

1. Read and answer the questions.

ALL ABOUT JANE by his brother Jeremy



My sister's name is Jane. Having a sister is great most of the time; however, it can also be a nightmare.

Jane is very calm and she's a good listener. She's the one I talk to whenever I have a problem. When I'm feeling down she always helps me cheer up. Apart from being my sister, she's also my best friend.

She is thinner and smaller than I am but she runs very fast. In April, our school had a sports day, and Jane won a race. The race began and I cheered for Jane. She ran faster and faster! She won the race! I was very proud of my sister!

Like all siblings, sometimes we fight. Jane can be very stubborn. However, the most annoying thing about her is that she's a bit bossy. She often treats me like a nine-year-old! I can't stand it. Linda and I are very sporty. We're both interested in the same sports, so we spend a lot of time together. Linda's favorite hobby is shopping for clothes, but that's not really my thing so we don't usually go together.

I like Linda. She isn't the easiest person to get along with but we manage.

- Who is thinner, Jeremy or Jane?
- What can Jane do?
- What does Jeremy do when he has a problem?
- When was the sports day?
- Why was Jeremy proud of his sister?
- Why do they spend a lot of time together?
- What hobby don't they share?
- What is Linda's worst point in Jeremy's opinion?

2. Look at the personality adjectives that are in the box. Write them in the right column according to their meaning.

Talkative – Bossy – Messy – Cheerful – Friendly – Lazy – hardworking – polite – impatient – bad tempered

Positive Adjectives	Negative Adjectives

3. Write 5 sentences, using the vocabulary from ex 2, about you, your family or friends justifying your ideas.

Example: *I think I am **talkative** because I talk to everybody.*

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- d)
- e)

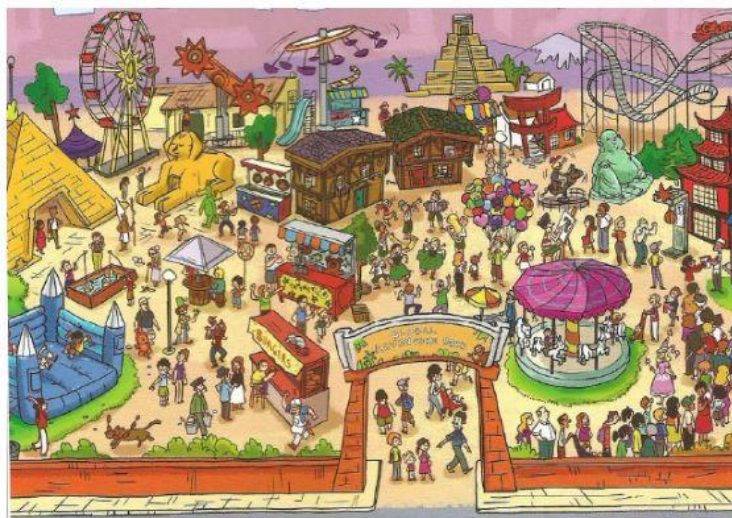
4. Use the correct tense of the verbs in parenthesis: Simple Present, Present Continuous, Simple Past or Future (going to)

- a. Every day Julie (take) the bus to go to her office.
- b. The Bank (open) at 9.30 every morning from Monday to Friday.
- c. Tom and Jake (read) the newspaper every morning on the train.
- d. At the moment she (write) a letter to a client.
- e. Today is Sunday. My parents (relax) in their garden.
- f. Last night the concert (finish) at midnight.
- g. Last Saturday was my mother's birthday, so I (make) a cake.
- h. When he was young, Jack (ride) a bike to school.
- i. Tony(buy) a new car next year.
- j. My parents(travel) to Mexico next month.

5. Ask the corresponding questions for these answers. Use different question words (wh-words).

- a).....
They usually study in the library after school for two hours.
- b).....
We are cooking chicken and rice for lunch.
- c).....
She cleaned her bedroom because her mother was angry.
- d).....
She left her office at 7 p.m.
- e).....
Sam is going to go fishing with his friends next weekend.

6. Write 5 sentences using **there was**, **there were**, **there wasn't**, **there weren't** about the picture. Use vocabulary related to an amusement park and prepositions of place (NEXT TO, BETWEEN, BEHIND, IN, ON, ETC)



- a)
- b)

- c)
- d)
- e)

7. Answer these questions about you or your family.

- a. Did you eat pizza last night?
- b. Was your mother tired yesterday? Why?
- c. What were you scared of when you were 5?
- d. What were you into when you were younger?
- e. What were you good at when you were 8?
- f. What is your mother like?
- g. What does your favorite singer look like?
- h. What do you like best about your best friend's personality? Why?

8. Write 6 sentences about the following characters. Use comparatives and superlatives.



- a)
- b)
- c)
- d)
- e)
- f)

9. Write a composition about your best friend. You have to write at least 2 paragraphs (around 80 words). Remember to use expressions (good at – be into – scared of) and describe personality and physical appearance.