

The Making of Milton

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1. What is the name of the boy in the story?



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2. What did Milton enjoy doing before he felt scared?



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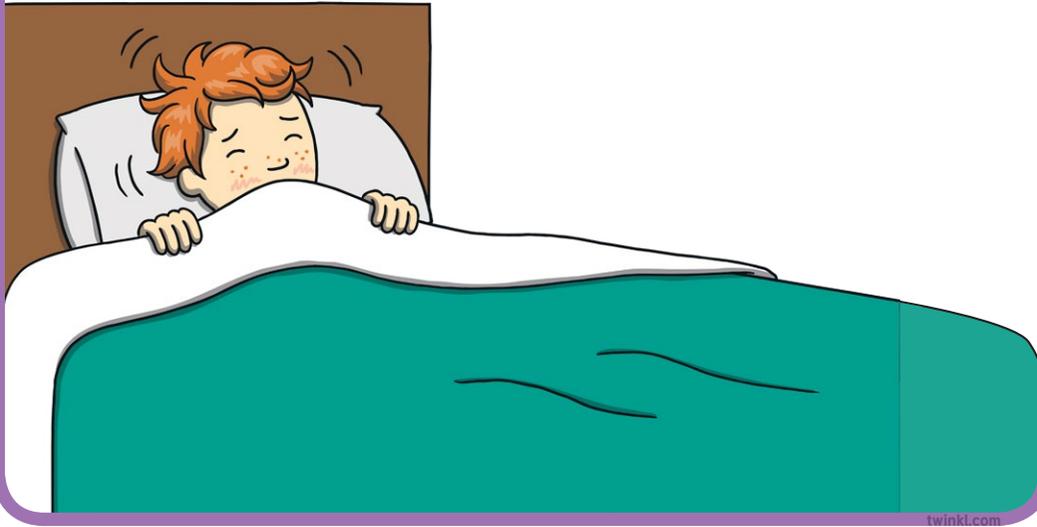


3. What did the old man give to Milton?

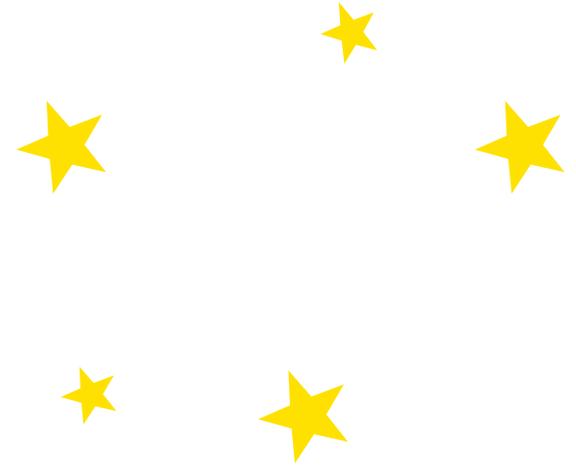




4. Why did Milton not like sleeping in the dark?



5. Can you describe what the old man looked like?



6. What did the label say on the jar that the old man gave to Milton?



7. What did Milton enjoy doing again after he was given the jar of courage?



8. Why was Milton shocked when he looked into his backpack?



9. Was there actual 'courage' in the jar?
Can you explain your answer?



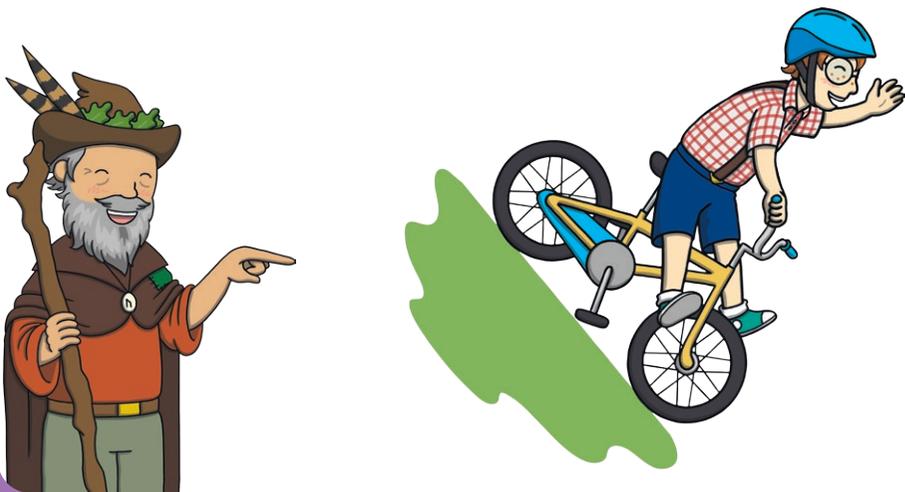
10. What lesson did the old man teach Milton?



11. How did Milton feel at the end of the story?



12. Can you explain a time when you had to be brave and courageous?



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Making of Milton Talk Cards Answers

1. Milton
2. Answers may include climbing trees, riding his bike, swinging on a rope and football.
3. The old man gave Milton a jar of courage.
4. Milton imagined that he saw monsters in the dark.
5. He had a long, grey beard. He wore a cloak with patches and a hat.
6. The label on the jar said 'courage.'
7. Answers may include playing with Old Jack, the neighbour's dog, riding his bike and playing football with his friends.
8. The jar had disappeared.
9. No, the courage was inside Milton, not in the jar.
10. The old man taught Milton that the courage was inside of him, he had it all along.
11. He felt happy and courageous.
12. Various answers.