The little gingerbread boy ran on and on. But suddenly he (*come*) _____ [67] to a

river. He (*be*) _____ [68] in deep trouble because he (*know/not*)

_____ [69] how to swim. And the little old man, the little old woman, the cow

and the horse (*run/still*) _____ [70] after him.

The fox (*say*) _____ [71] , »Jump on my tail and I (*take*) _____ [72]

you across the river.«

So the little gingerbread boy (*jump*) _____ [73] on the fox's tail. They

(*swim*) _____ [74] just a little distance when the fox

(*turn*) _____ [75] his head to the little gingerbread boy, »You

(*be*) _____ [76] too heavy for my tail. Please little gingerbread boy,

(*jump*) _____ [77] on my back.«

So the little gingerbread boy (*jump*) _____ [78] on the fox's back. In the

middle of the river, the fox (*ask*) _____ [79] the little gingerbread boy, »You

(*be*) _____ [80] too heavy. My back (*sink*) _____ [81] .

(*jump*) _____ [82] on my nose and you (*stay*) _____ [83] dry.«

So the little gingerbread boy (*jump*) _____ [84] on the fox's nose. But as

soon as they (*reach*) _____ [85] the other side of the river, the fox

(*throw*) _____ [86] back his head and (*eat*) _____ [87] the little

gingerbread boy.

- The End -

The

Gingerbread Man

Once upon a time there (*be*)_____ [1] a little old man and a little old woman, and they (*live*) _____ [2] all alone in a little old house. They (*feel*) _____ [3] quite lonely because they (*have*) _____ [4] no children. So one day, the little old woman (*make*) _____ [5] a little boy out of gingerbread. When the little old woman (*decorate*) _____ [6] her gingerbread boy, she (*put*) _____ [7] him in the oven. Some time later the little old woman (*open*) _____ [8] the oven door to (*take*) _____ [9] her little gingerbread boy out again. But he just (*jump*) _____ [10] out of the oven and (*run*) _____ [11] away.

The little old man and the little old woman (*run*) _____ [12] after him to (*catch*) _____ [13] their little gingerbread boy. But the gingerbread boy (*be*) _____ [14] faster than the little old man and the little old woman. He (*laugh*) _____ [15] and (*shout*) _____ [16] , »(*Run*) _____ [17] as fast as you (*can*) _____ [18] . You (*catch/not*) _____ [19] me. I (*be*) _____ [20] the gingerbread man.«

And they (*can/not*) _____ [21] catch him.

The little gingerbread boy (*run*) _____ [22] on and on and after a while he (*pass*) _____ [23] a cow. The cow (*say*) _____ [24] , »Hello, little gingerbread boy. You (*look*) _____ [25] delicious. Please stop, I (*want / eat*) _____ [26] you.«

But the gingerbread boy just (*laugh*) _____ [27] , »I (*run*) _____ [28] away from the little old man. And I (*run*) _____ [29] away from the little old woman. So just (*run*) _____ [30] as fast as you (*can*) _____ [31] . You (*catch/not*) _____ [32] me. I (*be*) _____ [33] the gingerbread man.«

And the cow (*can/not*) _____ [34] catch him.

The little gingerbread boy (*run*) _____ [35] on and on and after a while he (*come*) _____ [36] to a horse. The horse (*tell*) _____ [37] the gingerbread boy, »Please stop, you (*look*) _____ [38] very good to (*eat*) _____ [39] .«

But the gingerbread boy just (*laugh*) _____ [40] , »I (*run*) _____ [41] away from the little old man. I (*run*) _____ [42] away from the little old woman. I (*run*) _____ [43] away from the cow. And I (*run*) _____ [44] away from you! So just (*run*) _____ [45] as fast as you (*can*) _____ [46] . You (*catch/not*) _____ [47] me. I (*be*) _____ [48] the gingerbread man.«

And the horse (*can/not*) _____ [49] catch him.

After the gingerbread boy (*run*) _____ [50] for another while, he (*see*) _____ [51] a fox. The gingerbread boy (*cry*) _____ [52] , »I (*run*) _____ [53] away from the little old man. I (*run*) _____ [54] away from the little old woman. I (*run*) _____ [55] away from the cow. And I (*run*) _____ [56] away from the horse. So just (*run*) _____ [57] as fast as you (*can*) _____ [58] ! You (*catch/not*) _____ [59] me. I (*be*) _____ [60] the gingerbread man.«

But the fox (*reply*) _____ [61] , »I (*know*) _____ [62] I (*can/not/catch*) _____ [63] you. You (*be*) _____ [64] too fast for me. But even if I (*can*) _____ [65] catch you, I (*not/do*) _____ [66] it.«

Zeiten Aktiv gemischt

Lösungen:

1 were, was*	23 passed	46 can	67 came
2 lived	24 said	47 will not catch	68 was
3 felt	25 look	48 am	69 did not know
4 had	26 want to eat	49 could not,	70 were still
5 made	27 laughed	was not able to	running
6 had decorated**	28 have run***	50 had been running****	71 said
7 put	29 have run	51 saw	72 will take
8 opened	30 run	52 cried	73 jumped
9 take	31 can	53 have run	74 had swum **
10 jumped	32 will not catch	54 have run	75 turned
11 ran	33 am	55 have run	76 are
12 ran	34 could not	56 have run	77 jump
13 catch	35 ran	57 run	78 jumped
14 was	36 came	58 can	79 asked
15 laughed	37 told	59 will not catch	80 are
16 shouted	38 look	60 am	81is sinking
17 Run	39 eat	61 replied	82 jump
18 can	40 laughed	62 know	83 will stay
19 will not catch	41 have run	63 cannot catch	84 jumped
20 am	42 have run	64 are	85 reached
21 could not	43 have run	65 could, were able to	86 threw
22 ran	44 will runh	66 would not do	87 ate

Kurzformen:

am = 'm
are = 're
cannot = can't
could not = coudn't
did not = didn't
have = 've
was not = wasn't
will ='ll
will not = won't
would not = wouldn't

* grammatisch korrekt ist *were*. Da die Personen aber einzeln genannt werden
(a man and a woman), ist hier ausnahmsweise auch *was* korrekt. (Geht aber
meist nur in Märchen.)

** Vorvergangenheit (Handlung vor der eigentlichen Vergangenheit)

*** sie sind immer noch hinter ihm her

**** Aktion begann vor der Vergangenheit und dauert darüber hinaus an
(die Zeit wird betont)