



Duke Plays the Flute

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Words to know		
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Duke	tune	
June	tube	
cute	cube	
flute		

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Duke the June bug wanted a pet. He went to the pet store to take a look. There were lots of different pets to choose from.



There was a Red Rabbit with big front teeth. It hopped around the cage.

The cute little Catty Cakes had big ears and a pink tongue.



The Blue Wing birds flew in circles. They were so blue and so cute.

Hedgehog Dog looked like a lot of fun. But Duke worried about all those spikes.



How could Duke choose? All the pets were so cute.

Duke liked to play the flute. He would play the flute and see which pet liked his tune.



Duke played the flute. Most of the pets had a sleep and a snooze.

But not the Icy Mice! They ran up the tube. They jumped onto a cube. They danced to the tune.

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"Great dancing!" said Duke. "These Icy Mice will make perfect pets.
They are small and cute and dance to a tune from my flute."

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Focus Questions

Where does Duke go to find a pet?

Which pets were in the shop?

Who liked Duke's tune?

How will Duke choose the perfect pet?

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My perfect pet would be

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