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Answers

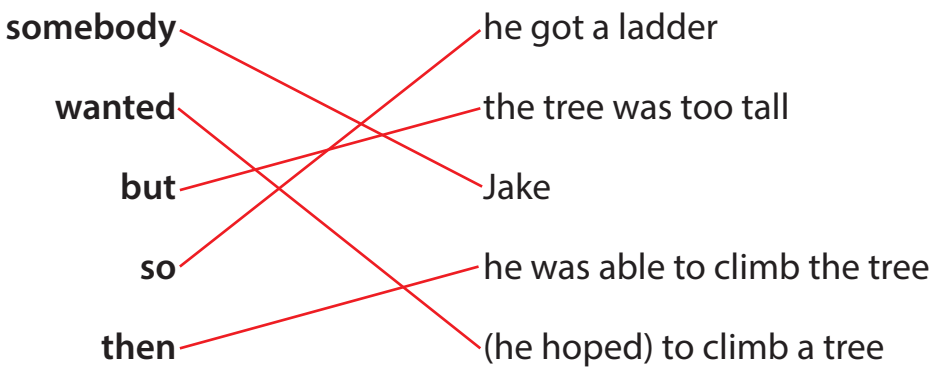
Summarizing with Key Words

A **summary** is a short description of what a story is about. To write a good fiction summary, use keywords to write about the story elements and sequence of events.

Directions: Draw a picture or symbol to help you remember each of the key words below.

somebody	wanted	but	so	then
the main character	the main character's goal	the problem	the solution	the end of the story

Directions: Draw a line to match each key word to the correct part of the story.
Then, fill in the sentence frames below.



1. Jake (somebody) wanted to climb a tree.
2. But, the tree was too tall.
3. So, he got a ladder.
4. Then, he was able to climb the tree.

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