

Five Little Elephants

Story By: Andrew Frinkle



Five little elephants sat in a field.

Five little elephants wondered what to do.

Five little elephants began to get thirsty.

The first got up and went down to the watering hole.



Four little elephants sat in a field.

Four little elephants wondered what to do.

Four little elephants began to get tired.

The second got up and went to take a nap in the weeds.



Three little elephants sat in a field.

Three little elephants wondered what to do.

Three little elephants began to get hot and sweaty.

The third got up and went to the river for a bath.



Two little elephants sat in a field.

Two little elephants wondered what to do.

Two little elephants began to get hungry.

The fourth got up and went to find food by the trees.



One little elephant sat in a field.

One little elephant wondered what to do.

One little elephants began to get lonely.

The last got up and went to find the others!

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 - C. Four
 - D. Five

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