

Title: Best Friends Forever?

Word Study

A. Fill in the blanks using the words.

lizard	butterfly	flies	elephant
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1.



Ella is an elephant.

2.



Ella sees a lizard and a snake.

3.



Brennan is a butterfly.

4.



Brennan flies in the air above Ella.

Reading Comprehension

B. Circle Yes or No.

1.



They are happy to see Ella.

Yes

No

2.



Ella saw Brennan playing with other animals.

Yes

No

3.



Ella found a new best friend.

Yes

No

4.



Ella's family waited for Brennan to come back.

Yes

No

C. Choose the best answer.

1. Which is NOT a way Ella and Brennan are different?



a. Brennan can fly; Ella can't.

b. Ella is big; Brennan is small.

c. Ella is a girl; Brennan is a boy.

d. Ella likes to play; Brennan doesn't.

2. What did Ella see flying near Brennan?



a. A bird

b. A bat

c. A butterfly

d. She didn't know what it was.

3. What is NOT something Ella thought happened to Brennan?



a. He got lost in the trees.

b. He has a new friend that flies.

c. He likes his new friend more than Ella.

d. He doesn't want to be Ella's friend.

4. Why did Brennan fly away?



- a. He was playing hide and seek with Ella.
- b. He didn't want to be Ella's best friend.
- c. Something was trying to eat him.
- d. He went home to see his family.

Summary

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happy	ground	fly	snake
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Ella is an elephant. Brennan is a butterfly. They are different, but they are best friends! Ella runs on the 1) ground. Brennan flies in the air. One morning, Brennan flies to a big tree. Ella follows him. Brennan flies farther away. He does not answer Ella. Ella sees something flying near Brennan. She cannot see what it is. Ella looks for Brennan in the trees. She sees a lizard, a 2) snake, and a bug. She does not see Brennan. Ella runs back to her family. They are 3) happy to see her. Ella thinks Brennan doesn't want to be her best friend. Ella waits for Brennan. Finally, he comes back. "Why did you 4) fly away?" she asks. He says, "Something was going to eat me!" Ella understands why he left. They agree to be best friends forever.