

Alpha Readers

Level 1. The Fox and the Snail

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A Write the words in the correct chart to sort them.



laugh



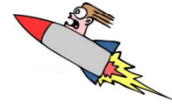
slow



grab



river



fast



tail

Verbs

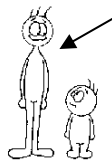


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Describing Words



tall

slow

fast

Nouns



ball

river

tail

B Fill in the blanks with **as...as** pattern.

1. It is as cold as it was yesterday. (cold)



2. I am as tall as my brother. (tall)









3. You can have as much as you want. (much)



4. The fox ran as fast as he could. (fast)



C Complete the sentences for the story.

tail	river	race	fox	laughed	snail
Who were the characters? 	A <u>fox</u> and a <u>snail</u> were the characters.				
What did they do? 	They had a <u>race</u> to the <u>river</u> .				
How did the snail get to the river? 	It grabbed the fox's <u>tail</u> . 				
How did the story end? 	The snail laughed and <u>laughed</u> . 				

D What do you think about the snail? Draw and complete the sentences.



The snail is slow,
(fast, slow)

but it is not as slow as we think.
(fast, slow)

It is very clever.
(clever, fast, slow)