

Lesson 10 Helen learns to spell

1 Read Multiple choice

Look at the multiple choice questions below about Helen Keller. Choose the best response **a** **b** or **c**.

1 Who was Helen Keller?

a Someone who was blind and deaf **b** an author **c** both **a** and **b**

2 Helen came from

a a small farm town **b** Alabama **c** both **a** and **b**

3 Helen Keller couldn't

a talk **b** see or hear **c** both **a** and **b**

2 Read and write

Read Parts 2 to 4 of the biography of Helen Keller again and decide if these sentences are **true (T)** or **false (F)**.

1 Helen's teacher taught her words by letting her touch objects as well as spell them.

2 Helen learned to speak when she was 20 years old.

3 Helen learned to read several other languages.

4 Helen studied at a very good university.

5 When she wrote her first book, people could only read it in English.

3 Read Order of events

Complete the sentences with a number from the box. Then put the sentences about Helen's life in the order they happened.

12	100	7	10
18	30	20	39

a When she was _____, she went to university. _____

b Helen was born over 100 years ago. 1

c When she was _____ years old, her parents found her a good teacher. _____

d When she was _____ months old, she lost her sight and hearing. _____

e When she was _____, Helen learned to speak. _____

f Helen met _____ US presidents. _____

g One day she learned _____ new words with her teacher.