

Intermediate Dialogues – “A Cookie”

Alyssa: Can you help me for a minute please?

Joey: Umm, well, umm.

Alyssa: Please!

Joey: Why *should* I?

Alyssa: I don't *know*!

Joey: Well, then, no, I can't.

Alyssa: Okay, okay. If you help me I will give you a cookie.

Joey: Make it two cookies and I will help you.

Alyssa: Okay fine! I will give you two cookies if you help me!

Joey: Hehe, okay. I will help you now.



Questions:

1) What does Joey want in exchange for his help?

- A. A cookie
- B. A hug
- C. Money
- D. Two cookies

2) What does Alyssa need help with?

- A. Her homework
- B. Hanging a poster
- C. Making dinner
- D. Not enough information to answer

Vocabulary:

1) Joey says, “Why *should* I?” So, Joey is asking...

- A. “Why would that be best for me?”
- B. “Why can I?”
- C. “How can I?”
- D. None of the above.

2) Alyssa doesn't *know* why Joey should help her. This means Alyssa...

- A. has no reasons why.
- B. forgot why.
- C. A and B
- D. None of the above.