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The Big Catch

It is a great day for fishing. Matt and his dad are down at the pond with their bucket of bait and fishing poles. Today is the fishing contest. The biggest fish will win the prize. Matt and his dad walk down the dock. Matt wraps a worm around his hook and drops his line in the water. They wait for a fish, but no fish come. Matt and his dad begin to get worried. The contest is almost over and they still don't have a fish to enter.

Suddenly, Matt feels a tug on his line. He leaps to his feet. "Look," Matt yelled, "I see a fish on our line!". The fish jumps in and out of the water. Matt and his dad work hard to reel it in. "We did it!" they shouted excitedly. It is the biggest fish of the day. It weighs twenty pounds. Matt and his dad win the contest. The prize is new fishing poles. "Time to head home for our fish dinner," Matt said giving his dad a high-five.

