

*Waltur Paints Himself into a Corner*

Think about what happens in this story. One of the three paragraphs below best tells what the story shows. Circle that paragraph.

Waltur paints his floor. He paints all four corners. Then he paints a big circle and stands in it. His friends all clap. Matilda likes the circle. She and Waltur eat fish.

Darwin watches Waltur paint the floor. Darwin and the other animals cheer each time Waltur finishes a corner. At last Waltur is done. He goes outside to play with Darwin and everybody else. After the paint is dry, everybody helps Waltur move the furniture back into his house.

Waltur paints his floor. He paints all four corners. He does not trap himself into a corner. But he traps himself into the middle of the room. Waltur has to wait in the center of his floor until all the paint dries.