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# *Drawing Conclusions* **1st Grade**

## **THE COWBOY**

*"Get back here, you varmint!" A moment later, Coco came scampering around the corner, sliding on the linoleum halfway across the kitchen floor before finding his footing. He paused for a moment to glance behind him with his tongue hanging out of grinning mouth.*



*Billy came galloping in on his stick horse, his oversized cowboy hat slipping down over his eyes, swinging his lasso in a circle above his head. With a delighted bark, Coco took off. Billy followed. "Yippie-eye-ae!" he shouted. Billy's mother watched them go. From somewhere near the front door, she heard Coco bark again.*

*There was the sound of Coco's nails on the hardwood floor, a soft thud as Coco ran into the wall, and a crash as Billy's rope missed Coco and knocked a lamp to the floor. Billy's mother shook her head and went back to the dishes*

**DIRECTIONS:** Make inferences from the text to answer the questions.

1. How does Billy's mother feel about Billy's game?

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2. Is Coco enjoying himself??

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3. Approximately how old is Billy?

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