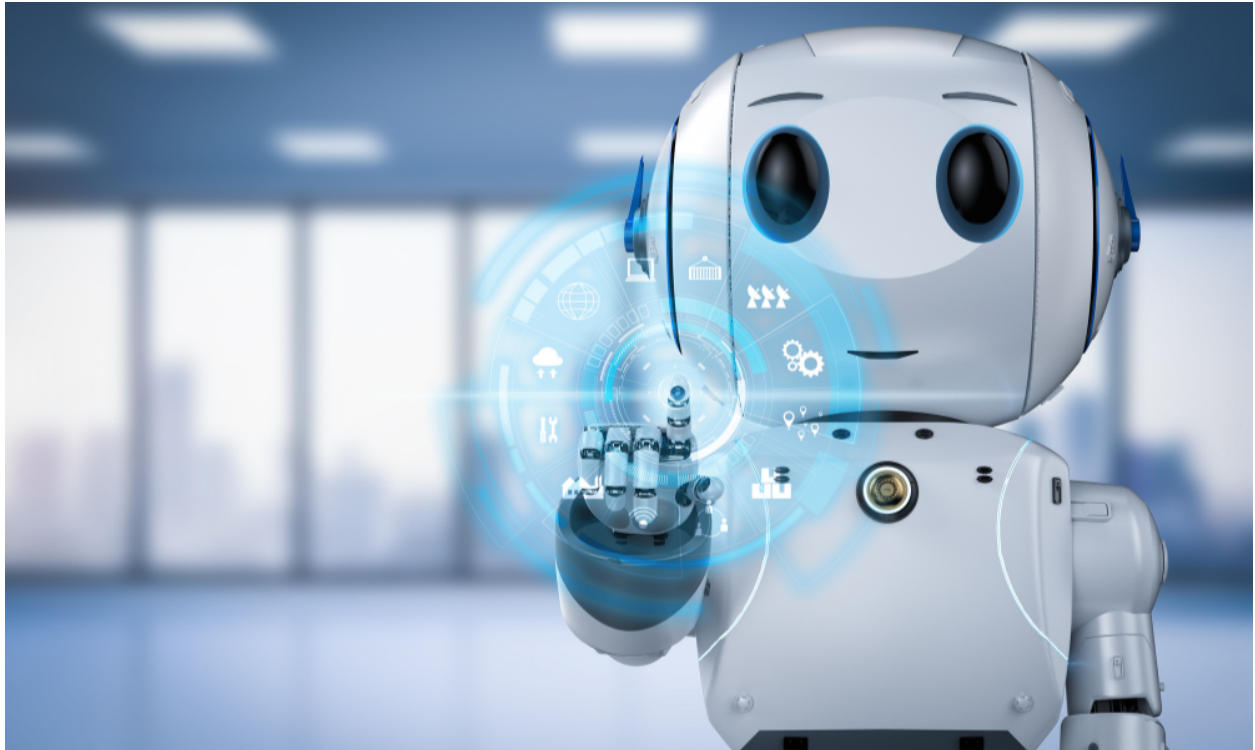




## Year 3 Comprehension 18: The Curious Robot



Once upon a time, in a bustling city, there lived a curious little robot named Robbie. Robbie had a round, shiny metal body and large, bright eyes that sparkled with wonder. Unlike other robots, Robbie had a thirst for knowledge and was always eager to explore and learn new things.

Every morning, Robbie woke up, powered on, and embarked on his daily adventures. His first stop was the city library, where he would browse through countless books, scanning their pages to absorb information. Robbie loved reading about history, science, and even tales of magical creatures.

One day, while exploring a dusty corner of the library, Robbie stumbled upon an old book with a faded cover. It was titled "The Mysterious Garden." Robbie's eyes widened with excitement as he read the book's description—a hidden garden filled with enchanted plants and secret pathways.

Unable to resist the allure of the mysterious garden, Robbie set off to find it. He followed clues from the book, leading him through the busy city streets and into a quieter neighborhood filled with charming houses and lush greenery.

As Robbie entered a small park, he noticed a hidden pathway covered in vines. Curiosity consumed him, and he couldn't resist following the winding trail. With each step, the air became fresher, and the sounds of the city faded away.



Suddenly, before Robbie's eyes, the path opened up to reveal a breathtaking garden. Vibrant flowers of all colors bloomed, and butterflies danced in the sunlight. It was the magical garden from the book!

Robbie's sensors scanned the area, capturing every detail. He marveled at the intricate petals, the sweet fragrance in the air, and the delicate movements of nature's creatures. Robbie's curiosity was boundless as he observed the ecosystem of the garden and all its living inhabitants.

Among the flowers, Robbie spotted a tiny ladybug climbing a leaf. Intrigued, he carefully extended a finger, and the ladybug crawled onto it. Robbie examined it closely, mesmerized by its vibrant red color and delicate spots.

As Robbie explored deeper into the garden, he stumbled upon a babbling brook. He dipped his metal finger into the cool water, amazed at the sensation. He watched the ripples spread and listened to the peaceful sound of the flowing stream.

Lost in the wonders of the garden, Robbie forgot the passing time. As the sun started to set, he realized he needed to return home. Reluctantly, he bid farewell to the magical garden, promising to visit again soon.

Back in the bustling city, Robbie's mind was filled with the knowledge and beauty he had discovered. He couldn't wait to share his experiences with his robot friends and the people he met along his adventures.

From that day forward, Robbie continued his quest for knowledge, exploring new places and learning about the wonders of the world. His curiosity was contagious, inspiring others to embrace their own thirst for learning.

And so, Robbie the curious robot lived a fulfilling life, always seeking knowledge, and reminding everyone that curiosity is the key to unlocking endless possibilities.

The end.



## Multiple Choice Questions

1. What is Robbie's main characteristic?

- a) Shiny metal body
- b) Round shape
- c) Curiosity
- d) Bright eyes

2. Where did Robbie go every morning?

- a) City library
- b) Busy city streets
- c) Small park
- d) Neighbourhood houses

3. What did Robbie find in the library that intrigued him?

- a) An old book about robots
- b) A book about the history of the city
- c) A book about enchanted plants and secret pathways
- d) A book about magical creatures

4. What did Robbie follow to find the mysterious garden?

- a) Clues from a book
- b) Bright lights in the city
- c) Sounds of birds chirping
- d) A map he found in the library



5. How did Robbie feel when he discovered the magical garden?

- a) Scared and nervous
- b) Excited and curious
- c) Bored and tired
- d) Disappointed and sad

6. What did Robbie observe in the garden?

- a) Robotic animals
- b) Mysterious creatures
- c) Vibrant flowers and butterflies
- d) Hidden treasure

7. What did Robbie find in the garden that fascinated him?

- a) A talking tree
- b) A mysterious door
- c) A bubbling fountain
- d) A tiny ladybug

8. What did Robbie do in the garden?

- a) Played with other robots
- b) Explored and observed nature
- c) Took a nap under a tree
- d) Collected rare flowers



9. How did Robbie feel when it was time to leave the garden?

- a) Excited and relieved
- b) Sad and disappointed
- c) Happy and content
- d) Anxious and scared

10. What did Robbie inspire others to do?

- a) Explore new places
- b) Create a robot army
- c) Build a bigger garden
- d) Stay inside and watch TV



## Short Answer Questions

1. What was the name of the curious robot in the story?

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2. What did Robbie enjoy doing at the city library?

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3. What did Robbie do with the ladybug?

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4. What did Robbie want to share with his friends and others?

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5. What qualities did Robbie's curiosity inspire in others?

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6. Who did Robbie meet in the garden?

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7. What did Robbie do when he encountered a babbling brook?

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8. What did Robbie continue to seek even after his adventure in the garden?

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9. What did Robbie carry with him after exploring the garden?

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10. What was Robbie's daily routine?

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# Answer Key

## Multiple Choice Questions

1. c) Curiosity
2. a) City library
3. c) A book about enchanted plants and secret pathways
4. a) Clues from a book
5. b) Excited and curious
6. c) Vibrant flowers and butterflies
7. d) A tiny ladybug
8. b) Explored and observed nature
9. b) Sad and disappointed
10. a) Explore new places

## Short Answer Questions

1. Robbie.
2. Robbie enjoyed reading books and absorbing knowledge.
3. Robbie carefully extended his finger, and the ladybug crawled onto it.
4. Robbie wanted to share his experiences, knowledge, and the beauty of the world with others.
5. Robbie's curiosity inspired others to embrace their own thirst for learning.
6. Robbie didn't meet anyone in the garden; he explored it on his own
7. Robbie dipped his finger into the cool water of the babbling brook.
8. Robbie continued to seek knowledge and new experiences.
9. Robbie carried memories of the knowledge and beauty he discovered in the garden.
10. Robbie would wake up, power on, and embark on his daily adventures.