



Crow and pitcher

Read the story and answer the questions

A thirsty crow found a pitcher with a little water in it. But the water level was so low that the crow could not reach it. He first tried to break the pot and then to overturn it, but it was both too strong and heavy for him. At last he decided to drop many little pebbles into the water and this raised the water until he could reach it.

Moral from the story

Nothing is impossible. We must always try to overcome difficulties in order to achieve something that is good for us.

Vocabulary

pitcher – Krug pebble – kleiner Stein to raise – hochheben
to achieve – erreichen

Choose the correct answer

1. The crow wanted ...

- something to eat
- something to drink
- somewhere to sleep

2. The crow couldn't break the pitcher

- because it was full of water
- because it was full of pebbles
- because it wasn't light enough

3. The crow ...

- didn't give up
- broke the pitcher
- overturned the pitcher