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Read the following short story carefully and answer the questions that follow.

In the heart of the bustling city, stood the renowned Crystal Gallery, a grand museum known for its exquisite collection of artwork. One day, a valuable painting mysteriously disappeared from the gallery, leaving the curator, Mr. Thompson, perplexed. He called upon a young detective named Emma to unravel the mystery. Emma arrived at the Crystal Gallery, ready to take on the challenge. She examined the room where the painting had been displayed, looking for any clues left behind. She noticed a faint scent of lavender and footprints near the wall. Determined, Emma followed the footprints, which led her to a hidden door behind a bookshelf. As she cautiously opened the door, Emma found herself in a dimly lit underground chamber filled with antique artifacts. She realized that the thief had used this secret passage to escape with the stolen painting. Undeterred, Emma proceeded to investigate further. Her first discovery was a torn piece of paper with a partial address written on it. Emma recognized the street name but knew she needed more information. She combed through old records at the city archives, searching for clues that could lead her to the thief's hideout.

After hours of research, Emma found a connection between the stolen painting and a notorious art collector, Mr. Wellington. She suspected him of orchestrating the theft to add the painting to his private collection. Determined to catch him, Emma devised a plan. Posing as an art restorer, Emma secured an invitation to Mr. Wellington's mansion. Once there, she discreetly searched for any evidence linking him to the stolen painting. In a locked study, she found a hidden safe behind a painting. With her skills as a detective,.



Reading comprehension

Emma managed to crack the safe's code and discovered a collecti of stolen artworks, including the missing painting from the Crysta Gallery. Emma quickly informed the authorities, and Mr. Wellington was apprehended. The stolen artworks were returned to their rightful place, and the Crystal Gallery celebrated Emma's detective skills. 1. What was the main problem that Emma was asked to solve? 2. Describe the clues Emma found at the Crystal Gallery. 3. Where did the footprints lead Emma, and what did she find	
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4. What information did Emma find on the torn piece of paper?	
5. How did Emma connect Mr. Wellington to the stolen painting?	?
6. Where did Emma find the hidden safe, and what did she discoinside?	over
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