

Questions linked to the text Elephant. Answer in full sentences and explain why.

- How do you think the boy felt when his grandad did not want to play with him?
- Why do you think 'ELEPHANT' and 'ME' are written in capital letters? How should you read these words?
- Write what Grandad is feeling when he sees that the flowerbed has been trampled? Look at the picture. Why do you think Grandad is smiling?
- Can you think of any words the author could have used to describe the elephant?
- Write what the boy might be thinking when his Grandma looks as if she doesn't believe him.
- Why do you think the boy wants to be on his own?
- Would you like to be friends with the elephant? Why? Why not?
- Do you think the elephant is real or imaginary? Try and use some examples from the story in your answer.
- How would the story change if, instead of an elephant, the boy was friends with a mouse?
- Did you like this story?