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Amelia Bedelia's First Valentine

Directions: Read or listen to the following questions. Circle the best answer.

1) What did the main character see everywhere?

cupid clouds cupcakes hearts

2) What was Amelia's mom playing with her friends?

soccer cards video games tennis

3) Where was Amelia's mom playing the game?

backyard kitchen table living room park

4) Who is Amelia's teacher?

Miss Edwards Miss Campbell Mr. Anderson Mr. Green

5) What holiday was this story about?

President's Day Thanksgiving Valentine's Day Earth Day

6) Where did Amelia forget the Valentine's cards?

bus school friend's house living room

7) What kind of dessert did the class have at the school party?

pizza cheeseburgers cake sandwiches

8) Who missed school because he was sick?

Jason Richard Jeremy Eric

9) Who gave Amelia's mother flowers for a special holiday?

Amelia's dad Amelia's grandmother Amelia her sister

10) What did Amelia receive as a present?


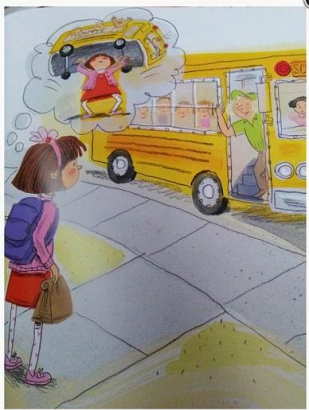
bracelet candy new dress chocolate

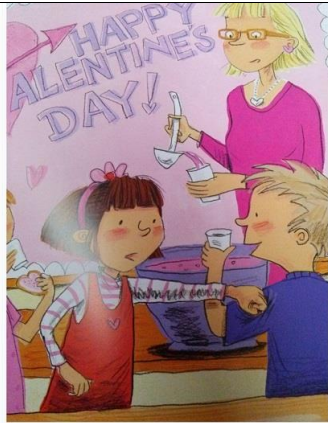
BONUS: What did Amelia's dad receive for Valentine's Day?

card box of chocolate football watch

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Idiom word(s) in the Book	Amelia's Literal Thought	What it Really Means
<p>Amelia Bedelia saw hearts everywhere. She spied them in the sky, spotted them at the park, and even found them on her french fries.</p>  <p><small>Amelia Bedelia saw hearts everywhere. She spied them in the sky, spotted them at the park, and even found them on her french fries.</small></p>	<p>I see heart shapes all over the park.</p>	
<p>"You're holding us up."</p>  <p><small>"You're holding us up!" "That's impossible," Amelia Bedelia said. "I'm not strong enough!"</small></p>	<p>"That's impossible," I'm not strong enough!"</p>	
<p>"Can I have a little punch?"</p>	<p>She gave him a little fist punch to his arm.</p>	



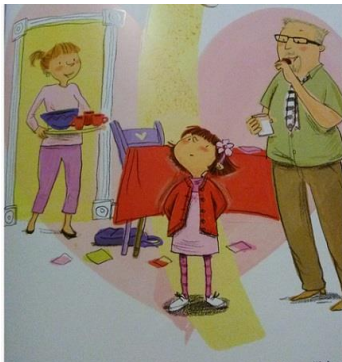
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your heart on your
sleeve



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Hi Heartbreaker!

I'm Nuts 4 U!

Amelia looked at
both sleeves. She
saw stripes, but not
hearts.

Amelia looked up
and saw lights on the
ceiling

The heart is ripped.

You're 2 COOL!



The squirrel needs food to eat.

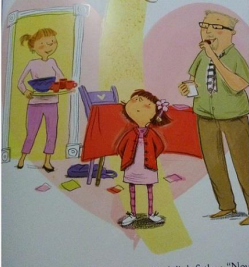
The card feels cold.

“Bull’s-eye!” yelled a boy,



She is a bull and her red heart shaped box is an eye.

Match the illustration to the idiom meaning.



Amelia Bedelia's father. "Now, what should I get for Mom—candy? Flowers? Jewelry?" "Yes!" said Amelia Bedelia's mother. "I'd like all of the above." Amelia Bedelia looked up. All she saw as the light on the ceiling. Why would her mother want that for Valentine's Day?

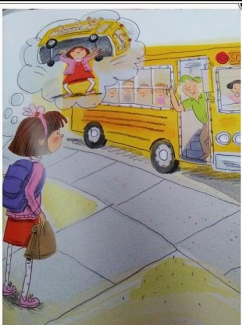
a drink of punch

her teacher sees her emotions in her body language

imagining heart shapes among things

all of the possible gifts in dad's list

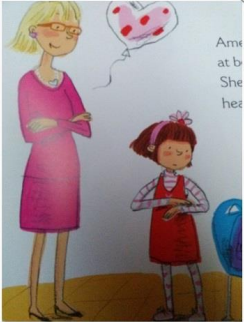
not allowing the bus to move to school



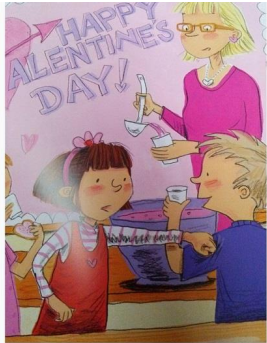
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