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Amos Makes a Cake

My name is Amos. I am baking a cake. Here's how I do it.

First, I put flour in a bowl. Then I add some sugar and a little bit of salt to the bowl. Then I crack some eggs into the bowl.

I mix it all together. It looks dry in the bowl, so I mix in some milk. Now it looks better.

I put the cake mix in a baking pan, and then I put the pan in the oven.

I look in the oven. Something looks wrong: the cake is not baking. I go looking for my mom.

My mom comes over. She laughs. "You forgot to turn on the oven," she says.

I laugh, too. I turn on the oven.

We wait together for the cake to be ready.

- 1) What is Amos doing in this passage?
 - A. He is baking a cake.
 - B. He is cooking dinner.
 - C. He is making cookies.

2) What does Amos do first?

- A. He turns on the oven.
- B. He puts flour in a bowl.
- C. He puts the pan in the oven.
- 3) What is wrong?
 - A. the cake is not baking
 - B. Amos forgot to add milk
 - C. Amos can't find his mom





- 4) What did Amos forget to do?
 - A. he forgot to add milk
 - B. he forgot to turn the oven on
 - C. he forgot to ask his mom for help
- 5) How does Amos feel in the end?
 - A. angry
 - B. happy
 - C. sad
- 6) In this passage, Amos makes a mistake that keeps his cake from turning out right. What other mistakes can keep a cake from looking or tasting the way that it should?

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