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## Episode 1: Problem Solving

Tippy and Chip were squirrels and the absolute best of friends. They went to a school called \_\_\_\_\_ and had lots of fun. Their  
(insert fun name for a squirrel school)  
favorite class was \_\_\_\_\_ and their favorite teacher was Mrs.  
(insert class name)  
\_\_\_\_\_. They loved her because she always gave out the coolest stickers.  
(insert funny name).  
One time, Chip got a \_\_\_\_\_ sticker and it was his favorite sticker  
(insert fairytale creature)  
in the entire world. The only problem with school was that Tippy and Chip had a classmate named Steve, who didn't seem to like them. Whenever they talked to him, he would always ignore Tippy and Chip. This hurt Tippy and Chip's feelings a lot. They didn't do anything bad to Steve and didn't understand why he didn't like them. One day, Tippy and Chip decided to investigate. They went up to Steve and asked him to hang out with them. "Hey!" exclaimed Chip. "Do you want to go to the \_\_\_\_\_ and spend the day with us?" asked Tippy.  
(insert name of a place to hang out)  
Steve just shook his head and walked away. "Well that didn't go as planned!" said Tippy. "Maybe we should get Steve a present. Maybe then he'll want to spend time with us." Chip announced. Tippy agreed with this, so both squirrels went to the





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store after school was over. As they walked through the doors of

\_\_\_\_\_ they tried to figure out what they should get  
(insert store where you can get cool presents)

for Steve. "Maybe a race car!" Tippy said. "No, I think a \_\_\_\_\_ would  
(insert toy name)

be much better!" replied Chip. So they decided to get Steve that instead. They

walked down the aisles, and when they looked up, they saw an entire wall filled with

\_\_\_\_\_. Both squirrels turned to each other and nodded very  
(insert your favorite candy)

quickly. They grabbed three of them along with Steve's gift, and made their way

home for the night. Chip took the present home and his mom wrapped it in a pretty

\_\_\_\_\_ wrapping paper with \_\_\_\_\_  
(insert your favorite color) (insert your favorite shape)

shapes all over it. The next day, Tippy and Chip stood together while they waited in

the classroom for Steve. When Steve walked in, the boys called him over to them.

Steve rolled his eyes and made his way over to Tippy and Chip. "We know that you

didn't want to spend time with us, but we got you something anyways," announced

Chip. He held out the gift and the candy bar to Steve. Steve opened it and surprise

filled his face. "You guys got me such a nice gift! How did you know this was my

favorite candy? I thought you didn't like me." Chip and Tippy looked at each and





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shook their heads. "We thought you didn't like us!" cried Tippy. All three boys looked at each other and laughed. "Why don't we go to the \_\_\_\_\_  
(insert your favorite place to hang out) \_\_\_\_\_ and hang out?" said Steve. Chip and Tippy nodded and chimed in, "We could even go get some \_\_\_\_\_-from \_\_\_\_\_  
(insert your favorite food) (insert your favorite restaurant) \_\_\_\_\_." Steve nodded and all of the boys were excited for their afterschool plans. They ended up having an amazing time and were the greatest of friends from that moment on.

