

Name \_\_\_\_\_



## Rainy Day Summary

**Directions:** Read the paragraph silently once to understand the main idea. Read the paragraph aloud the first time, focusing on accuracy. Write a **one-sentence summary** of the paragraph in your own words. Re-read the paragraph aloud, this time aiming for smoother pacing, stronger phrasing, and better expression by keeping your summary in mind.

The rain poured heavily as Mia and her father ran from the car to the grocery store entrance, holding their jackets above their heads like makeshift umbrellas. They laughed as water splashed around their shoes, even though their clothes were already soaked through. Inside, they shook off the rain and grabbed a cart, ready to quickly collect the items they needed for dinner. Mia helped her father pick out pasta, vegetables, and bread, while he reminded her to choose a piece of fruit for dessert. The storm outside rumbled loudly, but the warm lights of the store made them feel safe and cozy as they shopped together.

Write a **one-sentence summary** of the paragraph:

---

1. Who was with Mia in the paragraph?

---

2. What kind of weather did they face?

---

3. What items did they pick up for dinner?

---

4. How did the store feel compared to the storm outside?

---