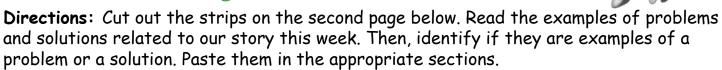
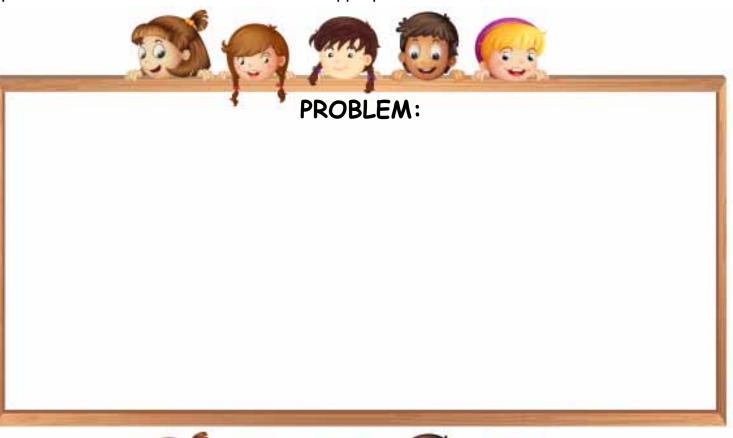
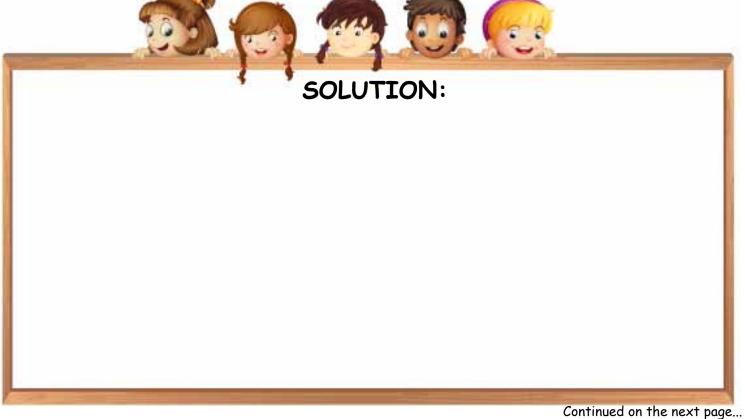
Making Plans

Reading: Problem/Solution









Your hiking partner is tired and wants to go more slowly after one mile. You want to run and improve your time.
Talk to your partner and agree ahead of time on how long to walk or run. Make sure you are both at the same level of fitness. If you are already on the hike, talk to each other about a plan that fits both of you for the rest of the hike.
Create a plan of where you want to hike. If you change your mind, talk to each and together pick a new stopping spot.
You plan to hike to the waterfall only, but your partner wants to hike all day by going to the river and back.
After 2 hours of hiking, you realize that you aren't sure how to get to the waterfall.
Read the map ahead of time. If you get lost, have a compass available to help you find your way.
Pack a bottle of suntan lotion in your backpack, along with water and other supplies. If you forget anything, ask your partner.
The sun is hot, and you can see that your skin is beginning to turn red after being outside for a few hours.
Check the weather forecast ahead of time. Just in case, you could include a small rain poncho in your backpack.
You are half way into your hike when it begins to rain. You forgot to bring a rain poncho or umbrella.