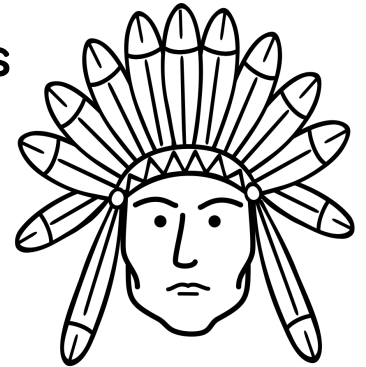


# The Chief's Niece

The chief's niece was so sad. She was filled with grief because a thief had taken her baskets. All the thief had left was a piece of food in place of the baskets. She told the chief what happened. "Do not be filled with grief, my niece. I will collect more twigs and grass from the field so you can make more baskets." "Thank you," said the niece.



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① What is the meaning of the word *grief*?

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② What did the thief leave behind?

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③ What was the solution to the story?

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