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## Str- Blend Story

**Directions**: Read the paragraph. Highlight every **str**- blend you find. Then answer the questions.

Lena went outside to explore a small street near her house. She saw a stray kitten sitting by a strong tree. A narrow stream ran along the edge of the path, and Lena used a long string to pull a leaf out of the water. She heard a friend call from up the block, so Lena began to stride toward the sound with a big smile.

l.	What animal did Lena see near the tree?
2.	What did Lena use the string for?
3.	Where was Lena walking at the start of the paragraph?
Ч.	Who called out to Lena?
5.	What emotion did Lena show at the end of the paragraph?

