

# Cookie, the Shoe Chewing Dog

*Solving problems*

*“Come on girl. We have to get out of here.  
She’s going to give you to the pound!”*

*I jumped on my bike and rode fast to the creek  
that ran along the back of our property. Cookie ran with me.*

- a. Running away doesn’t solve your problems. Have you ever run away to escape a decision you didn’t like? What could you have done instead? Write about it.

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