

Me - I Am Nine

- This unit introduces students to the concept of making a self-introduction. Students also learn to write numbers.

Key Words Pen-Pal age name avatar

Grammar < Possessive Pronouns> my, your, his, her

Key Sentences My name is Bob. I am 7.

Related Words classmates friends

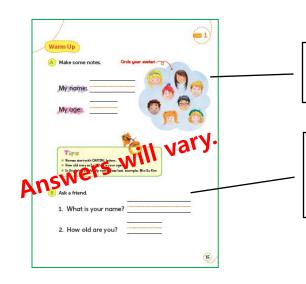
- 1. Warm Up
- Introduce yourself. Then help students learn the basic expressions for introducing themselves.



What's his name? How old is he? His name is Simon. He is 6.

What's her name? How old is she? Her name is Lucy. She is 8.

What's his name? How old is he? His name is Dan. He is 7.



Have students circle the avatar that looks most like themselves.

<Pair Work>

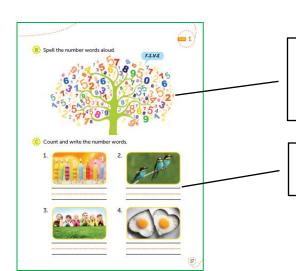
Get students to exchange questions and answers with their partners. Encourage them to use full sentences if possible.



- 1. Show students how to write words on the lines. Then the students write words on the lines.
- 2. Help students learn words with the same endings. Students take turns saying a word he/she knows.

What ends with -ee? three, tree, bee...

- -five, dive, hive
- -six, mix, fix
- -nine, pine, fine, line, mine, vine

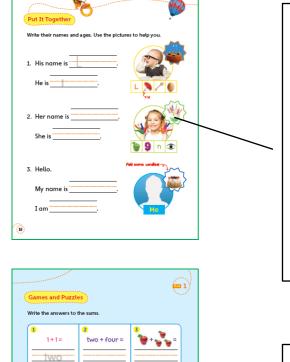


When the teacher reads the numbers aloud, students spell the words.

"I say 'five,' you say f, i, v, e."

<Answers>

1. eight 2. three 3. six 4. two



EIGHT + ONE =

1. Find the beginning sound of each word and put the sounds together. Then you can find the name. To find the age, count the candles. L+umbrella+key+egg=Luke



2. apple+nine+n+eye=Anne



3. Have students write their names and ages. Then have them draw as many candles as their age.

This exercise is an activity for reading Arabic numerals and uppercase and lowercase letters.

- One plus two equals three.
- Two minus one equals one.

3. Activity

Materials – Pictures of famous people with names and ages Have students bring pictures of famous people and practice making sentences. E.g. What's her name? What's his name? How old is he? How old is she?



People – I Love My Family

-Building on Unit 1, this unit teaches students how to introduce their families.

Key Words me mother/mom father/dad brother sister people

Grammar How many? There are ___.

Key Sentences I have a sister. I love my mom.

Related Words only child grandfather/ grandpa grandmother/grandma younger older aunt uncle cousin

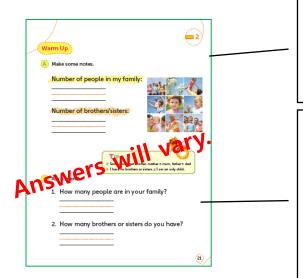
- 1. Warm Up
- Look at the family picture on p. 20 (or other family pictures) and learn words such as *grandpa*, *grandma*, etc. for family members.





This is Dan's family. Can you find Dan? Now Dan introduces his family.

Get students to introduce their families using patterns like "This is me, Dan. This is my father...."



Make basic sentences about Dan and then ask a question. E.g. Dan says, "There are five people in my family. I have one brother and one sister." How about you?

<Pair Work>

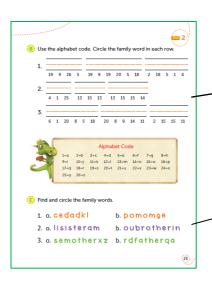
Students exchange questions and answers with their partners or the teacher.

- 1. There are _____ people in my family.
- 2. I have _____ sister(s) and _____ brother(s).

When one does not have a brother or sister, just say, "I am an only child."

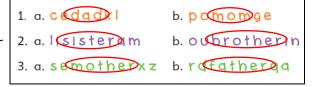


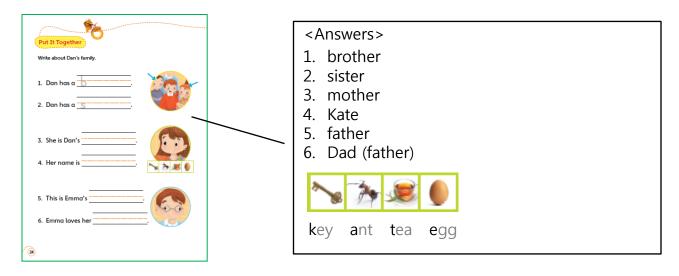
- 1. Have students read words by phonemic units when they write the words.
- E.g. bad \rightarrow /b/../a/../d/
- 2. Tell students that *mom*, *mommy*, and *mama* are used as synonyms for *mother* and *dad*, *daddy*, and *papa* for *father*.

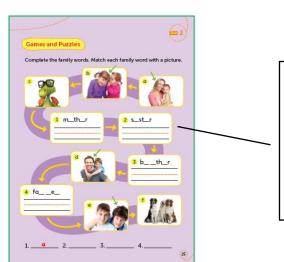


<Answers>

- 1. size sister bread
- 2. day mom moon
- 3. father think book







It could be fun to have students compete with each other for the fastest answer. Be sure not to leave out the picture-word matching on the last line.

<Answers>

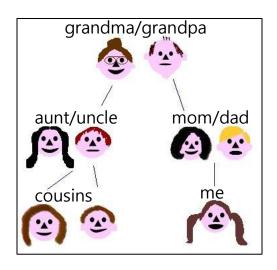
1. a 2. b 3. e 4. d

3. Activity

Materials – one sheet of A4-size paper per student

- 1. Have students draw their own family tree. In the case of an only child, encourage him/her to include his/her uncles and cousins.
- 2. Each student has an opportunity to introduce himself/herself with a picture (s)he drew. Encourage students to draw on prior knowledge, especially from Unit 1 and Unit 2.
- E.g. Hello, My name is _____. I am ____.

 There are four people in my family. I have a mom, a dad, and a brother. Thank you!



Home - The Kitchen Is Big

- In this unit, students learn to talk about their homes, including the size of each room in their homes. By doing so, they will learn the patterns for related expressions.

Key Words

house home room big large small bathroom bedroom living room kitchen

Grammar <Adjectives>
This room is big.
It is a big room.

Key Sentences I live in a big house. The living room is very small.

Related Words garage garden laundry hall

- 1. Warm Up
- Tell students the name of each room in the house using a picture or by drawing the floor plan of a house on the board.





Tell students the names of Nogard the dragon, the teacher, Dan, and Lucy.

Give students patterns for them to describe which house is big and which one is small. E.g. There are three houses. Who lives in the small house? (Lucy) Who lives in the very big house? (Nogard) Who lives in the big house? (Dan)



Have students circle a home that looks similar to their home. Ask the number of their family members using the pattern learned in Unit 3.

E.g. Do you live in an apartment or a house?

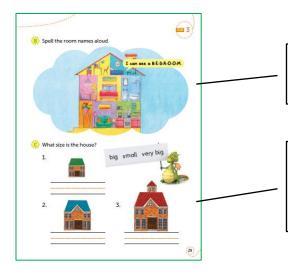
Is it big or small? How many people are in your family?

<Pair Work>

Students exchange questions and answers with their partners or the teacher.



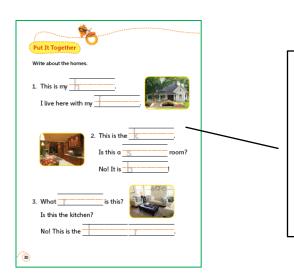
- 1. When reading a compound word, make a small pause between its member words. E.g. bathroom → bath...room
- 2. Give students synonyms and antonyms such as big, large, small, etc.



The teacher says the name of a room, and then students spell the word in unison.

<Answers>

- 1. small
- 2. big
- 3. very big

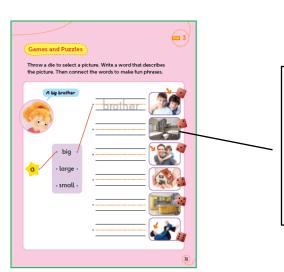


Familiarize students with the position of an adjective in a sentence by repeating the patterns.

E.g. This room is <u>big</u>. It is a <u>big</u> room.

<Answers>

- 1. house, family
- 2. kitchen, small, big
- 3. room, large, room



<Answers>

- a big brother
- a large bathroom
- a big dad
- a large house
- a large kitchen
- a big mom

3. Activity

Materials – one sheet of A3-size paper per student

- 1. Fold the paper in half and draw a picture of a house.
- 2. Cut one side of the folded paper into the shape of \Box , then draw the inside of the house. Paste the folded paper together.
- 3. Write the name of each room.
- 4. If time permits, have students introduce their houses.





Animals - It Is a Cat

- This unit introduces plurals using familiar pet animals. It also reviews how to write numbers as learned in Unit 1.

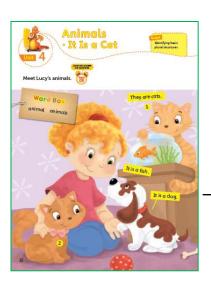
Key Words animal lizard hamster rat tub dog cat rabbit fish

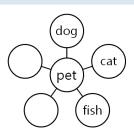
Grammar < Plural Nouns > cat-cats dog-dogs fish-fish

Key Sentences They are cats. It is a dog.

Related Words pet turtle bird

- 1. Warm Up
- Use graphic organizer to brainstorm different kinds of pets.





Have students answer the questions, "What is it?" and "What are they?" Have a question-answer session about the picture on p. 32. Then extend the activity using classroom objects such as pencils, erasers, etc. E.g. What is it? It's a dog (ruler). What are they? They are cats (pencils).



Some students will not have pets. Give students without pets the option of circling an animal they like.

E.g. What's your favorite animal? Do you have an animal at your house?

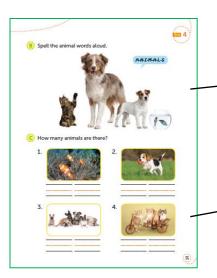
<Pair Work>

Students exchange questions and answers with their partners or the teacher.



-Explain the concept of plural (more than one). Also mention that most plural nouns have an s at the end.

- Tell students that some nouns do not change their forms. For example, *fish*, *sheep*, etc.



The teacher says the name of an animal, and then students spell the word in unison.

<Answers>

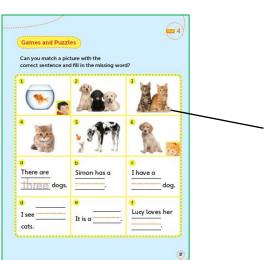
- 1. two fish
- 2. one dog
- 3. six dogs
- 4. four cats



By repeating examples of plural forms, let students get the idea of singular/plural. Also review writing numbers.

<Answers>

- 1. fish
- 2. cats
- 3. three
- 4. tub



Some students may find this difficult, so tell the names of children in 1 and 6.

E.g. Simon and Lucy

<Answers>

a. three b. fish c. small d. two e. cat f. dog

3. Activity

<Activity 1>

Materials – cards, each with the name of an animal

- 1. Write the name of an animal from the book on each card, and then fold the card.
- 2. Students come to the front one by one, open a card, and give hints about the animal by acting it outor making sounds. Other students guess the animal.
- 3. Give an award card to the student who gets the right answer and/or who acts out the answer.

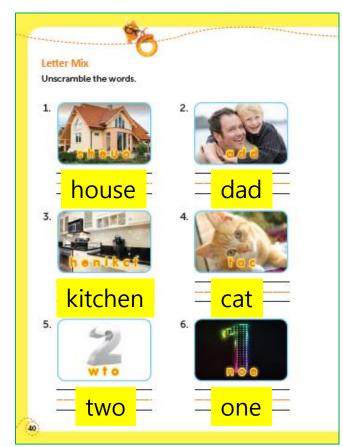
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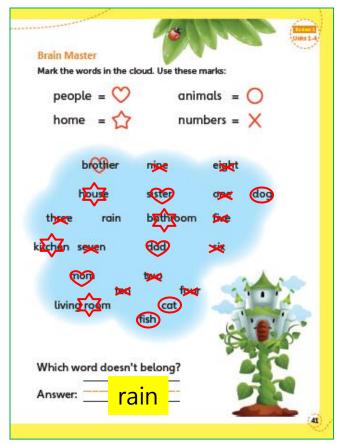
- 1. Present information about an animal.
- E.g. This animal lives in the water. It is small and pretty. It lays eggs and swims well.
- → fish!
- 2. Give an award card to the student who gets the right answer.

Review 1 - Units 1-4









Food – Let's Eat Dinner

- In this unit, students learn expressions for things to eat and drink. The third-person singular form is also introduced. Some students may find it a bit difficult.

Key Words

food eat drink hungry breakfast lunch dinner meal

Grammar

<Third-Person Simple Present>

I like sandwiches.

He <u>likes</u> sandwiches.

Key Sentences

I am hungry/thirsty.

I like sandwiches.

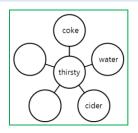
He likes sandwiches.

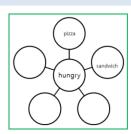
Related Words

delicious yummy bread soda tea cider coke kitchen

- 1. Warm Up
- Use the graphic organizer to get students to brainstorm food and drinks that they like.



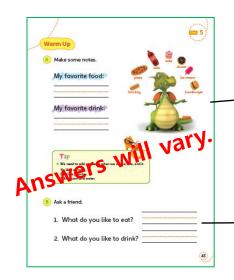




Have students pretend to be Simon and talk about their favorite food.

E.g. When you are hungry/thirsty, what do you do? I eat/drink.

What's your favorite food/drink? I like _____.



Have students write the name of their favorite food that they previously talked about.

E.g. What's your favorite food/drink?

<Pair Work>

Students exchange questions and answers with their partners or the teacher.



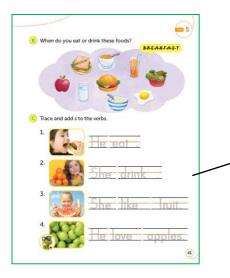
It is beneficial to explain the sounds for *ea* and *y* in various words in advance.

<ea>

- 1. /i:/ sound eat, tea
- 2. /e/ sound breakfast, bread
- 3. /ei/ sound great

<y>

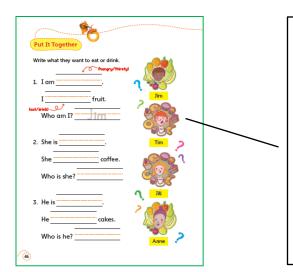
- 1. /je/ sound yes, yum, yo-yo
- 2. /i/ sound hungry, thirsty, baby
- 3. /ai/ sound dry, cry, why



Explain that when a verb is in the third person singular present, you put an *s* at the end of the verb.

<Answers>

- 1. He eats.
- 2. She drinks.
- 3. She likes fruit.
- 4. He loves apples.

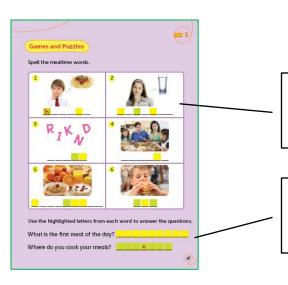


Have students look at the pictures and say the names, and get them to write sentences.

Ex) This is _____ . He/She is hungry/thirsty. He/She eats/drinks _____.

<Answers>

- 1. I am hungry. I eat fruit. Who am I? Jim.
- 2. She is thirsty. She drinks coffee. Who is she? Jill.
- 3. He is hungry. He eats cakes. Who is he? Tim.



<Answers>

1. hungry 2. thirsty 3. drink 4. dinner 5. breakfast 6. eat

<Answers> breakfast, kitchen

3. Activity

Have students write foods they like and foods they do not like. Then have them present what they wrote.

I like to eat

I like to drink

School - I Go to School on Monday Morning

- This unit introduces expressions for describing school life in terms of hours, days, and weeks.

Key Words

Sunday Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Saturday week weekend morning afternoon evening feed play outside best class at home

Grammar

<Proper Nouns>

Days of the week

Key Sentences

I go to school in the morning.

I have an English class on Monday afternoon.

Related Words

swimming class read a book play computer games

- 1. Warm Up
- Talk about the days of week.

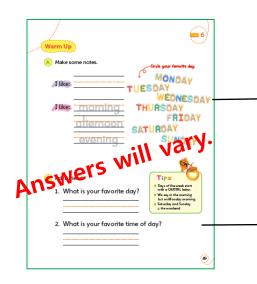


Tell students that the picture is divided into morning and evening. Ask questions suitable for the time period.

E.g. Q: Look at the rising sun. When do people usually take the school bus? A: In the morning.

Have students talk about the days they go to school.

Ex) Q: What days do you go to school? A: Monday, Tuesday...



Ask students if they have any special day of the week, and also ask what time of the day they like. Then have them write their answers.

Ex) What's your favorite day of the week? What's your favorite time of the day?

<Pair Work>

Students exchange questions and answers with their partners or the teacher.



Give some examples of words ending in -ing. E.g. king, ring, sing, wing, ping pong, thing – then ask students for more ideas.

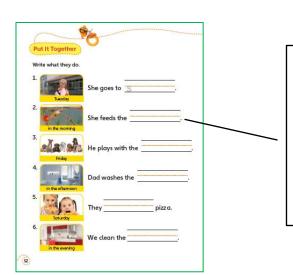


Ask questions starting with "On what day ...?" Have students draw the matching lines.

In each pair of words, one word is incorrect. Have students choose the correct word and fill in the blank.

<Answers>

1. a. d 2. b. e 3. b. u 4. b. e

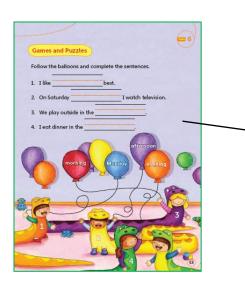


Have students write the answer first and then read, adding the day of the week or time.

For example, the first sentence is, "She goes to school on Tuesday."

<Answers>

1. school 2. fish 3. dogs 4. bathroom 5. eat 6. kitchen



<Answers>

- 1. I like Monday best.
- 2. On Saturday afternoon I watch television.
- 3. We play outside in the morning.
- 4. I eat dinner in the evening.

3. Activity

<Activity 1>

Have students write their activities during the week and present them in front of the class.

E.g. I go swimming on Tuesday.

Days of the week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
What do I do	English class	go swimming			

<Activity 2>

Have students write their activities during the day and present them in front of the class.

Time of the day	Morning	Afternoon	Evening
What do I do	go to school	read a book	watch TV

Hobbies – I Am Good at Tennis

- This unit is about sports. Students will talk about which sports they are good at or bad at and when they play the sports.

Key Words

ball hobby good bad play baseball basketball soccer tennis

Grammar

be good at ~

be bad at ~

Key Sentences

I am good at soccer.

I am not good at soccer.

I am bad at soccer.

Related Words

skiing skateboarding swimming badminton roller skating

1. Warm Up

- Before learning the materials in the textbook, have students learn not only key words but also related words using flashcards.



Is she good at soccer? Are you good at soccer?

Is she good at baseball or not good at baseball?

What sport is she playing?



The teacher makes sample sentences about himself/herself and then has students write sentences about themselves.

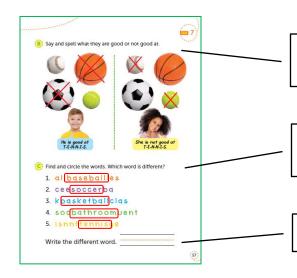
E.g. I am good at swimming, but I am bad at soccer. What about you?

<Pair Work>

Students exchange questions and answers with their partners or the teacher.



- 1. Have students read words by phonemic units when they write the words.
- E.g. bad \rightarrow /b/../a/../d/
- 2. Have students learn other words in the same word family. Have students list rhyming words.
- E.g. What ends with '-ad'? bad, sad, dad, had, mad, pad...
- good-wood, food, hood, mood...
- play- clay, say, may, day...
- ball- call, fall, hall, mall...



Have students pronounce each letter in a word.

- 1. baseball 2. soccer 3. basketball 4. bathroom
- 5. tennis

answer: bathroom



Have students choose a suitable word from the groups of pictures a, b, and c and complete the sentences. Students may use words from group c more than once.

<Answers>

- 1. I play baseball on Friday. I am good at baseball.
- 2. She plays soccer in the farm. She is very good at soccer.
- 3. They play basketball on Saturday. They are good at basketball.



It is permissible to read a word by pronouncing letters one by one. For example, read "drink" as /d/, /r/, /i/, /n/, /k/.

<Answers>

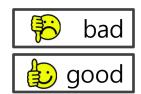
drink→ tennis→ living room→ seven→ clock → food→ Saturday→ soccer

3. Activity

Materials – picture cards on sports (soccer, tennis, basketball...), good and bad cards, word cards for the days of the week, sight word cards

Have each student make a sentence and read it. According to the ability level of the student, the teacher may dictate the sentence or let the student write the sentence by himself/herself.





























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My Room - It Is Under the Bed

- This unit teaches students how to ask and answer where objects for daily use are.

Key Words

in on under calendar desk chair plant box toys window wall floor

Grammar

<Preposition>

Key Sentences

The toys are on the bed.

The picture is under the box.

Related Words

shelf closet shoes baseball shelf closet clothes cap cellular phone

- 1. Warm Up
- Bring a doll or a toy car which students would like. Use it to show the location and explain how to use prepositions such as *on, under, in, out,* etc.
 - E.g. This is a teddy bear. Now where is the teddy bear? Oh, It is on ...



Ask students some questions about the picture, getting students to use prepositions. It is also desirable to ask questions about objects in the classroom..

E.g. Q: Where is the calendar?

A: It is on the wall.

Q: What is under the desk?

A: A toy car, balls...

Q: Where is the basket?

A: It is on the floor.

Q: What is in the basket?

A: Apples.



Have students describe what things are on the floor and the walls of their rooms and write them down.

E.g. What is on your bedroom wall? What is under your bed?

<Pair Work>

Students exchange questions and answers with their partners or the teacher.

Listen.	Trace.	Write.
window	window	
wall	wall	
floor	floor	
calendar	calendar	
box	box	
chair	chair	
desk	desk	
plant	plant	
toys	tovs	

Explain word endings such as -ar, -er, -ir, -or, and -ur, all of which are pronounced /r/.

- door, floor
- chair, air conditioner
- calendar, bear

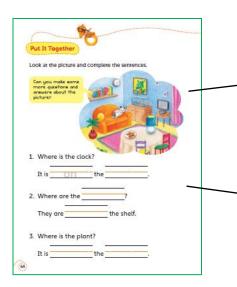


Have students look at the picture and then play a game of "I Spy" with the students. When the teacher says, "I spy b!" students spell a word that begins with b.

- /b/ words : ball, box, bag
- /c/ words : carpet, curtain, crayon, car
- /p/ words : plant, picture, pencil

<Answers>

1. on 2. in 3. under 4. on



Review what students learned in the previous units through questions and answers.

<Answers>

- 1. It is on the wall.
- 2. Where are the books? They are on the shelf.
- 3. Where is the plant? It is in the pot.



<Answers>

- 1. The shoe is under the table.
- 2. The cat is on the chair.
- 3. The baseball is on the bed.
- 4. The dogs are in the basket.

3. Activity



Have students use prepositions to tell the location of an object in the classroom.

To make the class more interesting, put some colored balloons or candy in the classroom before the class begins.

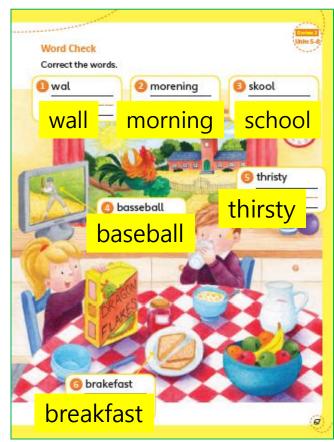
Ask questions, and when a student gives a correct answer, give him/her a balloon or candy.

E.g., Where is the green balloon?

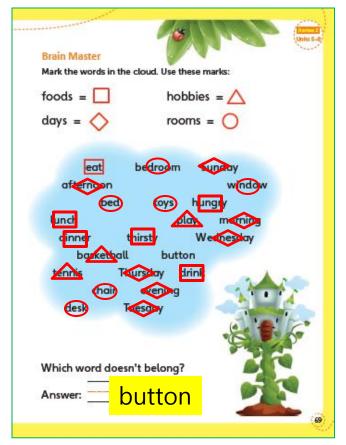
Where is the red lollipop?

Review 2 - Units 5-8









The Body – My Shoes Are Purple

- In this unit, students learn words for different items of clothing, as well as the names of colors.

Key Words

clothes shoes pants dress cap blue brown gray purple yellow white

Grammar

Singular: dress, T-shirt, blouse, cap, skirt...

Ex) Dan wears a cap.

Plural: pants, socks, shoes, shorts...

Ex) Simon wears *some* shoes.

Key Sentences

The hat is red.

The shoes are blue.

Related Words

skirt blouse shorts socks shirt T-shirt hat

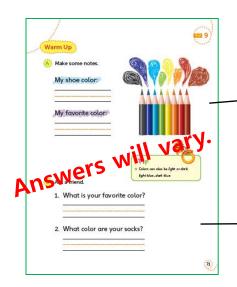
1. Warm Up

Have students answer questions about their clothes. For example, "Who wears blue jeans? Jim does!"



These children are Simon, Lucy, and Dan. Explain the clothes each one is wearing, along with the color of the clothes.

E.g. This is Simon. His shirt is orange. What about his shoes? They are brown.



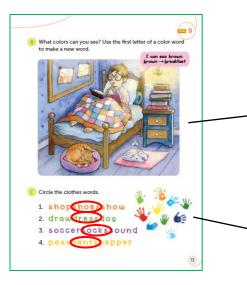
Explain: Some clothes have both singular and plural forms, whereas some clothes only have a plural form. However, some plural words like "shoes" and "socks" may assume a singular form.

<Pair Work>

Students exchange questions and answers with their partners or the teacher.



- -Have students circle plural names of clothes.
- The letters *ow* may vary in sound as /ou/ or /au/, depending on the word.
- E.g. /ou/ yellow, low, rainbow /au/- owl, cow, brown

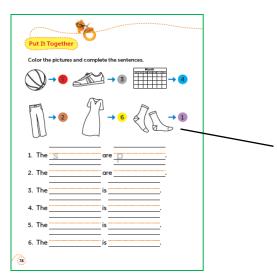


This is an alliteration activity. When students say a color, the teacher says a word which begins with the same sound as the students' color. When students say all the colors in the picture, the teacher changes roles with students.

E.g. brown→ baby, purple→ pants, yellow→ yes, blue→ ball, brown→ bed...

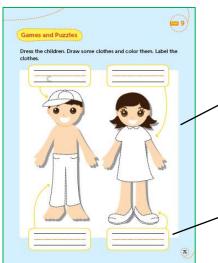
<Answers>

1. shoes 2. dress 3. socks 4. pants



<Answers>

- 1. The socks are purple.
- 2. The pants are brown.
- 3. The shoes are gray.
- 4. The calendar is blue.
- 5. The ball is red.
- 6. The dress is yellow.



Have students color the picture. If time permits, draw some more pictures and color them.

<Answers>

cap, dress, pants, shoes

3. Activity



Materials – cards with pictures of clothes Show one card at a time and have students say the name of the clothes. Have students practice both singular and plural forms.

E.g. It is a dress.

They are pants.

They are shoes.

It is a cap.

Unit 10 | Vacation – Summer Is Hot

- This unit aims to teach the four seasons and their characteristics and weather.

Key Words

spring rainy wind windy fall winter rain summer snow cold hot snowy seasons weather

Grammar

The strong wind blows.

It is windy today.

Key Sentences

It is rainy.

Fall is windy.

Related Words

snowball fight flower fallen leaves/dead leaves strona snowman stormy

- 1. Warm Up
- Have a brief talk about today's weather and the current season.



Explain the four seasons and how weather differs according to the season.

E.g. There are four seasons in a year: spring, summer, fall, and winter.

- What season is it?
- How's the weather in spring?



Have students talk about their favorite weather and season. Then have them write what they said.

- -What weather do you like?
- -What season do you like?

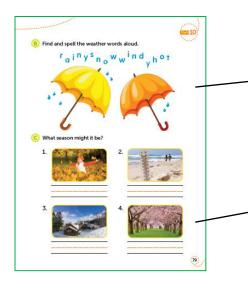
<Pair Work>

Students exchange questions and answers with their partners or the teacher.



Give some examples of words ending in *-all*. <-all>

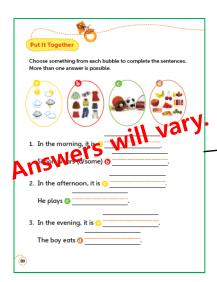
ball, call, fall, wall, hall, mall, tall



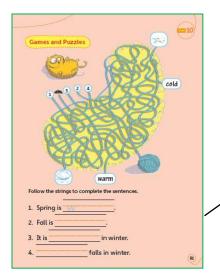
<Answers> rainy, snow, windy, hot

<Answers>

- 1. fall
- 2. summer
- 3. winter
- 4. spring



Have students complete each sentence using the already learned patterns for clothes.



<Answers>

1. warm 2. windy 3. cold 4. snow

3. Activity



Materials – pictures showing weather. Talk about weather and the seasons. Use pictures that show interesting happenings such as storms, etc.

I think it is <u>(season)</u>.
Because she/he wears <u>(clothes)</u>.
It is <u>(windy)</u>.

Unit 11 | Time Machine – Today I Am Happy

- This unit aims to teach tenses (past, present, and future) and antonyms.

Key Words sad before today yesterday happy after tomorrow

Grammar <Tense> I <u>was</u>... / I <u>am</u>... / I <u>will</u>...

Key Sentences Today I am happy. Yesterday I was sad.

Related Words past future present feel felt

- 1. Warm Up
- Explain tenses. Use patterns for weather. How was the weather yesterday? How is the weather today? How will the weather be tomorrow?



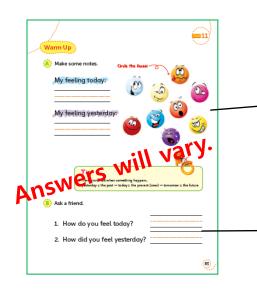
Today Yesterday Tomorrow rainy sunny sunny It will be... It was... It is...

Have students look at the calendar and talk how Lucy was yesterday, how she is today, and how she will be tomorrow, which happens to be her birthday.

E.g. This is Lucy.

Today is Tuesday. How does she feel today? Yesterday was Monday. How did she feel yesterday?

Tomorrow will be her birthday. How will she feel tomorrow?



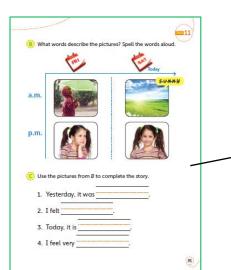
Have students talk how they were yesterday and how they are today. Then have them write down what they said. How do you feel today? How did you feel yesterday?

<Pair Work>

Students exchange questions and answers with their partners or the teacher.



Give some examples of words ending in -ay. <-ay> pay, clay, day, hay, jay, lay, may...



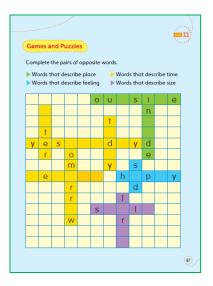
Explain the past tense of verbs. Explain both regular and irregular forms of the past tense.

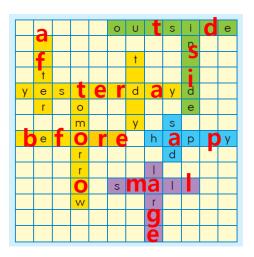
<Answers>

1. rainy 2. sad 3. sunny 4. happy

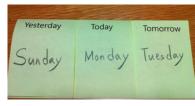


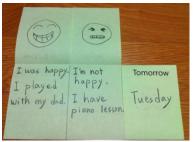
Have students write the day of the week, their mood of the day, their work for the day, and the weather of the day.





3. Activity





<How to Make a Mini-Book>

Materials – one sheet of A4-size paper per student Fold the paper in half. Divide the upper half into three compartments. Write "Yesterday," "Today," and "Tomorrow" on the compartments. Then write sentences based on the sentences written on p. 86. That completes a mini-book. The last step is to have students present what they made.

Unit 12 | The Future – Christmas Is in December

- This unit aims to teach the name of months and patterns to describe annual events.

Key Words

January February April May June July August March September October December November date week month Halloween Christmas Valentine's Day Summer Vacation vear Teacher's Day

Grammar <Proper Nouns> Days, Months, and Holidays

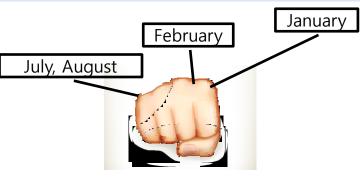
Key Sentences Christmas is in December. December has 31 days.

Related Words Holidays Mother's Day Easter New Year's Day

Warm Up

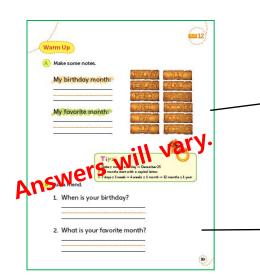
Count the months with your knuckles and the grooves between your knuckles. Start with your index and count toward your baby finger. Count July and August on your baby finger. Knuckles have 31 days. Grooves have 30 or 28.





Show the calendar and ask about the most famous day.

How many days are there in December? When is the most special day in December?



- Explain the concepts of day, week, month, and year.
- -Names of months start with a capital letter and the day is an Arabic number. E.g. July 7
- Put a comma between the day and year. E.g. July 7, 2012

<Pair Work>

Students exchange questions and answers with their partners or the teacher.



The letter c has two different sounds. In most cases, it is pronounced as /k/, but before e, i, and y it is pronounced as /s/.

E.g.

1. c+e

cell, December

2. c+i

cider, city

3. c+y

cycle, cyber

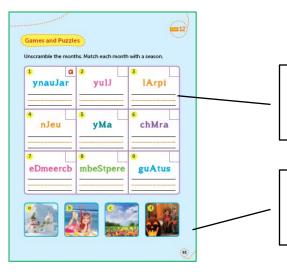


Have students find out all the important events of the year from the calendar.

- 1. December
- 2. February
- 3. July or August
- 4. May



Divide a year into quarters and find out the important days in each quarter. Then have students write about those days.



<Answers>

1. hungry 2. thirsty 3. drink 4. dinner 5. breakfast 6. eat

<Answers> breakfast / kitchen

3. Activity

My Special Day

My birthday is July 16, 2005. I wear my best dress. My mom makes cookies...

Materials - one sheet of A4-size paper per student - Have student pick up one topic from p. 92 and write a report titled "My Special Day."

Review 3 - Units 9-12





