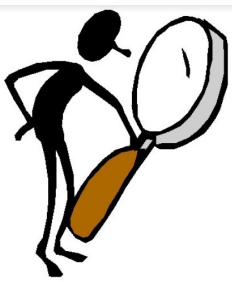
‘And I shall have a garden of my own,’ said Frannie.


When the day came for the move all the children were excited. A small van came to their door and two men helped their father and mother to pile everything into it. When it was full the van drove away, and the children put on their coats and hats to go with their mother to catch a train to the station.

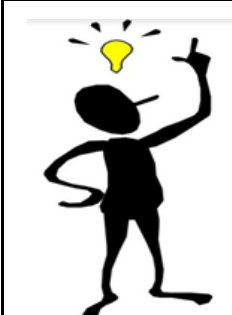
‘Now we’re off!’ cried Joe.

‘The country, the country!’ sang Beth.

‘We might see fairies there!’ said Frannie.

 <b>RETRIEVE</b>	What are the names of the three children?	

 <b>INTERPRET</b>	How are the children feeling about moving to the country?	
	worried	<input type="checkbox"/>
	excited	<input type="checkbox"/>
	disappointed	<input type="checkbox"/>

 <b>CHOICE</b>	Why are there stars and swirls around the chapter title?	
	Because it looks pretty.	<input type="checkbox"/>
	To represent the magic.	<input type="checkbox"/>
	They’re the only shapes the illustrator could draw.	<input type="checkbox"/>