

DAY 1

Please read these instructions to ensure that all assignments are completed correctly.

Reading

"Sleepy Bear" By Lydia Lukidis

Read directions carefully. Read passage and answer questions.

Language

Adjectives

Read the directions carefully. Circle the adjective that describes the underlined noun.

Writing

Dinosaur in the Backyard

Read the directions carefully. Write a story answering the prompt with at least 8 sentences. Use the writing checklist to make sure your sentences are complete.

Spelling

OO words.

Complete the Sentence.

Read the directions carefully. Choose the best word for each sentence.

Name: _____

Sleepy Bear

by Lydia Lukidis

Shhh...don't wake up
Bear! He is sleeping.



In fact, he will sleep for many months. This is called "hibernation." Bear has dug his own den. A den is a bear's home. It looks like a dark hole or cave. Bear hibernates because there is not much food in winter. It is also very cold. While he sleeps, he will relax. He will conserve energy. That means he will save energy. His body temperature will go down. He will not eat. He will not wake up for a while. He won't even go to the bathroom. But don't worry! Bear will survive. He was smart and he ate a lot of food before falling asleep.

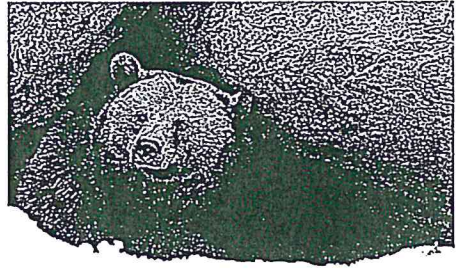
Bear will wake up in the spring. He will be well rested. He will also be very hungry! Luckily, there will be a lot of food to eat. Bear will snack on plants, berries, and insects. Sometimes he will eat fish too.

Bear is not the only animal that hibernates. Squirrels, skunks and raccoons are other examples.

Name: _____

Sleepy Bear

by Lydia Lukidis



1. Why does a bear hibernate?
 - a. He is bored.
 - b. He doesn't like snow on his paws.
 - c. He can't find food in the winter.
 - d. He is afraid of being buried in the snow.
2. What happens to the bear's body temperature when he hibernates?

3. When the bear wakes up in the spring, what will he eat?
(Circle four answers in the box.)

plants	deer	fish	insects
squirrels	berries	birds	worms

4. Name *three* other animals that hibernate according to the article.

Name: _____

Adjectives

An adjective is a word that describes a noun.

example: Mr. Johnson has a long beard.

The word *long* is an adjective. It describes the noun, *beard*.



In each sentence, circle the adjective that describes the underlined noun.

1. Leroy and Jenna walked up to an old castle.
2. Maddie put the golden key in the lock.
3. Today is the fifth day of January.
4. The baby birds flew from the nest.
5. Joe's truck has a flat tire.

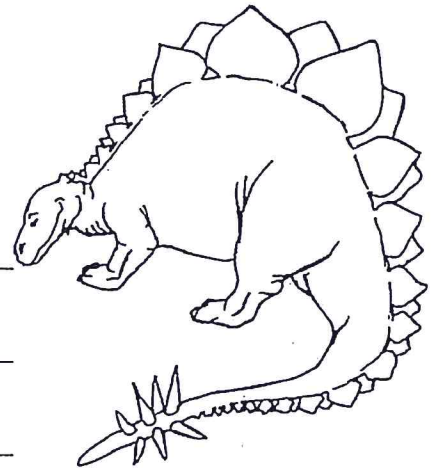
Circle the adjective in each sentence. Underline the noun that it describes.

6. I am holding a marker in my left hand.
7. Patricia played beautiful music on her guitar.
8. Has anyone read Caitlyn's latest story?
9. The sly fox outsmarted the chicken.
10. Miguel built a large bookshelf.

Name: _____

Dinosaur in the Backyard

Imagine you woke up and saw a dinosaur in your backyard. Describe what you see and do.



Name: _____ "Dinosaur" Continued

Dinosaur in the Backyard

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Spelling Unit B-19

Spelling

book	took	good	crook	fool
pool	spoon	stood	noon	loops



1. Daniel went swimming in the _____.
2. Maya is reading a great _____.
3. The second grade students eat lunch at _____.
4. Dad put the hammer on his _____ bench.
5. Sam _____ his dog to the park.
6. E.J. got a _____ grade on his math test.
7. I ate my ice cream with a _____.
8. Suresh ran two _____ around the track.
9. Zack sneezed into the _____ of his arm.
10. We _____ at the bus stop for twenty minutes.

DAY 2

Please read these instructions to ensure that all assignments are completed correctly.

Reading

"The Bat" By Stephenie Hovland

Read directions carefully. Read passage and answer questions.

Language

Plural Nouns

Read the directions carefully.

Writing

My Job at the Football Stadium

Read the directions carefully. Write a story answering the prompt with at least 8 sentences. Use the writing checklist to make sure your sentences are complete.

Spelling

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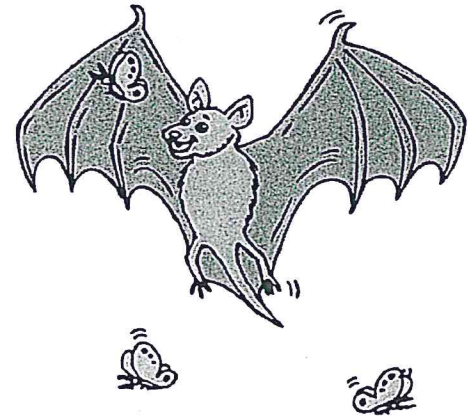
Unscramble Words

Read the directions carefully.

Name: _____

The Bat

by Stephenie Hovland



Early one morning, I saw a bat flying.
It flew past me. I wanted to find out
where it lived, so I ran after it.

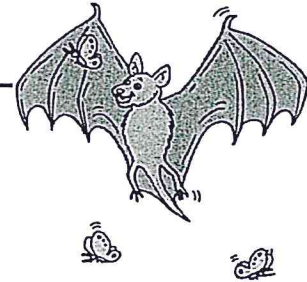
The bat flew up and down. It was hard to see. I kept running.
It went past a tree and over a bush. I ran past the tree and
around the bush.

Then I could not see it. Where did it go? I looked up and
down, over a bush and all around. I could not see it. It was
gone.

Then I saw something. It moved fast. It was the bat. It flew into
our shed. I ran to the shed and opened the door. Garden stuff
was on the floor. Tools were on the wall. No bat.

I was going to leave the shed, but I heard something. I looked
up. A family of bats hung from the roof. I closed the door
quietly. I tiptoed away. I let the bat family sleep.

Name: _____



The Bat

by Stephenie Hovland

1. What did the storyteller do when she saw the bat?
- a. She hid from it.
 - b. She ran away.
 - c. She yelled for help.
 - d. She followed it.

2. What was on the floor of the shed?

3. How did the storyteller feel when she saw the bat?

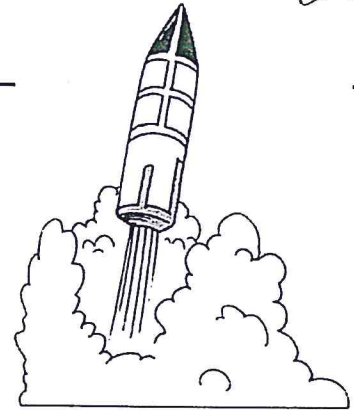
- a. scared
- b. wondering
- c. angry
- d. tired

4. Where did she find the bat?

5. What did the storyteller do after she found the bat?

Something extra: The word *bat* has two meanings. In this story, a bat is an animal that flies in the air. It can also mean something else. On the back of this paper, draw a picture of another kind of bat.

Name: _____

Plural Nouns

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Many singular nouns can be made plural by simply adding s.

examples: **astronaut - astronauts** **rocket - rockets**

Write the plural of each noun below by adding the letter s.

- | | |
|---------------------|--------------------|
| 1. lion - _____ | 2. bubble - _____ |
| 3. building - _____ | 4. rainbow - _____ |
| 5. phone - _____ | 6. movie - _____ |

Nouns ending in x, z, s, sh and ch form the plural by adding an es to the end.

examples: **couch - couches** **lens - lenses**

Write the plural of each noun below by adding the letters es.

- | | |
|--------------------|------------------|
| 7. fox - _____ | 8. dish - _____ |
| 9. bus - _____ | 10. wish - _____ |
| 11. wrench - _____ | 12. ax - _____ |

When a noun ends with a consonant followed by the letter y, change the y to an i and add es.

examples: **penny - pennies** **party - parties**

Write the plural of each noun below.

- | | |
|---------------------|--------------------|
| 13. library - _____ | 14. puppy - _____ |
| 15. kitty - _____ | 16. family - _____ |
| 17. story - _____ | 18. cherry - _____ |

When a noun ends with a vowel followed by the letter y, just add the letter s.

examples: monkey - **monkeys**

key - **keys**

Write the plural of each noun below.

19. donkey - _____

20. ray - _____

21. toy - _____

22. alley - _____

23. tray - _____

24. turkey - _____

When a noun ends with the letter(s) f or fe, change the f or fe to an v and add es.

examples: **shelf - shelves**

knife - knives

Write the plural of each noun below.

25. loaf - _____

26. thief - _____

27. life - _____

28. calf - _____

Sometimes a plural noun is formed by changing the vowels, or by adding a different ending

examples: **tooth - teeth**

child - children

Write the plural of each noun below.

29. person - _____

30. goose - _____

31. foot - _____

32. woman - _____

33. mouse - _____

34. man - _____

Sometimes a word does not change at all when it becomes plural.

examples: **fish - fish**

shrimp - shrimp

Write the plural of each noun below.

35. moose - _____

36. sheep - _____

37. deer - _____

38. corn - _____

39. aircraft - _____

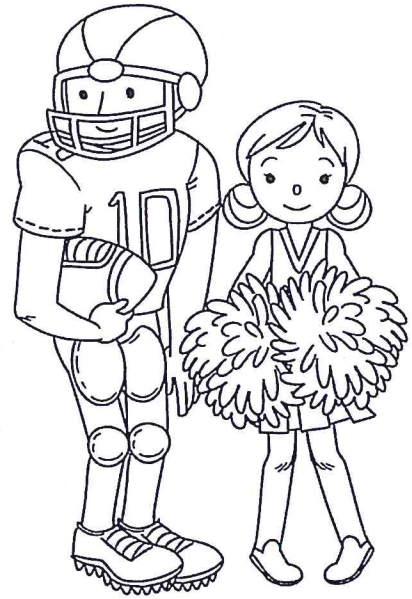
40. gold - _____

Name: _____

3

My Job At the Football Stadium

Imagine you worked at a football stadium.
What would your job be? (examples: quarterback, cheerleader, coach, referee, ticket seller) Describe what you would do while you were on the job.



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My Job At the Football Stadium

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Scrambled Spelling



Unscramble the spelling words from list B-19.

1. o n o n

6. o n s o p

2. p s o l o

7. r o k c o

3. o l p o

8. k o t o

4. d o s o t

9. o l t o

5. k o b o

10. d o g o

Word Box

book

took

good

crook

tool

pool

spoon

stood

noon

loops

Lit only

DAY 3

Please read these instructions to ensure that all assignments are completed correctly.

Reading

"Snow Flowers" by Anita Amin

Read directions carefully. Read passage and answer questions.

Language

Verbs

"My Dog Named Verb"

Read the directions carefully. You may use a pencil if you do not have a red crayon.

Writing

"Celebrity Lunch"

Read the directions carefully. Write a story answering the prompt with at least 8 sentences. Use the writing checklist to make sure your sentences are complete.

Spelling

OO

Scrambled sentences.

Unscramble each word to the correct spelling.

Name: _____

Snow Flowers

by Anita Amin

One snowy afternoon, Mom picked up Eve from school. When they reached home, they raced inside.

"Snow, snow, snow." Mom stomped her boots and shook snow off of them. "I'm tired of snow. I miss sunshine. I miss flowers. I miss birds."



"I know," Eve said. She dropped her book bag on the floor. "But I love snow. I think I'll play outside for a while." She ran back outside.

Eve had fun in the snow with her friends. They threw snowballs. They built snow forts. They made snowmen. They even went sledding.

Then Eve felt cold and came back inside.

"Here you go," Mom said. She handed Eve a mug of hot chocolate.

"I love hot chocolate!" Eve took a sip and smiled.

Mom smiled and left.

Mom always takes care of me, Eve thought. I wish I could give her a gift.

But Eve didn't know what to give Mom. Eve couldn't give sunshine. And there were no flowers outside to pick. And she didn't have money to buy a bird.

Eve had an idea. She took out a sheet of white paper. Then Eve opened her pencil box, took out a sharp pencil, and began to draw flowers on the paper.

She smiled and said, "I can give Mom flowers after all!"

Next, she painted some of the flowers orange, some red, and some yellow. She cut them out.

Next, Eve found some drinking straws with green stripes. "These will make good stems." Eve taped a straw to the back of each flower. Finally, Eve tied a ribbon around the stems.

She carried the flowers to Mom.

"Why, these are the loveliest flowers I've ever seen!" Mom put them in a vase near a window. "They even make the snow seem cheery!"

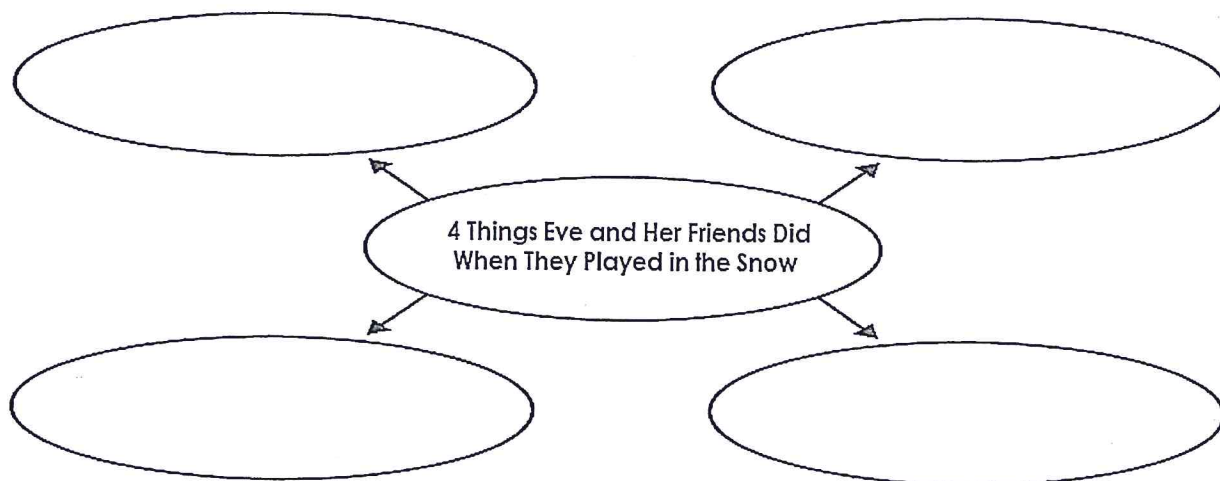
Name: _____

Snow Flowers

by Anifa Amin



1. Complete the graphic organizer.



2. Circle the things Eve used to make the flowers.
Cross out the things that Eve did not use.

markers	paper	pencil	ribbon
straws	dry pasta	paint	string

3. Where did Eve's mom put the flowers?
- a. by the window
 - b. next to her bed
 - c. on the kitchen table
 - d. outside by the snowman
4. Which sentence about Eve's mom is probably true?
- a. Winter is her favorite season.
 - b. She likes warm weather.
 - c. She likes to play outside with Eve.
 - d. She enjoys watching the snow fall.

Name: _____

3

Read the poem below and look for action verbs. Underline the action verbs with a red crayon.

My Dog Named Verb

by Lill Pluta

My dog is named Verb. That's strange, I know.

But you should see my dog, Verb, go.

He frolics, rollicks, runs, and romps.

He scratches, catches, chews, and chomps.

He plays with friends at doggy parks.

He chases, races, yips, and barks.

He darts away to fetch a ball.

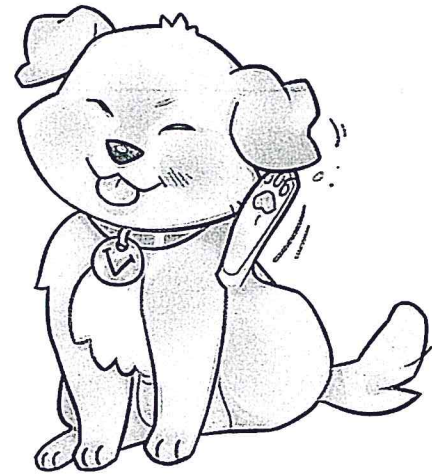
He comes to me if I should call.

He gnaws on bones. He squeaks his toys.

His days are full of many joys.

When nighttime comes, Verb takes a rest.

I love my dog. He is the best.

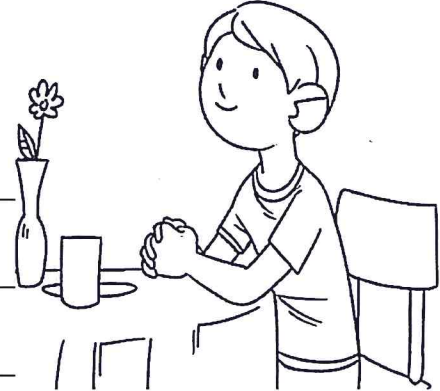


How many action verbs did you find in this poem? _____

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Celebrity Lunch

If you could have lunch with any famous person,
who would it be? What would you talk about?



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Celebrity Lunch

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Spelling List B-19

Scrambled Sentences

Unscramble the sentences.

1. pool. swam Rosa in the

2. lunch I noon. at eat

3. a with fed the baby Mom spoon.

4. tool. hammer A is a

Lit
Only

DAY 4

Please read these instructions to ensure that all assignments are completed correctly.

Reading

"Aunt Lee's Chicken Eggs" by Susan Manzke

Read directions carefully. Read passage and answer questions.

Language

Subject and Predicate

Read the directions carefully and answer the questions.

Writing

"Super Me!"

Read the directions carefully. Write a story answering the prompt with at least 8 sentences. Use the writing checklist to make sure your sentences are complete.

Spelling

OO

Write Twice

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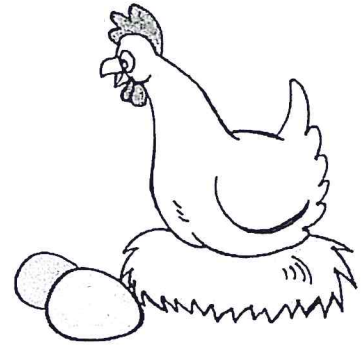
Aunt Lee's Chicken Eggs

by Susan Manzke

Some people have cats or dogs as pets. Aunt Lee is not like those people. Her two pets are chickens. Both are girl birds, or hens. One is named Lulu and the other is Molly.

Cindy came to visit Aunt Lee to help with her pets.

"It is time to collect eggs," said Aunt Lee. She handed her niece a basket.



Molly and Lulu were looking for bugs in the backyard when Cindy went to the chicken house. There was one egg in the nest. Cindy took it and put it in her basket.

As she walked toward the house, Cindy saw something white under a bush. It was another egg. She picked it up and put it in her basket, too.

"Two eggs, Aunt Lee," said Cindy. "I found one in a nest and the other one under a bush."

"Oh my," said Aunt Lee. "I hope the one from under the bush is good. If it was there for a long time, maybe it is old. It could make us sick. Which egg was under the bush?"

Cindy looked into the basket. The eggs looked the same. "I don't know," she said.

"Don't worry," said Aunt Lee. "I have a trick to figure out if an egg is good or not." She ran water into a bucket. "Gently put both eggs into the water, Cindy. A good egg will sink to the bottom. A bad egg will float."

Cindy put the eggs in the water. Both eggs went to the bottom.

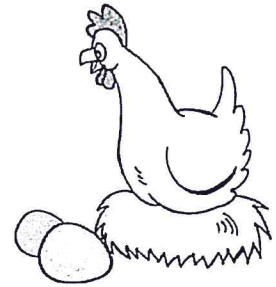
"Yay!" said Aunt Lee. "Both eggs are good. We will use them to bake a cake."

Cindy smiled.

Name: _____

Aunt Lee's Chicken Eggs

by Susan Manzke



1. Cindy is Aunt Lee's...

- a. daughter
- c. friend

- b. niece
- d. sister

2. Cindy found two eggs. Where did she find the first egg?

3. Where did she find the second egg?

4. Aunt Lee was afraid that...

- a. one of the eggs had a baby chick in it.
- b. one of the eggs was not round enough.
- c. one of the eggs was brown and one was white.
- d. one of the eggs could make them sick.

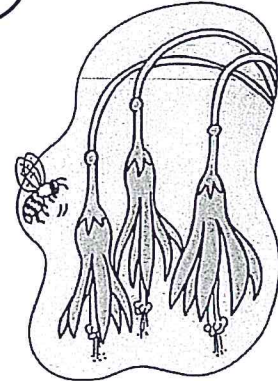
5. How could Aunt Lee tell the eggs were fresh and safe to eat?

Name: _____

Subjects & Predicates

Choose a subject from the box to complete each sentence.

A big spider	A buzzing bee	My notebook
A gray dolphin	My mother	My closet
The houseplant	The eye doctor	The space alien

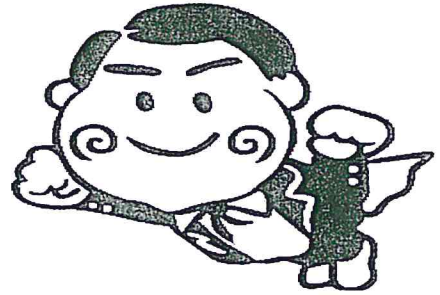


1. _____ looked for nectar in the flower.
2. _____ has lots of clothes in it.
3. _____ checked my vision.
4. _____ needs soil, water, and sunlight.
5. _____ landed the UFO.
6. _____ jumped in the sea.
7. _____ was upset because I broke her favorite vase.
8. _____ is filled with stories that I wrote.
9. _____ spun a web in the doorway.

Name: _____

Super Me!

Which superpower would you most like to have:
invisibility, super strength, or the ability to fly?
Describe what you would do with your
powers.



Name: _____ "Super Me!" Continued

Super Me!

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Spelling List A-19



Write each word twice.

1. spoon

2. moon

3. food

4. cool

5. noon

6. ZOO

❖ Review Words ❖

7. stop

8. snack

★ Star Words ★

9. tooth

10. school

Writing

Write a sentence with a spelling word in it.

Lit Only

DAY 5

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Reading

"Pictures in the Sky" by Anita Amin

Read directions carefully. Read passage and answer questions.

Language

Subject and Predicate

Read the directions carefully and answer the questions.

Writing

"Making Money"

Read the directions carefully. Write a story answering the prompt with at least 8 sentences. Use the writing checklist to make sure your sentences are complete.

Spelling

OO

ABC Order

Name: _____

Pictures in the Sky

by Anifa Amin

"Look at that cloud," Emma told her brother Alex. They were sitting outside in their backyard.

The sky was blue and full of fluffy clouds.

Alex looked up at the white cloud. "It looks like a duck," he said.

"To me it looks like a big dog," Emma said. She pointed to another white cloud. "What about that one?"



"It looks like an octopus," Alex said.

"To me it looks like a bunch of balloons," Emma pointed to another white cloud. "What about that one?"

"It looks like a man with a long beard," Alex said.

"To me it looks like a tree," Emma pointed to a dark cloud. "What about that one?"

"It looks like a car with people in it," Alex said.

"To me it looks like rain!" Emma cried.

They raced back inside and watched the rain pour down.

Name: _____

Pictures in the Sky

by Anifa Amin



1. Where does this story take place?
 - a. at the park
 - b. in Emma and Alex's house
 - c. on a grassy hill
 - d. in Emma and Alex's backyard

2. Alex saw a cloud that looked like an octopus.
What did Emma think it looked like?

3. Which cloud was probably dark gray?
 - a. The cloud that looked like a duck.
 - b. The cloud that looked like a man with a beard.
 - c. The cloud that looked like a horse.
 - d. The cloud that looked like a car.

4. How many clouds do Emma and Alex see in this story? _____

5. When does this story take place?
 - a. right after it rains
 - b. right before it rains
 - c. on a Thursday night
 - d. on a clear day

Name: _____

Subjects & Predicates

Choose a predicate from the box to complete each sentence.

watered her flowers.	barked all night long.	drove me to school.
blew in the wind.	ate crickets.	cut the boy's hair.
fixed the sink.	slept in her crib.	flew the airplane.

1. The gardener _____.

2. The pilot _____.

3. The little puppy _____.

4. The barber _____.

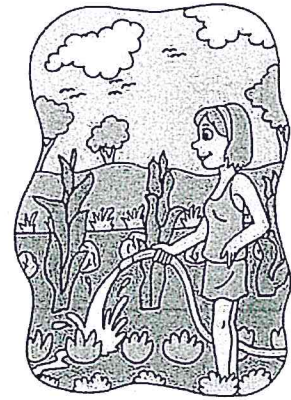
5. James' baby sister _____.

6. The flag _____.

7. The lizard _____.

8. The plumber _____.

9. The bus driver _____.



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Making Money



Describe some ways a person your age could earn money.

“Making Money” Continued

Making Money

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ABC Order

Spelling Unit B-19



Rewrite each set of spelling words in ABC order.

1. book, loops, crook

_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

2. stood, spoon, noon

_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

3. tool, pool, took, good

_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

❖ 4. soft, city, ice

_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

★ 5. cookies, balloon

_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

Writer's Checklist

Complete Sentences need:

- ✓ capitol letter
- ✓ Noun
- ✓ Verb
- ✓ Punctuation
- ✓ Makes sense

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- ✓ A topic sentence
- ✓ Detail sentences
- ✓ Closing sentence.

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