

Reading

1 Describe what is happening in the picture.

2 Listen and read.  16

The Concert

The park is full of people.
This is a special day.
A very famous orchestra
Is playing here today.

We've got a picnic blanket
And our favourite things to eat:
Biscuits, cakes and sandwiches.
This is a lovely treat.

We hear the trumpets calling
And we hear the cymbals clang.
We hear the flutes and violins.
We hear the big drums bang.

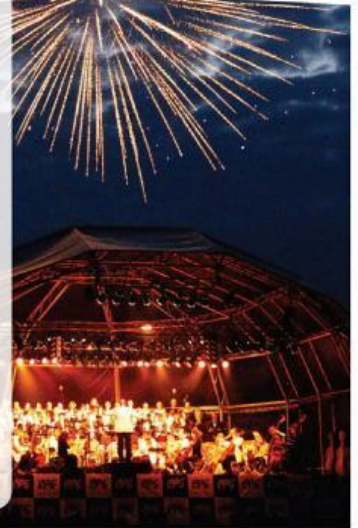
When each piece is finished,
The people clap and cheer.
The music is amazing.
We're happy to be here.

And now it's early evening,
The sky is getting dark.
The lights from little torches
Are shining in the park.

The concert's nearly over,
The music's very loud.
Now fireworks shoot into the sky
And burst above the crowd.

This is the perfect concert.
This is the perfect day.
It's time to leave the park now,
But I really want to stay.

We all pack up our picnics
And we all go home to bed.
I fall asleep, but I still hear
The music in my head.



3 Underline these words in the text. Guess their meanings and then check them in the Workbook 4 Dictionary (page 132).

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4 Read again and match the questions and answers.

1 Where is the concert?

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a Fireworks shoot into the sky.

2 What is making a clanging sound?

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b The drums.

3 What is making a banging sound?

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c At the end of each piece of music.

4 When do people clap and cheer?

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d In the park.

5 What happens near the end of the concert?

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e The cymbals.

Listening

1 Listen and number. 17



2 Listen again and write Lisa, Dan, Ben or Kate.

1 _____ saw a band in the park last weekend.

2 _____ and his sister went to a concert last month.

3 _____ wants to be a famous musician.

4 _____ practises every day.

Speaking

3 Choose a girl. Ask and answer with your friend.

	Fiona	Susan	Pam	Liz
can play the piano	✓	✗	✓	✗
can play the drums	✗	✗	✗	✓
likes singing	✓	✗	✓	✓
likes classical music	✗	✓	✓	✗
like pop music	✓	✓	✗	✓

Can she play the piano?

No, she can't.

Does she like classical music?

Yes, she does.

It's Susan!

That's right! Your turn!

4 Ask and answer about you.

Can you play an instrument?

No, I can't. But I want to play the guitar.

Writing preparation

To spell verbs in the **present continuous**, **double the last letter** when the word has one syllable, one short vowel and ends in a consonant.

stop **stopping**

5 Circle the verbs that follow the double consonant rule.

1 drink drinking

2 clap clapping

3 play playing

4 watch watching

5 tap tapping

6 open opening

Complete the writing tasks on pages 18–19 of the Workbook.

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