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The Dog and the Oyster

Worksheet · Grades 2–4



Comprehension Questions

1. What did the dog mistake the oyster for?
2. How did the dog feel after eating the oyster?
3. What lesson did the dog learn from his experience?
4. Why is it important to think before acting, according to the story?
5. Can you relate the dog's experience to a situation in your own life? Describe briefly.

Vocabulary Exercise

Match the words to their correct meanings by writing the letter in the space provided.

Word	Meaning	Answer
1. Folly	A. A type of shellfish	
2. Relish	B. A lack of good sense or foolishness	
3. Torment	C. To enjoy something greatly	
4. Oyster	D. Severe physical or mental suffering	

Writing/Reflection Task

Reflect on the moral of the story. Why do you think it is important to think carefully before making decisions? Write your thoughts below.