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Max, Pop, and Grams sat on the couch. "Let's put on a puppet show," Max suggested.

Pop's nose wrinkled up like a slinky. "A puppet show? But we don't have any puppets!"



Max glanced around the room. He grabbed a sock out of Grams' clean laundry basket. "We could use one of these!" he said.

"A sock?" Pop asked. "What else?"

"We need to make eyes," Max explained.

Grams opened her sewing box and pulled out two buttons. "Will these do?" she asked.

"Yes!" said Max. They sewed the buttons onto the sock.

"What now?" Pop asked.

"We need to make hair," Max said.

Pop snapped his fingers. "I have just the thing!" He dug in his tackle box and came out with a wiggly lure. They pinned the lure above the eyes.

"What next?" Grams asked.

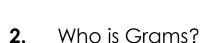
Max pulled the sock onto his hand. He opened and closed his fingers. "Hello," he said. "I'm Mr. Sock!" Pop and Grams laughed.

Max, Pop, and Grams made two more sock puppets, and together they put on a puppet show.

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- a. a family putting on a puppet show
- **b.** a family making puppets
- c. a family making socks
- **d.** a family who gives sock puppets away



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**b.** Max's mom

c. Max's dad

- d. Max's grandma
- 3. Whose idea was it to have a puppet show?
- Tell what each part of the puppet was made of. 4.

Puppet's Body	Puppet's Eyes	Puppet's Hair

- 5. How many puppets did Max, Pop, and Grams make?
  - a. one

**b.** two

c. three

**d.** none



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Draw lines to match the words from the story with their meanings.



1. couch ●

fishing lures

2. glanced ●

cloth worn on your foot

**3.** sock ●

sofa

4. tackle ●

took

5. grabbed ●

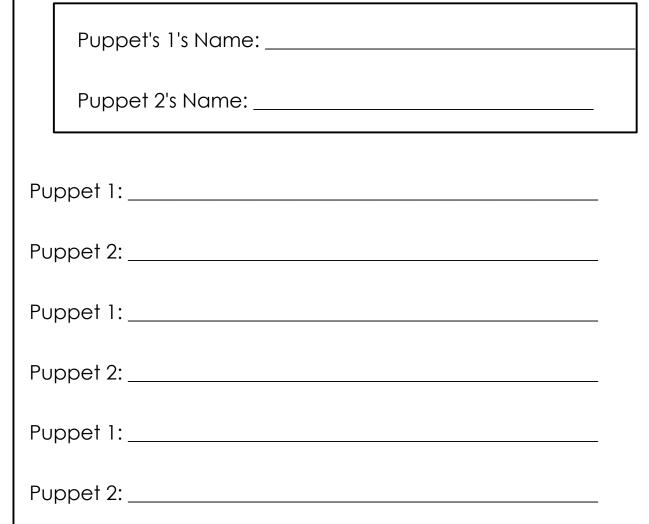
round, plastic parts on a shirt or jacket

5. buttons •

looked fast

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Puppet 2: \_\_\_\_\_

Puppet 1: \_\_\_\_\_

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Puppet 2: \_\_\_\_\_

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