



Year 2 Comprehension 12: The Brave Little Spartan



Once upon a time, in the land of Ancient Greece, there was a little Spartan boy named Alexios. He dreamed of becoming a mighty warrior like his father.

One sunny day, a fierce dragon appeared in their village, scaring everyone away. Alexios knew he had to be brave and face the dragon. Armed with his wooden sword and shield, he marched towards the beast.

With a courageous shout, Alexios charged at the dragon. The dragon roared and blew fire, but Alexios dodged with speed. He swung his sword and struck the dragon's tail. The dragon howled in pain.

Suddenly, an idea struck Alexios. He grabbed his water bottle and splashed it on the dragon, putting out the flames. The dragon whimpered and flew away.

The villagers cheered for Alexios, the brave little Spartan. From that day on, Alexios knew that even the smallest hero could make a big difference. And he continued to train, knowing that one day he would become a true warrior, just like his father.



Multiple Choice Questions

1. What is the name of the little Spartan boy in the story?

- a) Hercules
- b) Alexios
- c) Jason
- d) Apollo

2. What did Alexios dream of becoming?

- a) A farmer
- b) A scholar
- c) A mighty warrior
- d) A musician

3. What appeared in the village, scaring everyone away?

- a) A fierce dragon
- b) A friendly unicorn
- c) A magical fairy
- d) A mischievous goblin

4. What did Alexios use to protect himself from the dragon?

- a) A wooden sword and shield
- b) A bow and arrows
- c) A magical wand
- d) A water hose



5. How did Alexios defeat the dragon?

- a) He used a powerful spell
- b) He sang a calming lullaby
- c) He tickled the dragon's belly
- d) He struck the dragon's tail with his sword

6. What did Alexios use to put out the dragon's flames?

- a) A bucket of sand
- b) A water bottle
- c) A magic potion
- d) A bucket of water

7. What did the dragon do when Alexios put out the flames?

- a) The dragon laughed and flew away
- b) The dragon cried and apologized
- c) The dragon howled in pain and flew away
- d) The dragon turned into a friendly puppy

8. How did the villagers react when Alexios defeated the dragon?

- a) They cheered for Alexios
- b) They ran away in fear
- c) They scolded Alexios for being reckless
- d) They ignored Alexios



9. What lesson did Alexios learn from facing the dragon?

- a) Never leave the village
- b) It's better to run from danger
- c) Even the smallest hero can make a big difference
- d) Dragons are friendly creatures

10. What did Alexios continue to do after defeating the dragon?

- a) He stopped training
- b) He went on a vacation
- c) He knew he would become a true warrior one day
- d) He retired and became a farmer



Short Answer Questions

1. What did Alexios do to protect his village?

2. What did the dragon do when Alexios charged at it?

3. How did Alexios avoid the dragon's fire?

4. What did Alexios do to put out the dragon's flames?



5. What happened to the dragon after the flames were put out?

6. What did Alexios continue to do after facing the dragon?

7. How did Alexios' sword help him in the battle with the dragon?

8. What did Alexios shout when he charged at the dragon?



9. How did Alexios feel when he defeated the dragon?

10. Why did the villagers cheer for Alexios at the end of the story?



Answer Key

Multiple choice Questions

1. b) Alexios
2. c) A mighty warrior
3. a) A fierce dragon
4. a) A wooden sword and shield
5. d) He struck the dragon's tail with his sword
6. b) A water bottle
7. c) The dragon howled in pain and flew away
8. a) They cheered for Alexios
9. c) Even the smallest hero can make a big difference
10. c) He knew he would become a true warrior one day

Short Answer Questions

1. Alexios bravely faced the dragon to protect his village.
2. The dragon roared and blew fire when Alexios charged at it.
3. Alexios avoided the dragon's fire with his speed and quick movements.
4. Alexios used his water bottle to splash water on the dragon and put out the flames.
5. After the flames were put out, the dragon whimpered and flew away.
6. Alexios continued to train and prepare to become a true warrior.
7. Alexios' sword helped him by allowing him to strike the dragon's tail.
8. Alexios shouted with courage when he charged at the dragon
9. Alexios felt proud and accomplished when he defeated the dragon.
10. The villagers cheered for Alexios because he had successfully faced and defeated the dragon, saving the village.



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