

Everett Anderson's Friend

◆ Fill in the bubble next to the right answer.

Skills and Strategies

- At first, Everett Anderson _____.
 (a) liked Maria (b) did not like Maria
 (c) surprised Maria (d) teased Maria
- Everett Anderson got to know Maria when _____.
 (a) she telephoned him (b) she told him a joke
 (c) he forgot his key (d) he asked her to play
- At the end, Everett Anderson thought Maria was _____.
 (a) strange (b) quiet
 (c) fun (d) loud
- Everett Anderson found that _____.
 (a) he liked Maria (b) Maria had a brother
 (c) he did not like Maria (d) Maria was mean
- The story was about a boy _____.
 (a) playing with his friends
 (b) eating with his family
 (c) working at school
 (d) finding a new friend

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Vocabulary

6. Maria was from a **family** of girls.
People in a **family** are _____.
- (a) not a bit of fun
 - (b) all boys
 - (c) friends from school
 - (d) related to each other
7. Everett Anderson sometimes had **company**.
They were _____.
- (a) uncles and aunts
 - (b) visitors
 - (c) people he did not know
 - (d) his mother and father
8. Maria moved into the next door **apartment**.
An **apartment** is _____.
- (a) rooms people live in
 - (b) a schoolhouse
 - (c) far away
 - (d) a place to shop
9. Everett Anderson was **surprised** that he liked Maria. He _____.
- (a) did not plan to like her
 - (b) did not like her
 - (c) did not like her family
 - (d) did not like her friends
10. Everett Anderson **can't** wait to see who has come to stay. **Can't** means _____.
- (a) could not
 - (b) is not
 - (c) cannot
 - (d) it is