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Author _____

Title _____

Humor

1. Unusual situations, nonsense, exaggeration, and surprise are often used as forms of humor. How does the author use these forms in your book? Explain your thinking.
2. Tell which part of the book was the funniest in 3 sentences or less.
3. Sometimes humor crosses the line where it ceases to be funny and is cruel. Does this occur in your book? Create a set of rules to follow so that the "line" is not crossed.
4. In your opinion, what are the qualities that make people funny or unfunny when telling a joke or story?
5. Collect 2 cartoons, 2 jokes, and a short, funny story to school to share. Be prepared to explain why they are funny.
6. Did you like this book? Why or why not? Share 2 parts of the story that you thought were or were not funny to help show your opinion.