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Quick Questions 1. Where did the Little Red Hen find the wheat grains?



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Accept any inference relating to the text, e.g. She felt disappointed because she thought her good friends would help her when she needed them.



4. What do you think happened next? Accept any sensible prediction linked to the text, e.g. I think the little red hen will need help getting the sacks to the miller but her friends will be too lazy to help again.



