

# The Big Exam



Jack felt that he was not ready to take the big exam. All year, he had paid attention in class and completed his homework on time but he was afraid that he would not be able to remember everything that he needed to know. On Monday morning, as he sat down in class to take the exam, he noticed that one of the smartest students in class was sitting close by. Her name was Sally and she always knew the right answers. He took a sideways glance at her desk and discovered that it was very easy to see her exam. Immediately, he heard a little voice telling him not to cheat. Jack's face flushed and he felt uncomfortable. He needed to pass this exam...

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## Vocabulary

paid attention  
completed  
noticed  
sideways glance  
discovered  
flushed

## Comprehension Check

1. What do you think Jack did?
2. What would you have done?
3. Does cheating on an exam hurt anyone?
4. What are other ways of cheating?
5. Do you think cheating is wrong?
6. Have you ever cheated before?

*"I would prefer to even fail with honor than to win by cheating." ~ Sophocles*