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ESL Kids World: The Magic Hat

Read the text. Answer the questions.

Once upon a time, there lived a boy and his mother. The boy and his mother were very poor. One day, the mother needed some food from the market, so she sent her son to get it. On the way, the boy saw an old man sitting on the pavement. The old man looked sad, so the boy gave him his money. In return, the old man gave the boy a hat.

When the boy returned home his mother asked where the food was. The boy told his mother what he did. His mother was very angry, so she sent the little boy to his room and threw his hat in the rubbish bin.

The next morning, the little boy went to find his hat. When he opened the rubbish bin lid he found that all the rubbish had turned into gold. The boy jumped for joy and told his mother what happened and they lived happily ever after.

1. Where did the boy go? _____
2. Who did the boy give money to? _____
3. What is the moral of the story? _____
4. What happened to the rubbish? _____

Write your own fairytale: _____

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