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Sarah, Samuel, and Stacy Sanderson were triplets. Sarah was tall and slim with red hair, a long nose, and piercing blue eyes. Samuel was the same height as Sarah, with black hair, a small nose, and wide green eyes. He was often described as scrawny, which he resented. Stacy was taller than both of her siblings, with a slender frame, long black hair, and blue eyes. Strangers were always surprised to hear that they were all the same age.

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What physical trait did all three triplets have in common?

They had the same eye color.

They were all the same height.

They were all thin.

They were the same age.



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Shawna stood at the top of the waterslide with Carlos and Vivian. Her stomach twisted as she looked down at the long drop into the pool below. *What if someone just slipped right off the edge of the slide?* she thought. Carlos stood casually beside her, snapping his gum and resting his arms on top of the wooden platform. "Wow, feel how fast the water is moving!" Vivian squealed, running her hands through the flowing liquid at the mouth of the slide. "Who's first? That person should take a video of the others coming down!" Shawna shook her head frantically and backed away.

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Which statement best matches how each character is feeling?

Shawna is scared,
Carlos is relaxed,
Vivian is excited.

Shawna is annoyed,
Carlos is bored,
Vivian is enthusiastic.

Shawna is upset,
Carlos is neutral,
Vivian is nervous.

Shawna is afraid,
Carlos is distracted,
Vivian is hyper.

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"Ouch!" I cried out as a sharp rock pierced my foot through my thin sandal. I sighed impatiently at this further delay to our plans. I wanted to get to the beach as early as possible, and I'd already had to wait for my sister to get dressed. I quickly washed the shallow cut with soap and warm water and applied a bandage. "Hurry up, Franny!" I yelled up the stairs. There was no response, so I decided to wait for her outside. As soon as I stepped onto the porch, a shard of glass sliced my heel. "Ahhh!" I screamed. Tears streamed down my face as I examined the small gash. Why me? I winced as I pulled out the shard and hobbled painfully to the sink.

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What is the main difference between the two injuries?

The narrator's
reaction

The level of
severity

The type of
injury

The part of the
narrator's body
that was injured