

# Making Friends

Arlo is lonely. His family moved to a new city, and he doesn't know anyone. He misses his old friends. His parents are too busy to play. Arlo goes outside. Playing alone is no fun. Arlo is sad. "Can I play?" a girl asks. The girl is smiling. Her name is Nina. She is Arlo's neighbor. Arlo tosses her the ball. Then they play tag. Nina invites Arlo to her birthday party. Arlo meets many new friends at the party.

## Comprehension Questions

### 1. Why does Arlo feel lonely?

He wants a puppy.

It is his birthday.

His family has moved to a new city.

### 2. How does Arlo feel playing alone outside?

mad

sad

happy

### 3. How does Nina help Arlo make new friends?

She plays ball with him.

She plays tag with him.

She invites him to her birthday party.

