

# READING PRACTICE

## Part 4

- 7 questions -

Read the story. Choose a word from the box. Write the correct word next to numbers 1–6. There is one example.

Last week our class went to a farm in the .....*countryside*..... for the day.

It was a beautiful (1) ..... day and everyone talked and

(2) ..... on the bus.

The farm was next to a big field with (3) ..... in it. We were

all very hungry, so we had a picnic next to a lake. In the afternoon, the

(4) ..... showed us his dog, Sam. Sam helped him find the

sheep and we helped feed the chickens. Then we saw some horses and we

wanted to ride them, but they were very (5) .....

Before we caught the bus home we went to the farm shop, I bought a present for my sister.

Today at school our teacher told us to (6) ..... stories about our day on the farm. This is mine!

**(7) Now choose the best name for the story.**

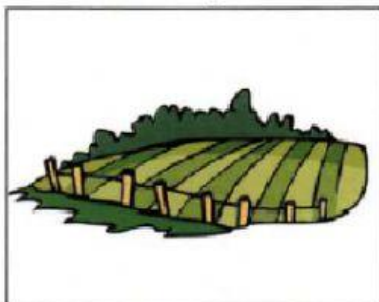
**Tick one box.**

The farmer's day ☐

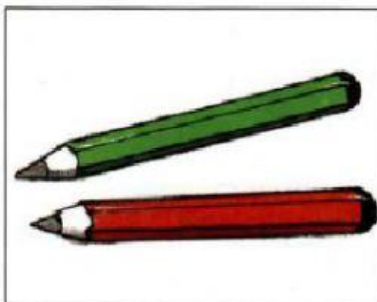
How animals live ☐

Going to the farm ☐

example



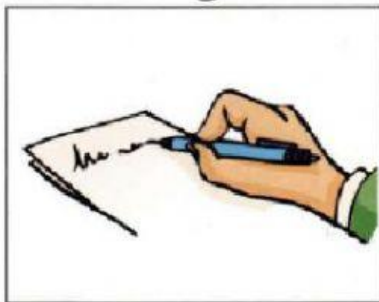
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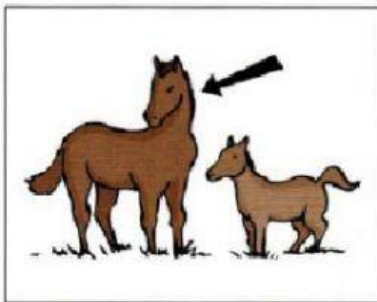
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farmer



write



big



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vegetables



sunny

## Part 5

- 10 questions -

Look at the pictures and read the story. Write some words to complete the sentences about the story. You can use 1, 2 or 3 words.

### Tom's birthday



My name's Tom and yesterday it was my birthday. I was nine and I got a lot of presents. Mum took pictures when I opened them. I got a red football and a blue sweater, my favourite colour! But my favourite present was a new bike. It's great. My old bike was small so I didn't like it.

## Examples

Yesterday it was ..... *Tom's* ..... birthday.

Tom was ..... *nine* ..... years old.

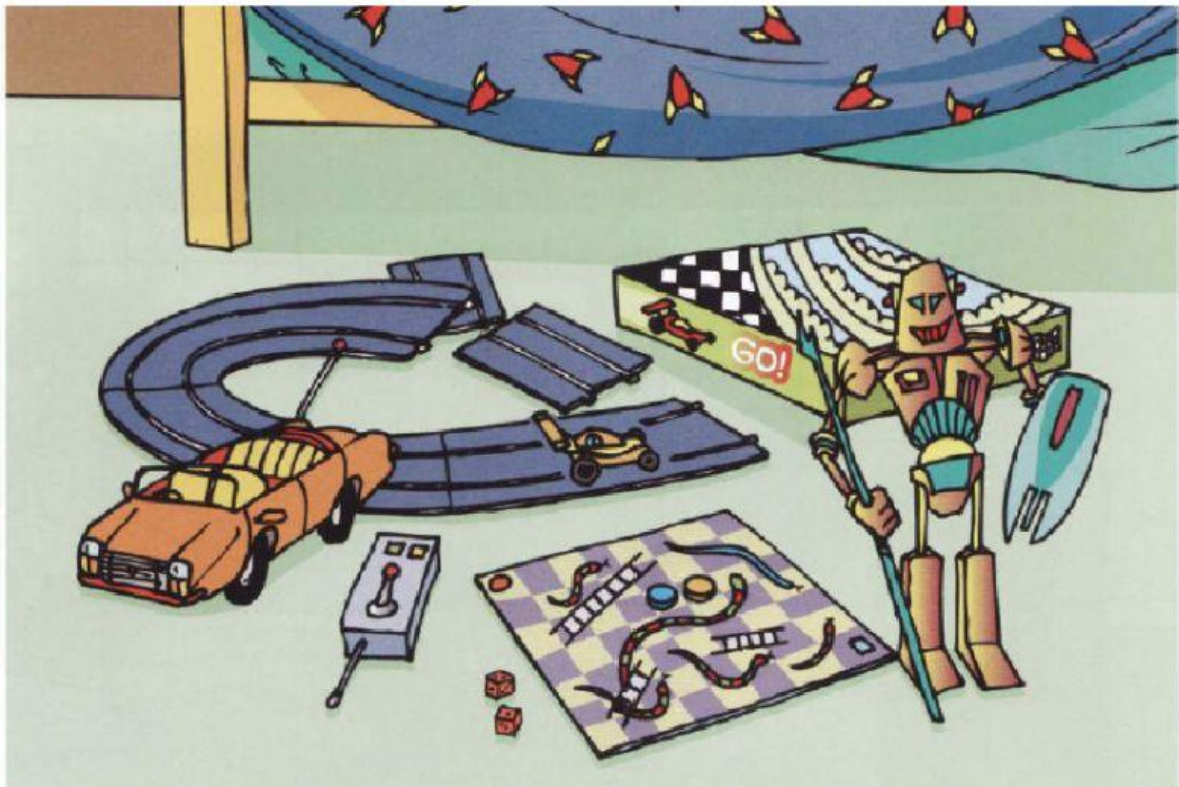
## Questions

- 1 Tom's Mum ..... pictures when Tom opened his presents.
- 2 One of Tom's presents was a red .....
- 3 Tom didn't like his old bike because it was .....



So after school I went to the swimming pool with three friends. When we got there we didn't want to swim at first because the water was very cold, but when we did we had great fun. Then Mum shouted, 'Time to go home!' so we had a shower and got dressed quickly.

- 4 After school Tom went to the swimming pool with .....
- 5 At first the water was cold so they ..... to swim.
- 6 When they got out of the pool they went for a ..... before they got dressed.



Then we went to my house and played games in my bedroom. When we went into the kitchen, there was a beautiful big cake on the table. I liked the clown on the top! We ate the cake and played again and then at nine o'clock my friends said goodbye. It was nice but next year I'd like a big party so all my friends can come!

- 7 When they got to Tom's house they ..... in his bedroom.
- 8 Downstairs in ..... there was a nice cake on the table.
- 9 It was ..... when Tom's friends left his house.
- 10 Tom wants to have ..... with all his friends next year.

