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The Fir Tree and the Bramble



Worksheet · Grades 2–4

Comprehension Questions

1. What does the Fir Tree boast about?

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2. How does the Bramble respond to the Fir Tree's boast?

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3. What moral lesson can be learned from the interaction between the Fir Tree and the Bramble?

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4. Why does the Bramble suggest that the Fir Tree might want to be a Bramble instead?

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5. What do you think the story teaches about wealth and contentment?

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Vocabulary Matching Exercise

Match the words in Column A with their meanings in Column B.

Column A	Column B
1. Boasting	A. To be in a state of poverty
2. Useful	B. To talk with pride about oneself
3. Poverty	C. Able to serve a purpose

4. Riches	D. Wealth or valuable possessions
5. Care	E. Concern or attention towards something

Writing/Reflection Task

Reflect on the story and answer the following questions:

1. How do you feel about the Fir Tree's attitude towards the Bramble?

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2. Do you agree with the moral of the story? Why or why not?

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3. Can you think of a time when you valued something simple over something that seemed more valuable? Share your thoughts.

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Feel free to share your answers with a friend or family member!