## Lesson 24 • Miss Feline's Unusual Pets

Name

Finding the Main Idea and Supporting Details
The main idea of a text is its key point. It sums up what the text is about.
Details in the text can help us identify the main idea.
Read the passage.
the animals


## More Unusual Pets

A goose flew in through the window. She landed with a thump. She grumbled as she got up off the floor. Then a hyena came to the door. He had the hiccups. He saw the goose and laughed.

They began to argue. It went on and on until Stella yelled, "Stop!"

The room was silent. The crocodile stood very still.

## Colour the correct answer/s for each question.

1 Find the main idea of the text.
O Stella has ordinary pets.
O Stella doesn't want the animals to fight.
O Stella is excited.
O Stella is angry with the goose.

2 Which two sentences support the main idea?
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## Read the passage.

"Help! Help!" yelled the rabbit. "The lion is trying to eat me!"
"I am not," said the lion. He sounded hurt. "I was trying to whisper in your ear. But one of your whiskers tickled my nose. I just slipped."
"Then your foot was in my mouth. I don't know how that happened. Mmmmmm, yummy."

## Underline the lion's dialogue

1 What is the main idea? $\qquad$

2 Which two details helped you find the main idea?
a $\qquad$
$\qquad$
b $\qquad$

