



Week 2

English Mastery

Primary 2

The Write Tribe

ACCIDENT IN THE CANTEEN

PART 1

MATCH THE IDIOMS

Don't cry over spilt milk

Learn from your past mistakes

Bolt from the blue

Accomplish two things with one action

It's better to be safe than sorry

Better be careful now than regret later

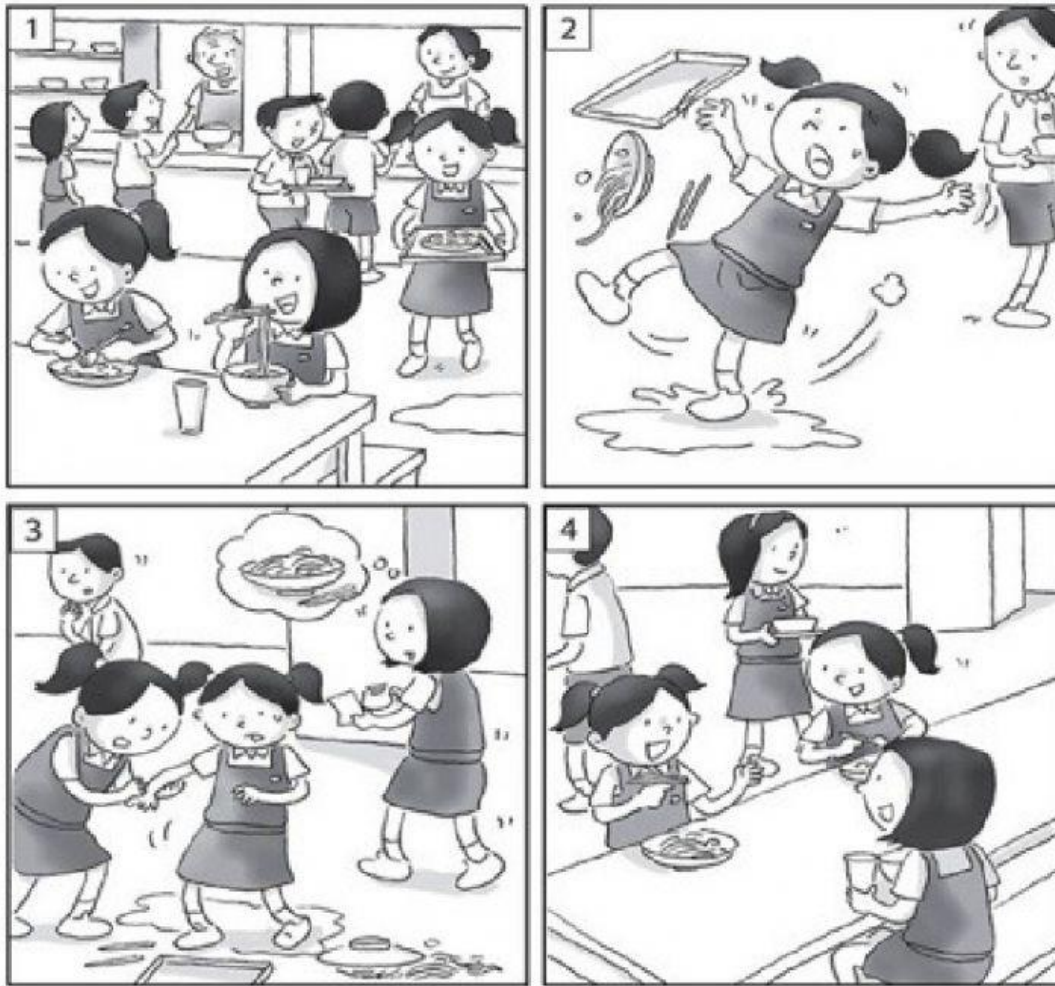
Live and learn

Out of nowhere

Kill two birds with one stone

No use crying over something that can't be changed

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Let's go through the words!		
canteen	aroma	puddle
recess bell	food stalls	rumbling
famished	packed like sardines	vendor
slipped		

word/phrase	meaning
Canteen	
Aroma	
Puddle	
Recess bell	
Food stalls	

A place to take your meals	small pool of water	good smell of food
a bell that rings to tell you it's time for recess		small shops that sell food in the canteen

word/phrase	meaning
Rumbling	
Packed like sardines	
Vendor	
Famished	
Slipped	

Very hungry	crowded	slide and fall by accident
The sound your tummy makes when you are hungry		Person who sells food at a food stall

Fill in the blanks

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1. I haven't eaten since morning and I cannot wait to eat. I was feeling _____.
2. I was feeling so famished that my stomach _____ loud enough for the whole school to hear.
3. Finally, the _____ rang telling us it is time to eat!
4. We rushed to the _____ to eat.
5. The canteen was so crowded that it was _____.
6. Delicious _____ of yummy food filled my nose.

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7. There were many _____ selling all kinds of sumptuous food.
8. I ordered a bowl of piping hot noodle soup from the _____ at the food stall. She is always friendly and nice. I also ordered my favourite ice lemon tea.
9. As I was carrying my bowl of soup, I was scared my favourite seat would be taken. To kill two birds with one stone, I decided to carry both the bowl and the iced tea. However, I didn't notice a _____ of water on the floor.
10. Like a bolt from the blue, I _____ and fell. My bowl of noodles splashed on the floor and I had no food to eat. I learnt not to cry over spilt milk. I will never make the mistake again. I lived and learnt that it is better to be safe than sorry.