

Name _____

11. January 12 – National Pharmacist Day



Thank You, Mr. Pharmacist

“Mommy, my throat hurts, and I feel hot,” said Jay.

“Oh, dear, I think you may have a fever,” said Mommy. She called the doctor and made an appointment for Jay.

The doctor discovered that Jay had a strep throat infection and prescribed an antibiotic medicine for him to take. Mommy and Jay went to the pharmacy to pick up the medicine. The pharmacist knew all about Jay’s antibiotic and told him exactly how to use it.

“Thank you, Mr. Pharmacist,” said Jay. “You’re very welcome,” said the pharmacist. “I hope you feel better real soon.” The pharmacist smiled and gave Jay’s hair a friendly tousle.

“He’s nice, isn’t he, Mommy? I think I’m starting to feel better already,” said Jay.



Fill in the circle for the best answer.

1. Jay told his mommy that his _____ was really hurting.
☐ head ☐ foot
☐ throat ☐ ear
2. Jay’s mommy thought he had a fever and called the _____.
☐ doctor ☐ mayor
☐ farmer ☐ teacher
3. What did the doctor discover in Jay’s throat?
☐ a lump ☐ a piece of food
☐ a toy ☐ an infection
4. Jay and his mommy had to go see the _____ to pick up his medicine.
☐ mailman ☐ pharmacist
☐ neighbor ☐ veterinarian
5. According to the story, what did Jay think about the pharmacist?
☐ He was nice. ☐ He was mean.
☐ He was scary. ☐ He was rude.