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Accept either of the following: red-nosed, young

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Accept any sensible inference relating to the text, e.g. It helped Santa to see through the fog to see where he was going.

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Accept any plausible prediction, e.g I think all the reindeer will want to play with Rudolph ad be his friend