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Cambridge Young Learners English  
**Starters**  
**Reading & Writing**  
Sample Paper



**CAMBRIDGE ENGLISH**  
Language Assessment  
Part of the University of Cambridge

There are 25 questions.

You have 20 minutes.

You will need a pen or pencil.

My name is: .....

## Part 1

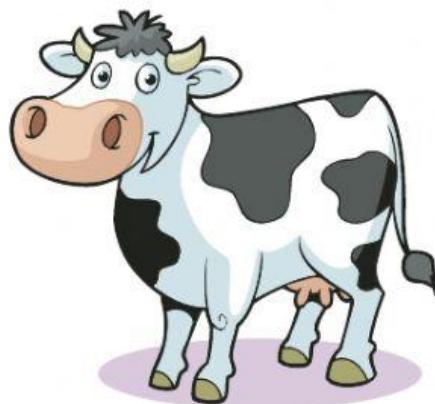
– 5 questions –

Look and read. Put a tick (✓) or a cross (✗) in the box.  
There are two examples.

### Examples



This is a flower.

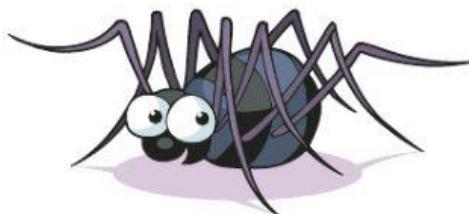


This is a goat.



### Questions

1



This is a lizard.



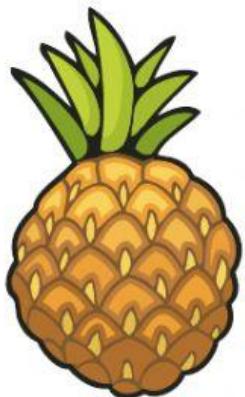
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This is a bike.



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This is a pineapple.



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This is a television.



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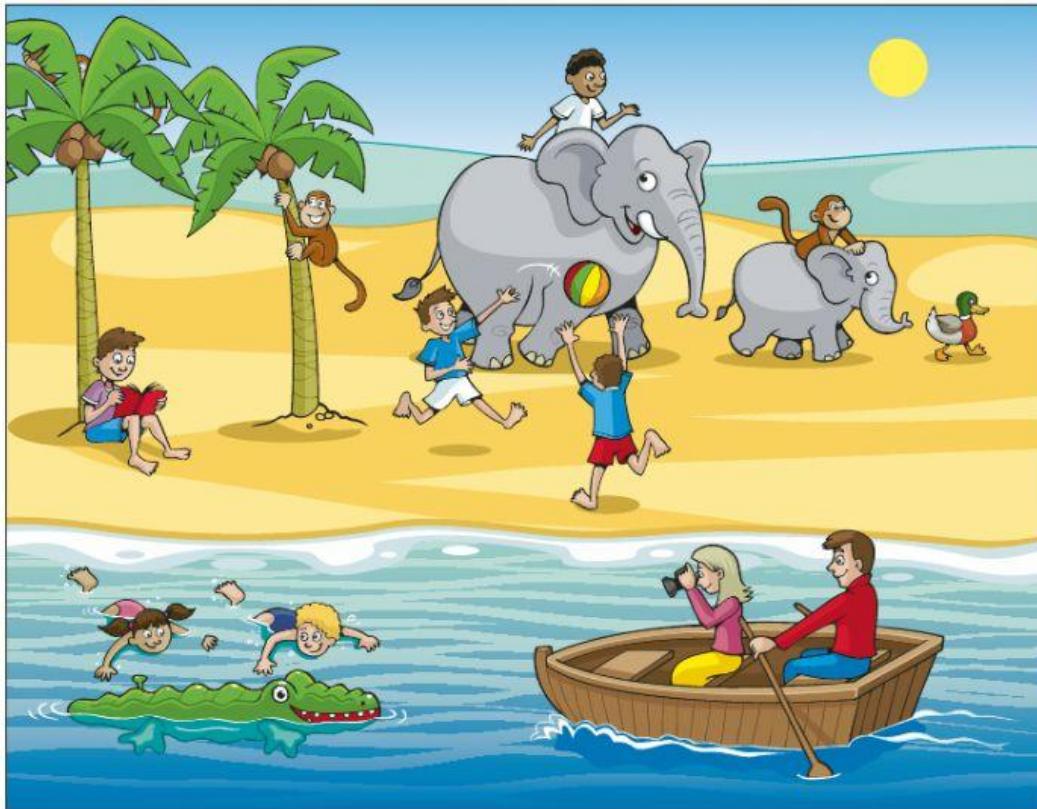
This is a guitar.



## Part 2

– 5 questions –

Look and read. Write yes or no.



### Examples

A boy is reading a book. .... yes

A monkey is sitting on the big elephant. .... no

### Questions

1 There are two children in the sea. ....

2 The duck is walking behind the two elephants. ....

3 The girls are playing with a ball. ....

4 The woman in the boat has got a camera. ....

5 The crocodile is eating a coconut. ....

## Part 3

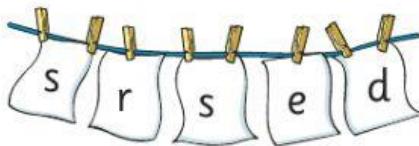
– 5 questions –

Look at the pictures. Look at the letters. Write the words.

Example



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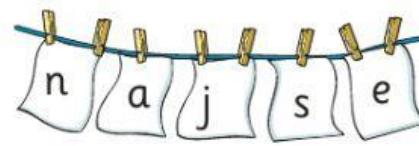


Questions

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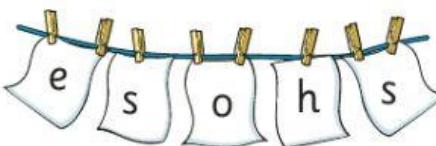
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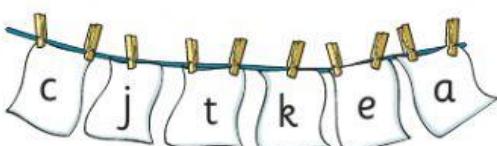
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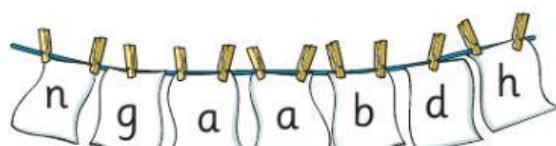
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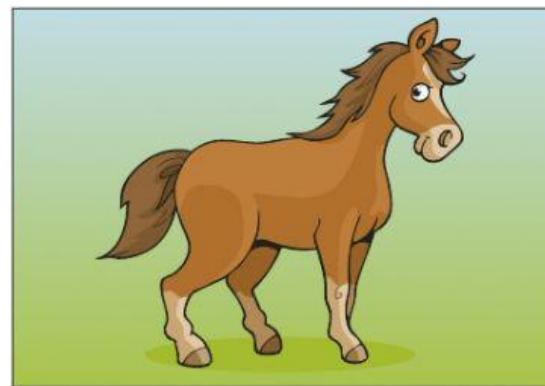


## Part 4

– 5 questions –

Read this. Choose a word from the box. Write the correct word next to numbers 1–5. There is one example.

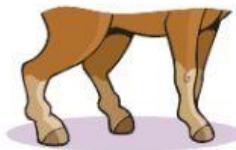
### A horse



I've got four ..... legs ..... , two ears, two eyes and long  
(1) ..... on my head. I'm a big animal. I don't live in  
a (2) ..... or a garden. I like eating  
(3) ..... and apples. I drink (4) ..... .  
A woman, a (5) ..... or a child can ride me.

What am I? I am a horse.

#### example



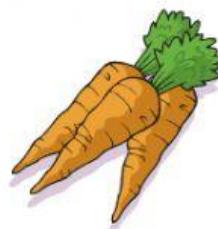
legs



hippo



water



carrots



hair



man



house

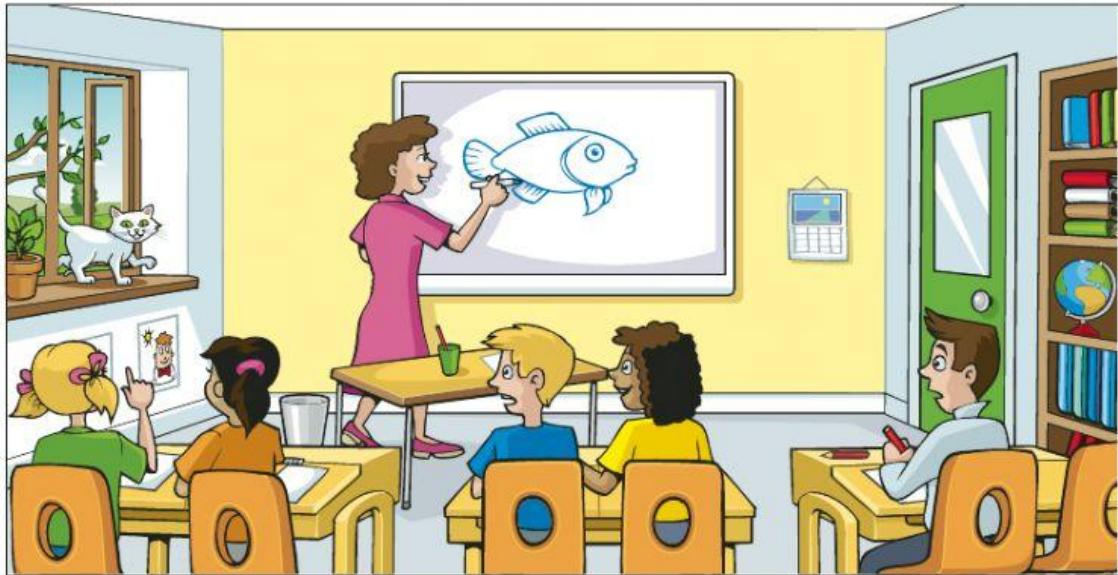


piano

## Part 5

– 5 questions –

Look at the pictures and read the questions. Write one-word answers.



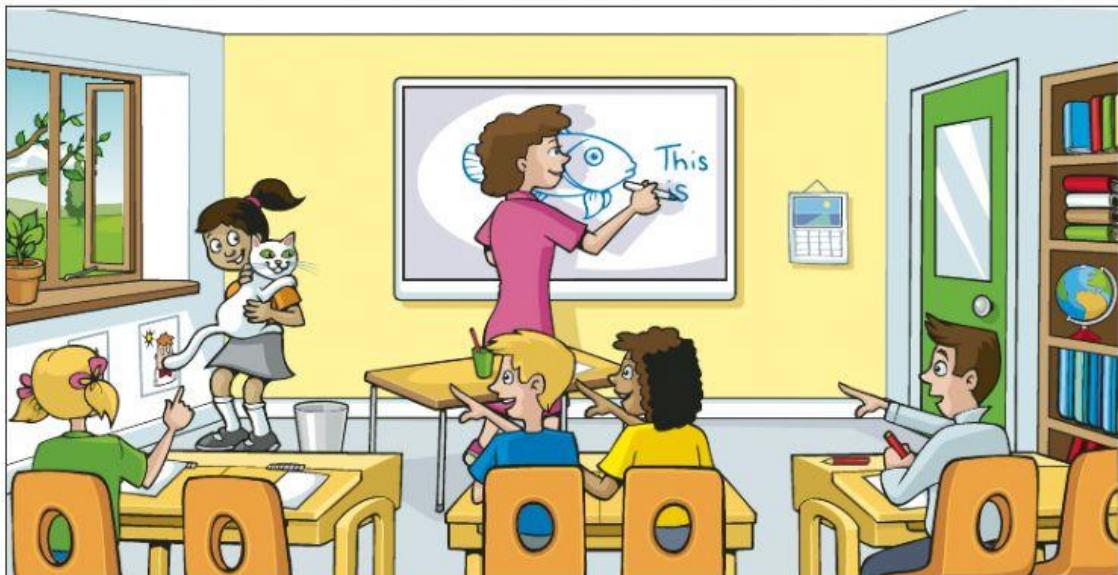
### Examples

Where are the children? in the ..... classroom

What colour is the cat? ..... white

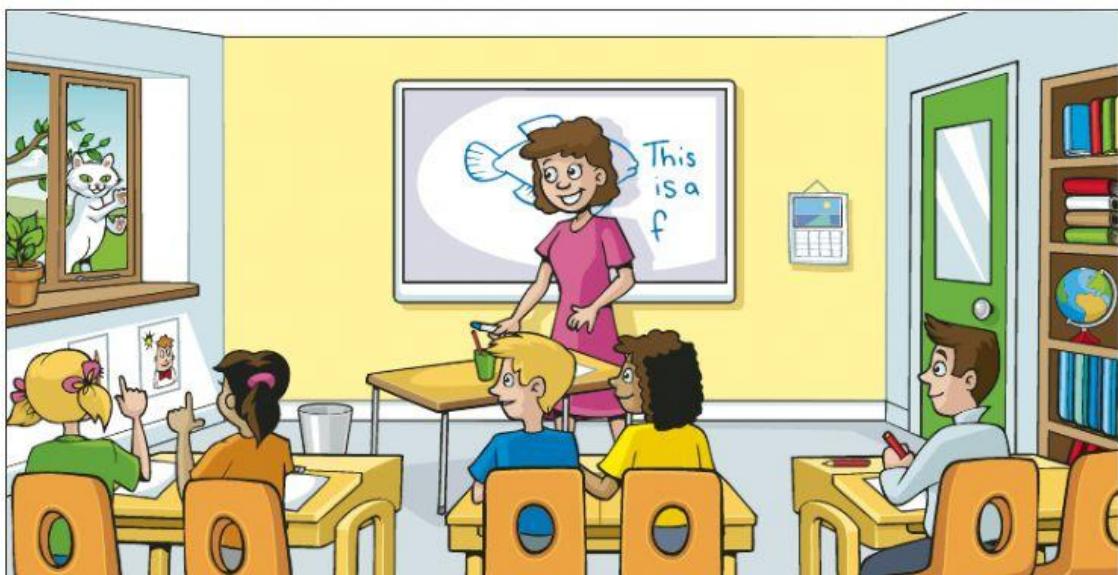
### Questions

1 What is the teacher drawing? a .....



2 Who is holding the cat? a .....

3 What is the teacher doing now? .....



4 Where is the cat now? at the .....

5 How many children are looking at the cat? .....