## **Bookmark Book Review**

Ask your child to read this story. Then tell them to draw what happened in the beginning of the story, the middle and the end in the bookmark book review.

## The Perfect Pet



Tess really wanted a pet, but her parents always said no.

On Monday, Tess asked her mom for an elephant. Her mom said, "No, our house isn't big enough."

On Tuesday, Tess asked her dad for a leopard. Her dad said, "No, they're dangerous!"

On Wednesday, Tess asked them both for a horse. Her parents said, "Heavens, no! Think of the mess!"

On Thursday Tess said, "If I earn the money to buy my own pet, then can I have one?" Her parents thought and thought, and finally said, "Okay, Tess, if you can pay for a pet yourself, then

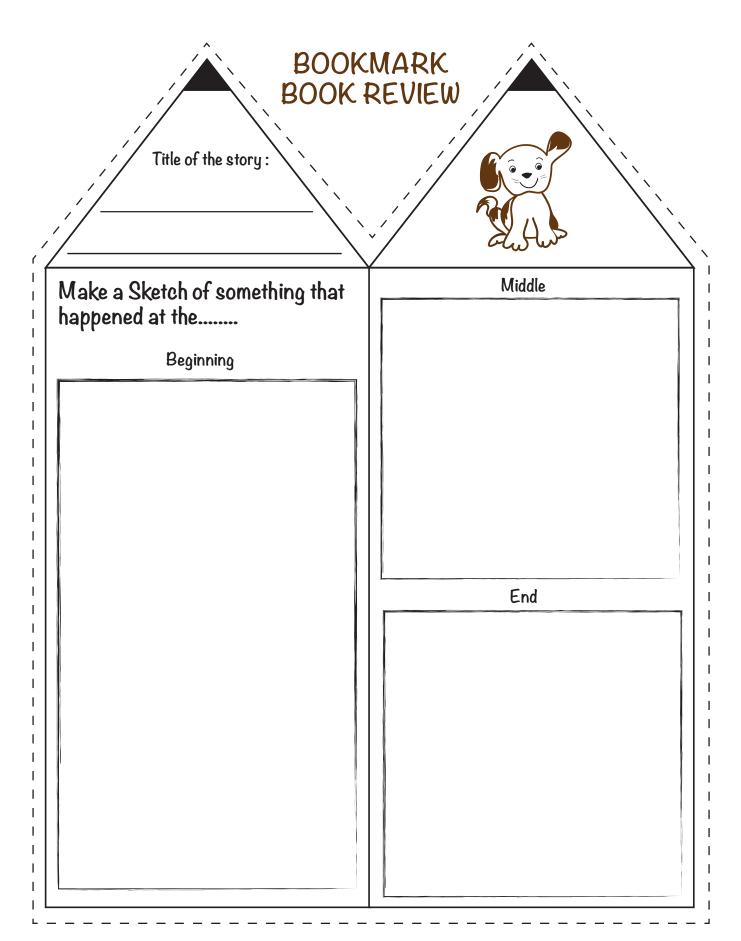
we will take you to the pet store this weekend."

On Friday, Tess opened up her very own lemonade stand at the end of her driveway. She sold lemonade all day long! After dinner that evening, Tess counted all of the money she had earned. It was enough to buy a pet!

On Saturday, Tess went to the pet store with her parents. There were no elephants. There were no leopards. There were no horses. Tess was very sad.

Just as she was about to leave the pet store, a little puppy trotted over and licked Tess on the hand. She knew that she had to have it! A puppy was the perfect pet! Tess looked at her parents and said, "Mom, Dad, can I have this puppy?"

"Well, why don't you count your money?" they said. "Do you think you have enough?"Tess counted her earnings from the lemonade sale, and she had just enough money to buy her puppy! She went home happy, excited to finally have the perfect pet.



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