



1. Use the letters to write the words.

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eaepsrnpw

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The important events that journalists tell people about.

A room or a building where people work.

People can read the news in this.

A group of people have this in order to discuss problems and make decisions.

This vehicle helps stop fires.

A man who works in a company.

2. Listen and complete the notes about Thomas's birthday present.



My favourite birthday present

Present: _____

From: _____

Colour: _____

Body: _____

Can: _____

Can't: _____

How it works: _____

3. Read the article and answer the questions



Journey to school

Since he was six years old, Marco Grom has ridden 15 km every day to get to school in Patagonia.

Marco, now 14 years old, has ridden his horse, Rocinante, to school for seven years. He gets up at six o'clock every day and rides 15 km with his little sister, Pupi, behind him to the nearest school.

It takes him an hour and a half to get to school. He stays at school until two o'clock. Then he helps his parents with the animals on the farm. The Groms live in a small farm a long way from the nearest village.

Most of the other children also live on farms, but they can either walk there or they can get the school bus. Marco and Pupi can't get the bus because their farm isn't on a road. They have to ride Rocinante across the countryside to get to school.

Sometimes the weather is terrible and he and Pupi arrive late because it's snowing or there's a storm.

When he grows up, he wants to go to university and to study to be a vet so he can live and work on his parents' farm.

How old was Marco when he first rode to school?

How long does the journey to school take?

Why can't Marco and Pupi get the bus to school?

Do they ride to school in bad weather?

What does Marco want to do when he's an adult?

4. Use a square in each column to make sentences.

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| It snowed | are very cold | to school | took my umbrella | at home. | this morning. |
| We were late for | drove me | so we | because it's | before | snowing soon. |
| My hands | heavily all last night | today | was a lot | very foggy | |
| It was raining hard | sledging after school | so I | because it was | go skiing | breakfast. |
| My dad | a bad storm | on Friday | made a snowman | going to stop | skiing. |
| There was | school today | because there | go snowboarding | of snow | |
| We'll go | repairing my skis | so I'll | left my gloves | instead of | on the roads. |
| My mum is | this morning | because I | so we didn't | to school. | at the weekend. |

EX: It snowed heavily all last night, so we made a snowman before breakfast.

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