

THE PICNIC

Read the story and complete the sentences. Use 1, 2 or 3 words.

Clare and Peter lived in a small flat. On Sundays, the family always went to the park to play different games, because they didn't have a garden.

Last Sunday morning, Mum said, "Let's take a picnic too, today!" she made eight cheese sandwiches and Dad went shopping. He bought some grapes, salad leaves and four small fruit pies from the supermarket. They drove to the park at one o'clock.

1. Clare and Peter's family went to the park every Sunday.
2. Last Sunday, Mum made eight sandwiches to put in the picnic.
3. Dad bought some drinks and more food from _____.
4. It was _____ when the family got in their car to go to the park.



They played badminton and then sat down on some grass next to the lake. The family always enjoyed eating outside and everyone was hungry. They ate seven of the sandwiches and all four fruit pies first.

5. After their game of _____, they sat down on some grass.
6. The family had some sandwiches and the _____ first.



Then some pretty little birds flew down to their picnic rug. "They're hungry too," said Clare and gave them three grapes and some salad leaves but the birds didn't eat them.

Then one of the birds flew on to Mum's shoulder. She looked at it and said, "Oh, OK!" and gave the birds the last cheese sandwich! They loved it!

"How did you know that?" Clare asked. Mum smiled but didn't say anything. "Mothers understand all kinds of things!" Dad said. "You are brilliant, Mum!" Peter and Clare said.

- 7 The birds didn't want any grapes or _____.
8. _____ gave the last sandwich to the birds.
9. Peter and Clare think their mother is _____!

