

# Reading comprehension and activities: *Carnival*

1. Add one colour to complete the sentences:

- a. The London bus is \_\_\_\_\_.
- b. Mel wears a \_\_\_\_\_ dress.
- c. Maria wears a \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ costume.
- d. The balloons are \_\_\_\_\_.
- e. The policeman's uniform is \_\_\_\_\_.
- f. When the policeman finds Jake with the tourist's camera, Jake's face goes \_\_\_\_\_.

2. Answer the questions using **full sentences**.

- a. Where does Jake live?  
\_\_\_\_\_

- b. How does Jake travel to the carnival?  
\_\_\_\_\_

- c. What is the first famous place he sees on the bus?  
\_\_\_\_\_

- d. What do the people in the carnival carry?  
\_\_\_\_\_

- e. Does Maria give Jake her phone number? (Also: explain why/why not!)  
\_\_\_\_\_

- f. Whose camera does Jake take?  
\_\_\_\_\_

- g. Who does Jake think of when he is in trouble?  
\_\_\_\_\_

3. ODD ONE OUT - Guess which **one** of four items does not belong and why it does not belong!

- a. EXAMPLE: Notting Hill, Euston, Manchester

ANSWER: Notting Hill and Euston are areas in London. Manchester is the odd one out, because it is a city in England.

b. costume, feathers, float

Answer: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

c. listening to music, dancing, stealing cameras

Answer: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

d. drums, T-shirt, bands

Answer: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

e. bench, float, procession

Answer: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

f. policeman, doctor, sergeant

Answer: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

4. Match the word to its meaning.

balloons      drum      wave      costume      feather      map

a. It is a musical instrument.

\_\_\_\_\_

b. To call someone with your hand.

\_\_\_\_\_

c. It guides you round a town.

\_\_\_\_\_

d. Something light which covers a bird's body.

\_\_\_\_\_

e. They are light and have air in them.

\_\_\_\_\_

f. Special clothes used at festival occasions.

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