

8th Grade Inference
Prentice Hall

"The Turtle" by Jim Bishop

Possible Inference Questions

1. Based on the information in the story, what inference can the reader make about Dennis's comment "Let's kill him!"?
2. Based on the information in the story, what inference can the reader make about the relationship between Dennis and his father?
3. What is most likely the reason that Dennis wanted to kill the turtle at the end of the story? Provide **two** details from the story in your answer.
4. Based on the information in the story, what inference can you make about parent-child relationships?
5. What will Dennis's father do now that the turtle is actually alive? Support your prediction with information from the story.
6. Explain how having his father comfort him was important to Dennis. Support your answer with **two** details from the story.