## **Doctor Berries**

Story By: Andrew Frinkle

Danny went for a walk.

He was walking with his dad.

He saw some purple berries.

They were growing on a bush.

He picked some.

He wanted to eat them.

He was hungry.

Dad said, "No! Do not eat them."



"Why?" Danny asked.

"Those are *Doctor Berries*." Dad said.

Danny did not know Doctor Berries. "What are those?"

"If you eat them, you will go to the doctor." Dad said.

Dad laughed.

Danny laughed too.

'Doctor Berries' was a silly name.

But, it was a very serious thing!

Danny could eat strawberries.

He could eat blackberries.

He could eat blueberries.

But, not all berries were good to eat.

Danny learned he should not eat berries he found.

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  - B. walking
  - C. farming
  - D. eating
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  - A. Yes
  - B. No
- 3. Who goes for a walk with Danny?
  - A. dad
  - B. mom
  - C. friend
  - D. dog
- 4. What color are the berries Danny finds?
  - A. purple
  - B. black
  - C. green
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