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Date: _____



STORY STARTER

Choose one of the story starters to write a new adventure for Smudge.

Smudge found an old box labeled "Valentine Adventures" in the closet, covered in pink dust and glitter. The writing was old and the box smelled like cookies. Inside was a pair of heart-shaped glasses and a note that said, "Put these on when you're ready." Smudge hesitated, then slipped them on as the room began to shimmer...

On February 2, Smudge hurried to find out if the groundhog, Punxsutawney Phil, saw his shadow and predicted 6 more weeks of winter. When the groundhog finally appeared, he was wearing a tiny backpack. Smudge blinked twice, and Phil waved his paws at Smudge. "We have to hurry! Someone stole my shadow and now winter may never end..."

Challenge Time: What problem, challenge, or conflict will Smudge need to figure out? Describe the conflict!

Problem Solved: How do they solve the conflict or complete the challenge?

Tell Your Tale: Use the space below to write your new story for Smudge