

DANCING IN CLASS

Georgia is sitting in class. Her professor is standing in front of the room. He is talking. He is talking a lot. Georgia thinks he is always talking a lot! She is finding the class a bit boring.

In Georgia's mind, she is doing something else. In Georgia's imagination, she is not sitting in the class. She is dancing on a stage in front of hundreds of people. She is wearing a beautiful costume. She is tapping. She is twirling. She is spinning on one leg.

The stage lights are shining in her eyes. She is closing her eyes and concentrating on the music. She is having so much fun! Her heart is beating fast.

The music is changing. She is changing costumes. Now she is dancing again. She is kicking her feet. She is leaping. She is flying through the air.

Soon, she is finishing her show. The audience is standing on their feet. They are clapping and shouting, "Bravo! Bravo!" Georgia is taking a bow. Georgia is smiling for the cameras. "Bravo! Bravo!" She is having so much fun!

"Georgia?"

Georgia's classmates are staring at her.

"Georgia?" her professor is saying, looking at her with concern. He is not teaching anymore.

"Yes?" Georgia is feeling a bit embarrassed. Her cheeks are getting red.

"Are you feeling okay? You are shouting 'Bravo! Bravo!' in the class."

"Oh, yes, professor. Sorry. I am just enjoying the class so much! Bravo! Bravo!"

A) Read the description and write down what it is. Use the box below for help.

class – room – eyes – show – stage – camera – costume – heart – bow – concern

1. It is a closed space inside a building. _____
2. You use them to see. You can close them. _____
3. It is a place where students learn things. _____
4. You use it to take pictures. _____
5. It is like worry. You can feel it for someone. _____
6. It is an open, flat space for giving performances. _____
7. It pumps blood around your entire body. _____
8. It is away to bend down to say thank you. _____
9. You wear it for a performance or for fun. _____
10. It is a performance, a concert, or a TV program. _____

B) The following sentences are all mixed up. Put the words in the correct order to make a logical sentence.

1. audience feet The there is on standing.

2. at are Georgia's classmates her staring.

3. leg on She spinning is one.

C) Answer the following questions.

1. Where is Georgia? What is she doing?

2. How is Georgia feeling about the professor's lesson?

3. What is Georgia doing in her imagination?

4. Why does Georgia say she is shouting "Bravo!" in the class?
