

Reading Made Simple

Level 2

Name _____

ck



Underline the letters 'ck' in red. Then read the passage.

ck

Jack and Sid went to play football. They ran up the track to the park. Jack kicked the black ball to Sid. Sid missed the ball. It struck a tree and got stuck. "We can't play football now," said Jack.

"We can get the ball," said Sid. "Help me to rock the tree."

The boys rocked the tree but the ball didn't fall down.

Just then a big truck came along the road. It was Frank. "Can I help you, lads?" he asked.

"The ball is stuck in the tree," said Jack. Frank rocked the tree and the ball fell down. The boys said thank you to Frank. They had a quick snack and then went back home.

Now answer these questions with a sentence.

1. What did Sid and Jack Play?

Sid and Jack _____

2. Where did they play football?

They played football _____

3. Where did the ball get stuck?

The ball got stuck _____

4. Who was in the truck?

5. What did Frank say?

6. How did Frank get the ball down?

Write the short way of saying these words. You will find them in the story.

can not _____

did not _____

Verbs are **doing words**. They show action.

Here are some verbs:

went play kicks miss struck get fall

Write them into these sentences.

1. Tom _____ the ball to Sid.
2. I will _____ you when you go.
3. Can you _____ me a drink please?
4. We _____ to the park.
5. The ball _____ a tree.
6. Humpty Dumpty had a big _____.
7. Will you _____ with me?

Verbs again

Verbs change depending on when they happened.

If they have already happened then we say that they are in the past.

Read these sentences.

I kick the ball. (I am doing it now)

Yesterday, I kicked the ball.

(I did it yesterday)

I miss the bus.

I missed the bus.

I play with my dog.

I played with my dog.

To do:

Underline the verbs with '**ed**' in the story on page 4.

More Verbs

Choose the right word to complete the sentences.

lifted cooked rocked knocked
locked looked packed jumped

1. Mum _____ the tea.
2. Alfred _____ off the step.
3. Jack _____ the lid of the paint tin.
5. Frank _____ his rucksack.
6. Nan _____ the baby.
7. Alfred _____ the van.
8. Liz _____ the jug over.

jacket ticket pocket

Write a sentence containing these three words.

Read these words in their lists:

pocket

jacket

ticket

rocket

packet

cricket

socket

Can you hear how they rhyme. See how the words in each group are spelt the same way too. Not all words that rhyme are spelt the same way, but it can help us to spell more words.

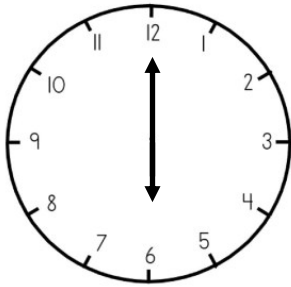
Choose words from above to complete these sentences.

1. Sid put the sweets in his _____.

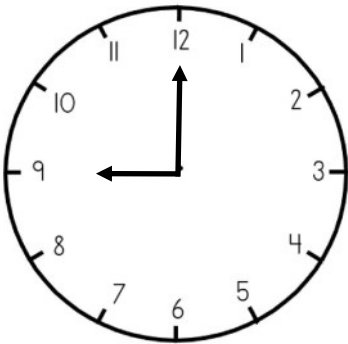
2. Liz has a brand new blue _____.

3. Bill gets a _____ to go on the train.

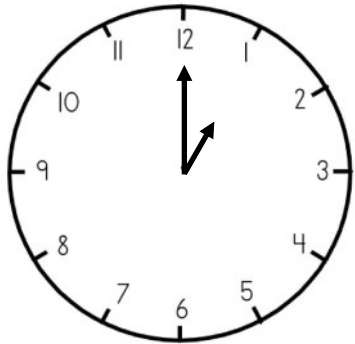
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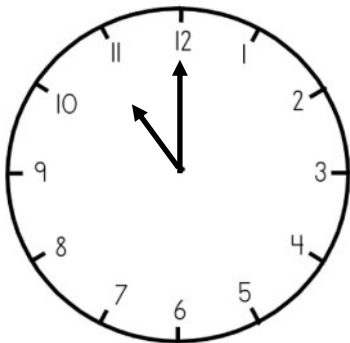
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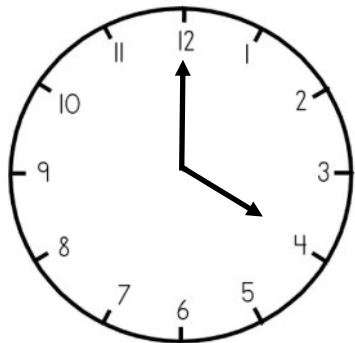
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