



Janey is looking for old newspapers. Early on Friday mornings, she takes them from every room in the house. Then later, the newspaper recycling truck arrives.

Janey opens Harry's door and looks into his room. She always takes his old newspapers or bottles for recycling.

"Ah!" she thinks. "There's a newspaper under Harry's bed."



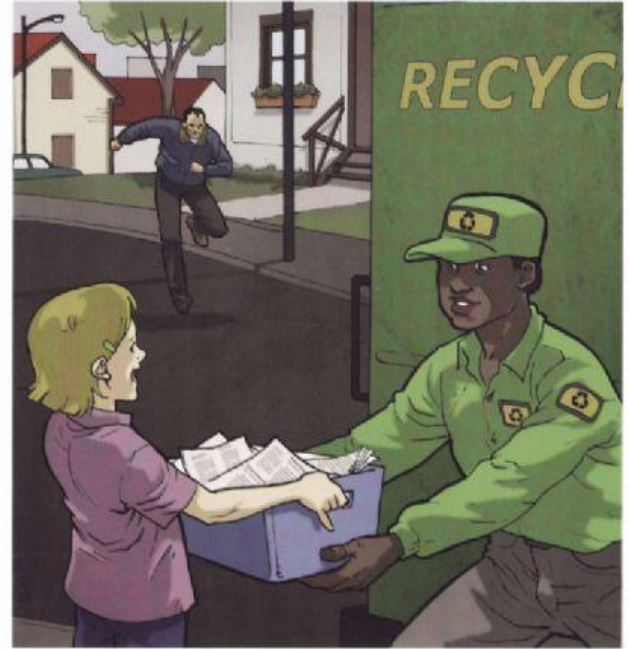
Janey puts the old newspapers into a black recycling box. She runs from the house and sees the truck.

"Wait!" she says. And she quickly gives the box to one of the men.

Harry is coming back to the house. He sees the recycling truck, and he sees Janey.

"It's Friday!" he says. "The newspaper—! Oh, no!"

Harry **chases** after the truck.



**chase** /tʃeɪs/ (v/n) The police are *chasing* two men in a blue car.

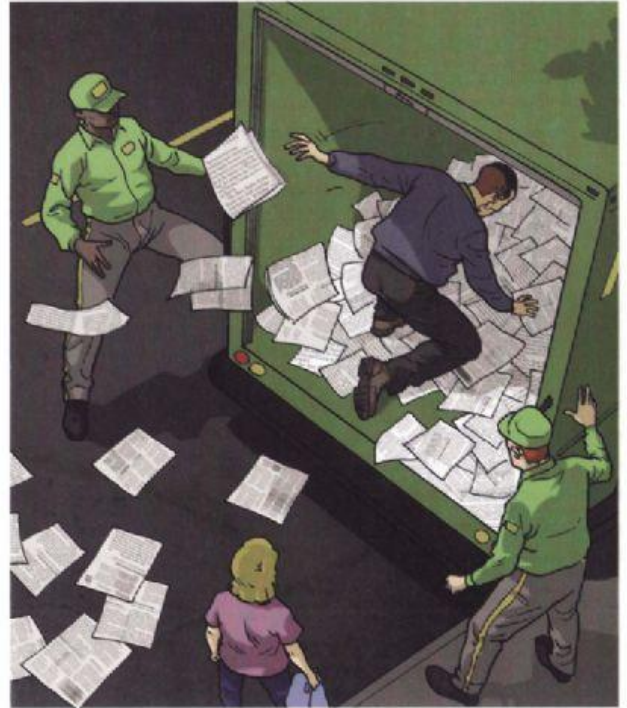


"Wait! Wait!" he says.  
Janey watches him. "What *is* he doing?" she thinks.  
Harry **jump**s into the back of the truck.  
"I want my newspaper!" he says. "Where's my newspaper?"  
But there are thousands of newspapers in the truck.



jump /dʒʌmp/ (v) Can you *jump* from the chair onto the table?

Janey walks quickly from the house to the truck.  
"Why is your newspaper important, Harry?" she asks. "It's two days old."  
But Harry doesn't hear her. He is thinking, "My million-dollar painting! Where is it?"



dollar /ˈdɒlə/ (n) Two coffees? That's four dollars, please.

3.1 Right or wrong?

Look at your answers to Activity 2.4 on page 9. Then find the right answers to the questions.

- 1 Where is the painting on Friday morning?
  - a At the Ritesville Art Gallery.
  - b Under Harry's bed.
- 2 Who goes into Harry's room?
  - a Janey Allen.
  - b Mrs. Allen.
- 3 What does Janey put in a recycling box?
  - a Old bottles.
  - b Old newspapers.
- 4 Why does Harry jump into the back of the recycling truck?
  - a He wants the painting.
  - b He wants some newspapers.
- 5 Who asks Harry an important question?
  - a A newspaper reporter.
  - b Janey Allen.

3.2 What more did you learn?

Circle the right answer.

- a Monday / Wednesday / Friday is recycling day for newspapers in Ritesville.
- b Janey's recycling box is red / black / green.
- c Harry sees Janey and the recycling truck. He is unhappy / quiet / happy.
- d Harry chases after the recycling truck slowly / suddenly / often.
- e There are one or two / not any / thousands of newspapers in the truck.
- f The newspapers are new / old / small.
- g Janey understands / chases after / talks to Harry.
- h The painting from the Ritesville Art Gallery is very expensive / old / heavy.

3.3 Language in use

Look at the sentence on the right. Then write sentences under the pictures.

What are they doing?



1 Janey is looking for old newspapers.



2 She ..... under Harry's bed.



3 Janey ..... to the recycling truck.



4 The men ..... the newspapers into the truck.



5 Harry ..... the recycling truck.



6 Janey ..... a question.

3.4 What happens next?

What do you think? Who and what are problems for Harry now? Check (✓) them.

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|------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|--------------------------|
| 1 Mrs. Allen           | <input type="checkbox"/> | 5 the TV reporter   | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 2 Janey                | <input type="checkbox"/> | 6 the recycling men | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 3 the man from Seattle | <input type="checkbox"/> | 7 his shoes         | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 4 the police           | <input type="checkbox"/> | 8 some blue glass   | <input type="checkbox"/> |



The men from the recycling truck are watching Harry, too. But now Janey is looking at Harry's shoe.

"There's some blue glass in Harry's shoe," Janey thinks. "Where—? Oh!"

Suddenly, she **remembers** the photo of the blue glass vase on the TV. She looks again at the piece of glass in Harry's shoe.

"Is it from the vase in the art gallery?" she thinks. "Is Harry Black the thief?"

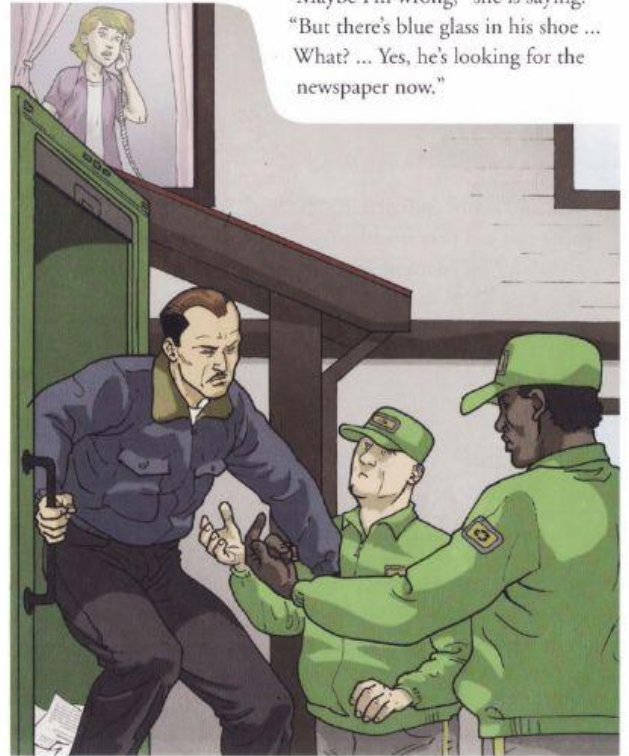


**remember** /rɪ'membə/ (v) He *remembers* his mother, but not his father.

The men from the recycling truck are angry. "We're going now," they are saying. "We're late." "But I want my newspaper!" Harry says.

In the house, Janey is talking to the police on the telephone.

"Maybe I'm wrong," she is saying. "But there's blue glass in his shoe ... What? ... Yes, he's looking for the newspaper now."





Two policemen arrive quickly. "Let's look at your shoe," they say to Harry.

Harry doesn't understand. "What's wrong?" he asks.

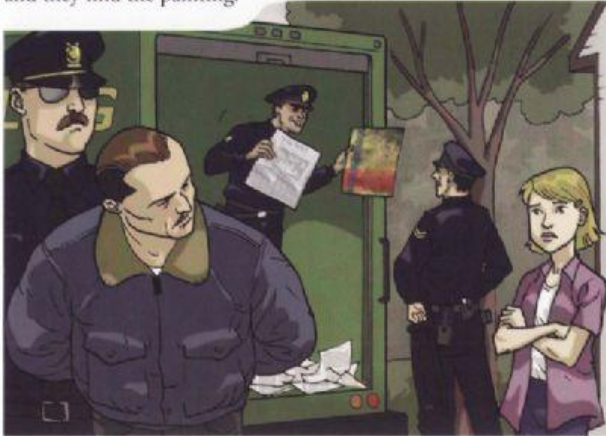
One of the policemen takes the glass from Harry's shoe.

"This is a very expensive piece of glass," he says.

"From a very expensive vase. Remember?"

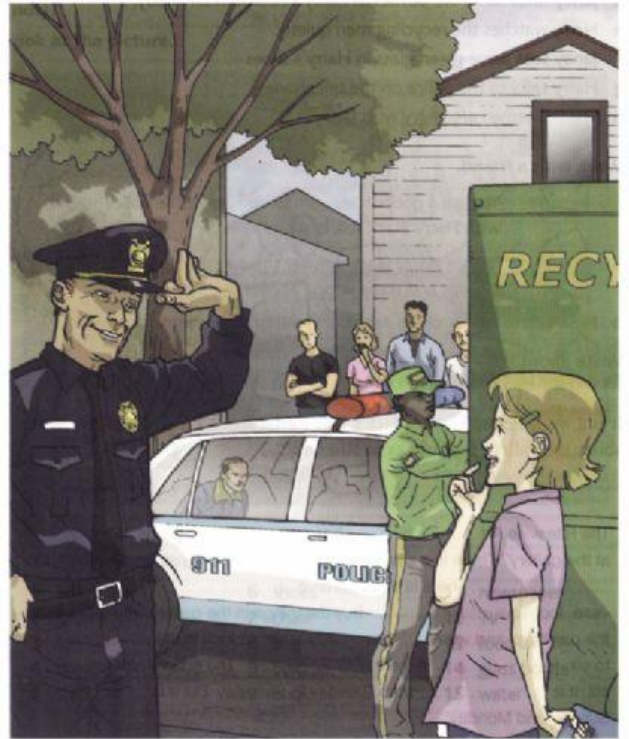
Suddenly, Harry understands. "Oh, no!" he says.

Police cars and policemen arrive. The men look in the truck for the million-dollar painting. Later, they find the right newspaper—and they find the painting.



"Good work, Janey," one of the policemen says. "And there's a reward."

"Maybe I can buy a painting with the reward!" Janey says. "I like pictures!"



reward /in/'wɔ:rd/ (n) They are looking for the child. There is a \$20,000 reward.

**1 Talk to two or three friends. Why are the sentences wrong?**

- a Harry Black has a job at the Ritesville Art Gallery.  
*He doesn't have a job there. He's a thief.*
- b He takes a new painting and a beautiful vase from the gallery.
- c Harry gives the painting to Mrs. Allen. She puts it in her kitchen.
- d Janey finds some old bottles in Harry's bedroom on Friday.
- e Harry watches the recycling men quietly.
- f Janey sees some green glass in Harry's shoes.
- g Harry talks to the police on the telephone.
- h The policemen are angry with Janey.

**2 Work with a friend.**

**Student A:** You are a policeman/woman. You are at the police station with Harry Black. Ask him questions.

**Student B:** You are Harry Black. Answer the questions. Give some right answers and some wrong answers.

Write about it

It is a week before Harry Black's visit to the Ritesville Art Gallery. Write about the gallery for visitors to Ritesville.

**RITESVILLE: A Beautiful Town!**

The Ritesville Art Gallery has many important things. What is new at the gallery? There is a small .....-dollar painting in a beautiful ..... There is an expensive ..... vase, too. You ..... buy the things in the gallery. You can see the paintings and vases ..... ten o'clock in the ..... to six ..... in the ..... The gallery closes ..... six. It is ..... from Tuesday to Saturday. But it is ..... on Sunday and Monday. .... to Ritesville and visit our beautiful art gallery!

"Green" people like recycling. They think about problems with our trees, oceans, rivers, and food.

**Work with two or three friends.**

- 1 Talk about the questions. Is recycling important, do you think? Why (not)?
- 2 Look at the picture.



- a Write the numbers on the things in the picture.
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| 1 bike  | 6 shoes | 11 newspaper    |
| 2 boat  | 7 chair | 12 TV           |
| 3 car   | 8 bag   | 13 food         |
| 4 dress | 9 box   | 14 glass bottle |
| 5 shirt | 10 book | 15 water        |
- b Can we recycle them? How can we recycle them? Talk about it.

**3 Write and ask questions.**

- a Write six questions for your friends about recycling. Do they do it? What? When? Where? How?

**Recycling questions**

What do people in your house recycle?

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- b Now talk to ten students. Ask your questions and write the answers.

**4 Be a reporter! Write about recycling.**

Recycling

Ten students recycle glass bottles every week. A recycling truck comes to their house

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