

TEST: Slip, slap, slop**1. Who had the bucket and spade?**

- Bill
- Peggy
- Lily
- Pete

Peggy is the correct answer. We are told in the first paragraph that *Peggy was running towards the surf* and that she had a bucket and spade.

2. Who is the person telling this story?

- Pete
- Bill
- Ron
- Josh

Ron is the correct answer. The last paragraph tells us that the writer's little sister called him Ron.

3. Why did the storyteller's parents and grandparents keep calling him back?

- They wanted him to protect his skin from the sun.
- They did not want him to go to the beach.
- They wanted him to wait for them.
- They wanted to make sure he had everything he needed to go to the beach.

They wanted him to protect his skin from the sun is the correct answer. They called him back to slop on sunscreen, to slip on a shirt and to slap on a hat. This is to protect him from the sun. They did not make sure he had his towel or his board.