

- Read the diary entry. Then circle the letter of the best answer to each question.

Dear Diary,

Today my kitten, *Gatito*, jumped out of my arms and chased a mouse into the street. My cousin, Juan, was riding his bicycle down the street. He was heading straight for *Gatito*. "John! Stop!" I yelled. Juan did not stop, because he did not understand English. Then I yelled, "¡Juan! ¡Pare!" Just in time, Juan turned his bike to the right. "Rosa, at first I didn't know you were talking to me," Juan said to me in Spanish. I am lucky that I speak Spanish and English.

Rosa



- 1 Where does the story take place?

A at the store
B in a garden
C in the forest
D on a street



Tip

What words help you tell where the action happens?

- 2 Who is the main character in the story?

F Rosa
G *Gatito*
H Juan
J the bicycle



Tip

Remember that the main character is usually the one who has a problem to solve.

- 3 Why does Juan keep riding, even after Rosa shouts out to him?

A She speaks English, but *Gatito* understands only Spanish.
B Rosa speaks to Juan in English, and Juan understands only Spanish.
C She speaks Spanish, but Juan speaks English.
D *Gatito* speaks Spanish, and Juan speaks Spanish.



Tip

Think about what happens in the story. How are Spanish words used to solve Rosa's problem?

