
The World of Walt Disney

Reading Comprehension

Walt Disney

Walt Disney loved to be happy! He liked to make other people happy too!

Walt was born in 1901. He lived on a farm with his mom and dad. He had one sister and three brothers. Walt loved to draw and take pictures.

When Walt was 16, he wanted to help with the war. He wanted to join the army. They said, “No.” He asked the Red Cross if he could help, and they said, “Yes.”

After the war ended, Walt moved to Hollywood in California. He only had \$40.00, some pencils, and some paper.

Walt’s brother, Roy Disney, was waiting for him in Hollywood. Walt made up Mickey Mouse. Then Walt and Roy made him into a movie. People really liked it! They wanted more, so Walt made more movies.

He also made a park that was lots of fun. There are rides there that make people happy. Do you know what this park is called?

Story Questions:

1. When Walt went to Hollywood, he only had...
 - a. \$20
 - b. \$40
 - c. \$60
 - d. \$80
2. What is something that Walt did not like to do?
 - a. laugh
 - b. draw
 - c. make fun of people
 - d. make movies

3. What kind of sentence is the last sentence in the story?
- a. declarative
 - b. exclamatory
 - c. interrogative
 - d. none of the above

Journal Writing

4. **Write** 3-5 sentences about your favourite Disney movie. Why is it your favourite?

Math Worksheet

5. **Practise** [subtracting 2-digit numbers with regrouping](#).

Word Problems

6. **Read** the word problems below and **write** the answers.
- ★ Roy had 143 candles and 429 blue candles. What is the difference between the number of blue candles and red candles?

 - ★ Walt picked 248 peaches and 506 plums. How many more plums than peaches did Walt pick?

Fun Stuff!

7. **Play** “Which Disney Movie?” using this [Ultimate Disney Song Playlist](#). Split the family into two teams and have one person play “DJ”. The first team to name the movie that the song is from gets a point. Bonus points for whoever names the character that is singing!