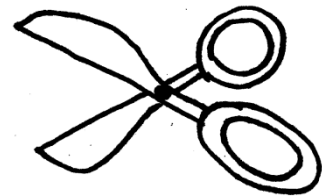


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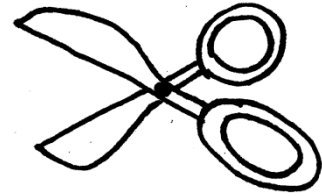
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Ross was going to be a pageboy at his big sister Kerry's wedding.

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"Those stupid trousers are too long!" Ross shouted.

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Kerry.

4. When Ross got out of bed in the night, what did he think was a monster?

He thought Tiddles was a monster.

5. Who was the third person to cut the trousers?

Ross.

6. Why did Mum scream?

Mum had just found the very short trousers.

7. Why did Ross say to Lee, "Thanks for being so rude to me"?

Lee said that Ross's legs looked (stupid, white, skinny, like two white sticks, scabby knees and would make people sick) horrible in the red velvet shorts. So, Ross went to the wedding in a pair of his own trousers.

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She borrowed the story from her dad. He would tell this story to his class when he was a teacher.