

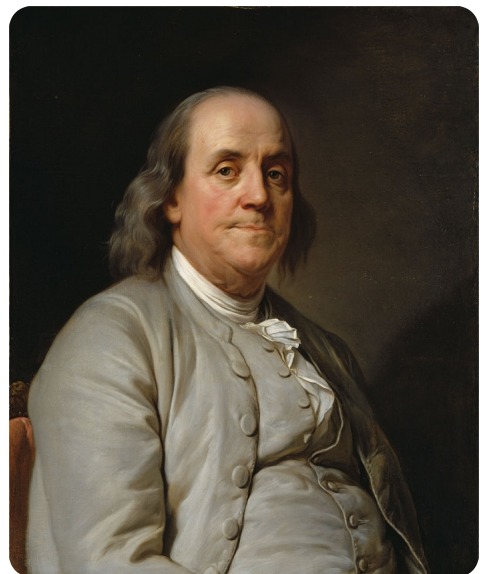
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Reading Comprehension

Read It And Answer The Following

Few hundred years ago there lived in Boston a little boy whose name was Benjamin Franklin. On the day that he was seven years old, his mother gave him a few pennies. He looked at the bright, yellow pieces and said, "What shall I do with these coppers, mother?" It was the first money that he had ever had. "You may buy something, if you wish," said his mother. "And then will you give me more?" he asked. His mother shook her head and said: "No, Benjamin. I cannot give you any more. So you must be careful not to spend these foolishly." The little fellow ran into the street. He heard the pennies jingle in his pocket. How rich he was! Boston is now a great city, but at that time it was only a little town.

1. What is the name of the city?
2. How many characters are there in the given story?
3. What are those coppers?
4. What makes Benjamin feel rich?
5. What do you learn from the character of Benjamin's mother?



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Two children, brother and sister, were on their way to school. Both were very small. The boy was only four years old, and the girl was not yet six. "Come, Edward, we must hurry," said the sister. "We must not be late."

With one hand the little boy clung to his sister's arm, and with the other he held his primer.

This primer was his only book, and he loved it. It had a bright blue cover, which he was careful not to soil. And in it were some odd little pictures, which he never grew tired of looking at.

1. What could be the age of the girl character in the story?
2. Who is older in the story?
3. What is the name of the body?
4. Where are they going?
5. Explain the characteristics of the primer book

