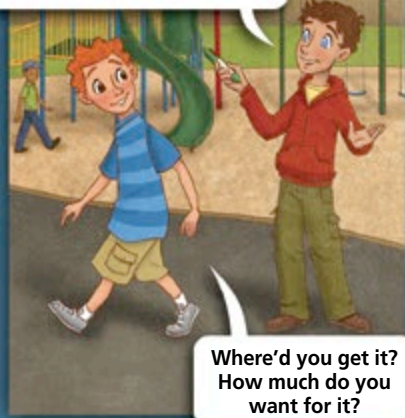


# MATT & MANDY



Hey, wanna buy a cool pen?  
It has four different colors.



Where'd you get it?  
How much do you  
want for it?

My dad gave it to me.  
You can have it  
for a dollar.



Dad *did* say I could spend  
part of my birthday  
money any way I wanted.



Later, at afternoon recess . . .

Do you know where  
he got that pen?



He saw some kid drop it  
and grabbed it before the  
kid turned around. He  
bragged about it to me.



I don't want anything that  
was stolen. Just give me  
my money back.



Too bad. I already  
spent the money on  
nachos for lunch.



What am I  
going to do  
with this?



. . . and it has four  
colors, and it was a  
birthday present . . .

Are you looking  
for this?



Maybe I lost a dollar,  
but I get to keep my  
self-respect.

