

MISSING PENCIL CASE

Read the story and complete the sentences. Use 1, 2 or 3 words.

It was Tuesday morning, and Ben was getting ready for school. He put his books and lunch in his backpack and ran to the bus stop.

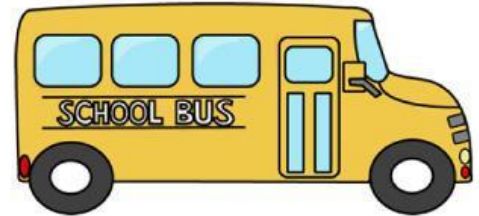
At school, the first lesson was English. Ben opened his bag — but his pencil case wasn't there! "Oh no!" he said. "Where's my pencil case?"

Ben went to school on Tuesday morning.

Ben went to school by bus.

1. His first lesson was _____.

2. Ben couldn't find his _____.



Ben looked under his desk. Nothing. He checked his bag again. Still nothing. His friend Mia helped him look. "Maybe you left it on the bus," she said.

At break time, they went to the bus with the teacher. The driver shook his head. "Sorry, I didn't see it." Ben felt sad. He needed his pencils for art class.

3. Ben first looked _____ his desk.

4. Then he went to the bus and asked the _____.

5. Ben needed his pencils for _____.



After lunch, Miss Hill said, "Ben, I found something in the classroom this morning." She held up a blue pencil case. "Is this yours?"

Ben smiled. "Yes, that's mine! Thank you!" He remembered — he had put it next to the window while talking to Mia before class.

"Next time, be careful," said Miss Hill with a smile.

"I will," said Ben. Then he drew his picture of the school garden — and it was the best one in the class!

6. Miss Hill spoke to Ben after _____.

7. Ben left the pencil case next to the _____.

8. Ben used his pencils to draw a picture of a _____.

