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   Dad made pancakes for six and forgot to clean.

3. Which revision of "Cara was excited" uses a sense to show it?

   Cara's heart thumped so hard she could hear it.

   Cara said she was the most excited kid in the whole class.

   Cara felt as happy as she had ever been.

   Cara could not wait for the fun to begin.

4. Which revision of "The soup was spicy" uses a sense to show it?

   Heat flared on Ravi's tongue, and his eyes watered.

   Ravi asked for three more glasses of water after he ate.

   The soup was so spicy it was hard to eat.

   Ravi's sister made the soup with red peppers.

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