## Lesson 2 READ THIS STORY #2, Basic

## **Play**

Mother said, "Jane, go outside and play with your friends." Irene was next door.

Jane and Irene skipped rope. That was fun until Irene missed a step and tripped on the rope. "Go home," she said. "I don't want to play any more."

Pete said he would play. But he gave her a scare when he said, "Beware! I have a reptile in my pocket." Pete was tough.

Eve came to play. Eve is a bully and doesn't like to share. Eve gave Jane a push and pulled her hair.

Jane wants to play by herself.