



## Grade 1 Reading Comprehension Worksheet

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*Read the short story. Then answer each question.*

# Mule's Thoughts

Leroy F. Jackson

A silly little mule

Sat on a milking stool

And tried to write a letter to his father.

But he couldn't find the ink,

So he said: "I rather think

This writing letters home is too much bother."





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### **Questions:**

1. Where did the mule sit?

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2. What was he trying to write?

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3. What couldn't he find?

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4. What did he think about writing letters home?

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**Answers:**

1. Where did the mule sit?

The mule sat on a milking stool.

2. What was he trying to write?

He was trying to write a letter to his father.

3. What couldn't he find?

He could not find ink to write with.

4. What did he think about writing letters home?

He thinks that writing letters home is too much  
bother.