## **Candy Store**

Trudy, Emmett, and Carlo went to their favorite candy shop, The Candy Cabin. Each person brought his or her own money. At The Candy Cabin, the friends each purchased their favorite types of candy.

Trudy had \$5.00 from her weekly allowance. Each week Trudy took out the trash, washed the dishes, and made her bed daily. For these chores, she received \$5.00. This week she decided she was going to spend all of her money on candy bars. Trudy loved candy bars, so she purchased an Amazing Almond Bar, two Crazy Caramel Bars, and a Totally Choco-Monkey Bar.

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Emmett had \$2.00 that his mother had given him earlier

that morning. Emmett was allergic to nuts and chocolate, so he spent his money on Fruity Gummy Blasters. He did not buy many though. That's because he got a cavity in his tooth. His dentist told him to eat less sugar. For this reason, Emmett needed to restrict the amount of sugar he eats.

Carlo came to The Candy Cabin with \$4.00. He wanted to purchase a Super Candy Sampler Pack, which he knew cost exactly \$4.00. A Super Candy Sampler Pack included two candy bars, two packs of chewing gum, three types of Gummy Blasters, and a mystery treat. When Carlo reached into his pocket to get his money, he noticed that he only had \$3.00. One of his dollars must have fallen out! Carlo looked all over the shop. But he did not see his dollar anywhere.

"Well, I guess I won't be getting the Super Candy Sampler Pack," he said. His face looked

glum. Trudy reached into her pocket and pulled out a one-dollar bill. "Here you go," she said.

"Hey!" Carlo smiled. "Thanks!"

1) Trudy wanted to spend all of her money on

- A. Fruity Gummy Blasters
- B. candy bars
- C. nuts and chocolate
- D. a sampler pack

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2) Using the information in the passage as a guide, who is interested in trying different things?

- I. Carlo
- II. Emmett
- III. Trudy
  - A. I only
  - B. I and II only
  - C. II and III only
  - D. I, II, and III
- 3) In paragraph 3 the author writes, "For this reason, Emmett needed to restrict the amount of sugar he eats." Which of these people restricts something in the same way that Emmett does?

A. Marcus, who practiced his football skills all summer so he would be prepared for football tryouts.

B. Nicholas, a baker, who tried many types of sugary treats at the new downtown bakery.

C. Robin, who needed help unloading her car because she purchased a large amount of groceries at the supermarket.

D. Marissa, who had to put her dog on a leash after he played too roughly with another dog at the park.

4) With the money Trudy gave him, Carlo will most likely

- A. purchase a Super Candy Sampler Pack
- B. ask his mother for more money when he gets home
- C. buy an extra treat for Trudy and Emmett
- D. save his money so he has enough for next time
- 5) As used near the end of the passage, the word glum has its nearest OPPOSITE in
  - A. upset
  - B. interested
  - C. strong
  - D. happy

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6) Which one of the candy purchases in the passage sounds most appealing to you? In other words, how would you have spent your money at The Candy Cabin? Why?

