

SUMMARIZING Forgotten Homework

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Monday was the day Sonja's favorite T,V, show was on, It didn' end until 10:30pm. She couldn't miss it, so she stayed up late, it was so difficult for her to wake up early the next morning. Tuesday Sonja had tumbling practice at 7:00pm. Then she had to eat supper, take her dog for a walk and do homework. It was nearly 11:00pm when she went to bed.

Wednesday and Thursday Sonja was exhausted all day at school. It made it challenging to learn. She told herself 8:30pm would be her bedtime. She didn't know her aunt and uncle were coming to visit.

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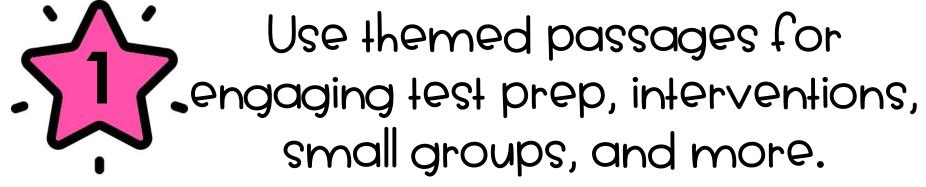
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Jojo couldn't wait for the new school year to start! He had all the supplies he needed and even



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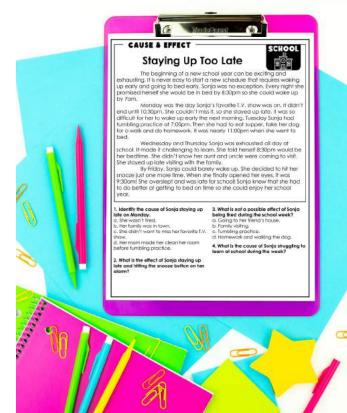
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MAKING INFERENCES

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The Night Before School

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- 3. Which inference is not correct about Marshall I paragraph three?

 a. Morshall didn't care if he was late on the first day of school.

 b. Marshall was extra careful about setting his
- larm. . Being late was not something Marshall wanted o experience.
- d. Marshall took precautions to not be late.
- 4. What inferences can you make about Marshal
- in paragraph four? a. He was late, even though he checked his alarr
- b. Marshall was happy to go to science class.
- d. He didn't have a great first day.

Highlight or underline evidence in the text that supports your answer for question #4.

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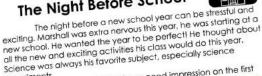
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PARTNERS & **GROUP ACTIVITIES**

GRADED **ASSIGNMENT**

Forgotten Homework

Gettina back into a routine can be challenging. lunter had been having a hard time since school started a couple weeks gao. He was struggling to go to bed early enough, get up early and remember to do his homework each night. It was even more challenging because he played football, He was even forgetting his football equipment which meant he had to sit out of practice

Hunter's grades were already starting to drop. He vas worried he wouldn't be able to keep playing football If his grades didn't improve, He decided he would get more focused on his assignments and start doing his best in school. After practice he sat down with his brother to omplete his math and science homework. It didn't take that long and was actually pretty easy since he paid attention in class. When he finished his homework, he ate dinner and went straight to bed.

The next day at school, Hunter was looking forward to turning his assignments in on time. He was confident he had done a good job on them and wanted to share that with his teacher. When we looked in his backpack, he couldn't find his assianments. He knew he had done hem, but they were nowhere. He was so disappointed in himself, Just as he was getting ready to explain to his teacher his mistake, his brother walked in with his backpack! He hadn't even noticed he grabbed the wrong one. With a huge smile, he handed in his omework on time

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Going back to school was stressful and Hunter continued to struggle.

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INDEPENDENT WORK



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HOMEWORK ASSIGNMENT

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12 THEMED PASSAGES TO SUPPORT READING COMPREHENSION

STORY STRUCTURE

Riding the School Bus

Lani moved over the summer to a new part of town that was further away from her school. Instead of walking, she was going to have to ride the bus. Lani felt nervous about riding a bus. She wouldn't know any of the kids. She was afraid of someone teasing her on the bus for not knowing what to do. She was worried she might miss her bus stop and not make it home after school. To add more pressure to an already stressful situation, she had to help her little brother, Jay. He was going to kindergarten and would need Lani to watch out

The night before school, Lani barely slept, She was so worried about oversleeping and missing the bus. Luckily she found the bus stop. She was grateful her parents had her practice walking to it at least ten times. While Lani and Jay were waiting for the bus, she started to worry that the bus wasn't coming. With a sigh of relief, she saw the bus coming.

As they stepped on the bus, Lani could feel everyone's eyes on her. She started to get nervous and couldn't think right. A girl a few rows back said, "Hil There's an empty seat across from me if you want to sit there." What a relief for Lani. She and Jay quickly sat down. Lani and the girl talked a little bit on the way to school. She helped ease Lani's nerves. Lani started to relax and enjoy the ride to school.

After a few days of riding the bus, Lani wasn't worried anymore! She realized the kids on the bus were helpful and her bus driver always reminded everyone of their bus stop. Lani loved riding the bus to school!

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TEXT FEATURES

School Information

Schedule

- 8:00 Arrival
- 8:15 Reading
- 10:00 Break
- 10:15 Spelling 11:00 Art
- 12:00 Lunch
- 12:30 Recess
- 1:00 Math
- 2:00 Science
- 2:50 Dismissal

The map shows the route students can take to get the school. The route from home to school usually takes about 15 minutes.





If a student needs to ride the bus to school, they need to look for the bus stop near their home.

SCHOOL



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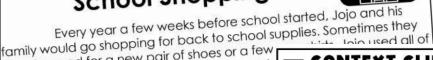
12 READING SKILLS

People in School

Context Clues

MAIN IDEA & DETAILS

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- a. Jojo wasted his school supplies so he needed
- b. The family hated back to school shopping. b. Jojo c. Jojo needed a few things to get ready for a new
- d. Buying new school supplies was too expensive so c. Jojo his family skipped it. d. Sho

2. What is not the main idea of paragraph two?

- a. Jojo got the school supplies requested for
- b. Jojo didn't buy any school supplies, only new
- c. Jojo wanted to pick out school supplies he was
- d. Jojo carefully chose his school supplies.
- 3. Highlight or underline two details to support the main idea of the passage.

CAUSE & EFFECT

There are many jobs within a school. Each of these jobs has an

Teachers are an important part of a school. This job is needed

Some schools have nurses. This job is extremely important.

medicine, check on injuries and help students who don't feel well. Not all

important role and helps the school run smoothly. Not all schools have

the exact same jobs. Sometimes the job is the same, but the title of the

for all grades, starting with preschool or kindergarten all the way up to

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School nurses can help dispense medication to students who need

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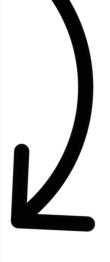
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CONTEXT CLUES

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THEME

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- b. Ellie and Rob moved all the time.
- c. Rob never wanted to go to school.

3. What is a possible theme for the third paragraph?

- a. Ignore others.
- b. Mind your own business.
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Main Idea & Details -

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Theme

12 READING SKILLS

Compare & Contrast

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3. What problen

2. Identify the setting.



Story Structure (characters, setting, problem/solution)

COMPARE & CONTRAST

Joining Clubs

A new school year meant new opportunities. Amy was looking forward to signing up for new clubs! She thought all summer about what after school clubs she wanted to join. She talked to her friends to see if they were interested in the same ones. Amy had narrowed her choices down to two clubs. Now the difficult decision to decide which one to join. Amy wanted to join the game club. This club was all about

games - board games, video games, even outside games. Amy liked the idea that she could meet new friends and play new games. There were

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AUTHOR'S POINT OF VIEW

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Back to School

The best part of summer is the end! I love going back to school. I get to see my friends, make new friends and meet new teachers. It's great! I like to socialize with my friends and share funny stories. We like to plan times to play our video games together. I also love to learn. Some things can be challenging, but that just makes me work a little harder. I don't love every part of school, but overall it's pretty awesome!

I don't even mind waking up early. I usually get up early anyway because my mom is getting ready for work. The noise she makes wakes me up, even when she is trying to be guiet. I also really like school lunches. I'm not a picky eater and there are usually a lot of varieties offered. I love trying new foods. I also eat a lot, so lunch at school is perfect.

3. Explain if you

author's point o

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Another great thing about going bac new school clothes, shoes and supplies. My pc out the things I like as long as they aren't too ϵ part isn't my favorite, but getting the new item getting new supplies each year. We also go or done shopping. If I am lucky, my parents will le restaurant. Back to school is the best time of ye

of View

What is the author's point of view about going back to school?

- a. The author doesn't enjoy going back
- b. The author is indifferent about aoina back to school, and thinks it is just okay. c. The author is sad when summer ends.
- d. The author loves going back to
- 2. Highlight or underline 2 examples that support the author's point of view.

TEXT FEATURES

School Information

- 8:00 Arrival
- 8:15 Readina
- 10:00 Break
- 10:15 Spelling
- 11:00 Art
- 12:00 Lunch
- 12:30 Recess
- 1:00 Math
- 2:00 Science
- 2:50 Dismissal

The map shows the route students can take to get the school. The route from home to school usually takes about 15



minutes.

3. Using the bus illustration and ca what kind of information does it pr

Text

Features

If a student needs to r

the bus to school, they

need to look for the bi

stop near their home.

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a. Showing what a school bus loo

Author's Point

 Using the schedule, what time does math start?

b. 12:30 a. 12:00

12 READING SKILLS

Making Inferences & **Drawing Conclusions**

POINT OF VIEW

Book Fair

The book fair is starting today so come on down. The book fair has tons of new books that you don't want to miss. The best part about this year's book fair is you get a free bookmark with every book you purchase. You can also buy posters, pencils and notebooks at the book fair. Make sure you don't miss it!

Book fairs are Mr. Young's favorite! He always spent time looking over the books. He wanted to choose the best books for

his classroom. Sometimes Mr. Young bought ter sometimes he bought two books. He only want books that he thought were the best for his stuc keep them interested.

I can't wait to go to the book fair! My the book fair for thirty minutes before lunch. Th time to go because I can take my new books twenty dollars to spend on books. I really want and can't wait to see what else I can buy with

What point of view is paragraph one written in?

- a. First person point of view
- b. Second person point of view
- c. Third person point of view

2. Circle 2 key words in paragraph one that support your answer.

- 3. What point of view is paragraph two written in?
- a. First person point of view
- b. Second person point of view
- c. Third person point of view

4. Circle 2 key wo support your ansi

5. What point of written in?

- a. First person po
- b. Second perso
- c. Third person p



MAKING INFERENCES

The Night Before School

The night before a new school year can be stressful and exciting. Marshall was extra nervous this year, he was starting at a new school. He wanted the year to be perfect! He thought about all the new and exciting activities his class would do this year. Science was always his favorite subject, especially science

Marshall thought making a good impression on the first day of school was important so he laid out his clothes. That would make the morning a little bit easier. He also packed his lunch and set out his water bottle. The last thing Marshall did was set out his

- SUMMARIZING

SCHOOL

Forgotten Homework

Getting back into a routine can be challenging. Hunter had been having a hard time since school started a couple weeks ago. He was struggling to go to bed early enough, get up early and remember to do his homework each night. It was even more challenging because he played football. He was even forgetting his football equipment which meant he had to sit out of practice.

Hunter's grades were already starting to drop. He was worried he wouldn't be able to keep playing football if his grades didn't improve. He

decided he would get more focused on his assignmen best in school. After practice he sat down with his broth math and science homework. It didn't take that long a pretty easy since he paid attention in class. When he fil homework, he ate dinner and went straight to bed.

The next day at school, Hunter was looking fo assignments in on time. He was confident he had done them and wanted to share that with his teacher. When backpack, he couldn't find his assignments. He knew h but they were nowhere. He was so disappointed in him getting ready to explain to his teacher his mistake, his b with his backpack! He hadn't even noticed he grabbe With a huge smile, he handed in his homework on time

1. Write 1-2 sentences explaining the beginning of the story.

2. Write 1-2 sentences explaining the middle of the story.

3. Write 1-2 sentences explaining the ending of the story.

4. Choose the best summary for the passage.

- a. Hunter didn't care about going back to school, if his grades drop
- b. Hunter made good choices as soon as school started again. c. Going back to school was stressful and Hunter continued to strug
- d. Hunter understood that going back to school meant he needed complete his homework and do his best.

Summarizing

SCHOOL

backpack. He couldn't forget that!

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ind Marshall was nis classroom door. areeted everyone. the first time.

is not correct about Marshall in

are if he was late on the first a careful about setting his

Author's **Purpose**

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AUTHOR'S PURPOSE

School Lunch

Many students eat lunch provided by the school. A schools that is called "hot lunch." There are typically differen options offered daily. A few examples include corn dogs, piza hamburgers and chicken nuggets. Hopefully students enjoy t lunches. There are people that work in the cafeteria preparir food so students can go back to class ready to learn.

Some students decide to bring their lunch from home is often referred to as "cold lunch." This type of lunch can be in a lunch box or bag. When students bring lunch from home are responsible for making sure they have a good lunch. Son students bring items such as sandwiches, chips, fruit, juice box cookies. When lunch is brought from home, there are many r options.

Lunch is an important part of the school day. Studen need lunch to help prepare them for the rest of their day. So schools allow students to have recess before or after lunch. T gives students an opportunity to be with their friends. Lunch of an enjoyable experience for students.

Bumblebees?

- a. To persuade the reader
- b. To inform the reader.

3. If the author wanted to entertain reader, what changes would need made?

Point of View

1. What is the author's purpose in writing

Mix of multiple choice and short answer comprehension questions!

MAIN IDEA & DETAILS

School Shopping

Every year a few weeks before school started, Jojo and his family would go shopping for back to school supplies. Sometimes they also shopped for a new pair of shoes or a few new shirts. Jojo used all of his supplies during the school year so he rarely had extras to save for the next year.

First, Jojo and his family went to look for basic school supplies. The list said fourth graders needed pencils, highlighters, dry erase markers, glue, scissors, crayons

Forgotten Homework

and five notebooks. Jojo spent time lookir on his notebooks. That was always his fav his favorite movie characters!

Next, they went to shop for sho outgrown his sneakers and sandals. Jojo t of them were what he wanted. There wa soon as they walked in, Jojo saw them! He stock. Because his sneakers were on sale,

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SUMMARIZING

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- 1. What is the main idea of paragraph one? a. Jojo wasted his school supplies so he needed new ones.
- b. The family hated back to school shopping c. Jojo needed a few things to get ready for a new
- his family skipped it.
- 2. What is not the main idea of paragraph two? a. Jojo got the school supplies requested to

4. What detail supports the main idea of

- paragraph three?
 a. Picking the right sneakers was important to
- b. Jojo picked any sneakers because he didn't school year. care.
 d. Buying new school supplies was too expensive so c. Jojo only bought shoes because they were or

ANSWER KEY

School Shopping

- 1. C
- 2. B
- 3. Answers will vary
- 5. Possible Answer: Jojo enjoyed getting back to school supplies and shoes.

Staying Up Too Late

- 1. C
- 2. Possible Answer: She was late
- 4. Possible Answer: She was exh

The Night Before School

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- 1. C
- 2. D

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work ary

d. Shopping wasn't fun for Jojo or his family.

5. What is a possible main idea of the entire

ANSWER KEY

The First Day

- 1. D 2. A
- 3. D
- Answers will vary

Joining Clubs

- 1. Answers will vary
- 2. Answers will vary
- 3. Answers will vary

People in School

- 1. B
- 3. Possible Answer: Fortunate enough to have
- 4. Possible Answer: Lucky
- Answers will vary

School Information

- 1. C
- 2. A
- 3. D
- 4. A

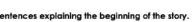
SUMMARIZING

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3. Write 1-2 sentences explaining the ending of the story.



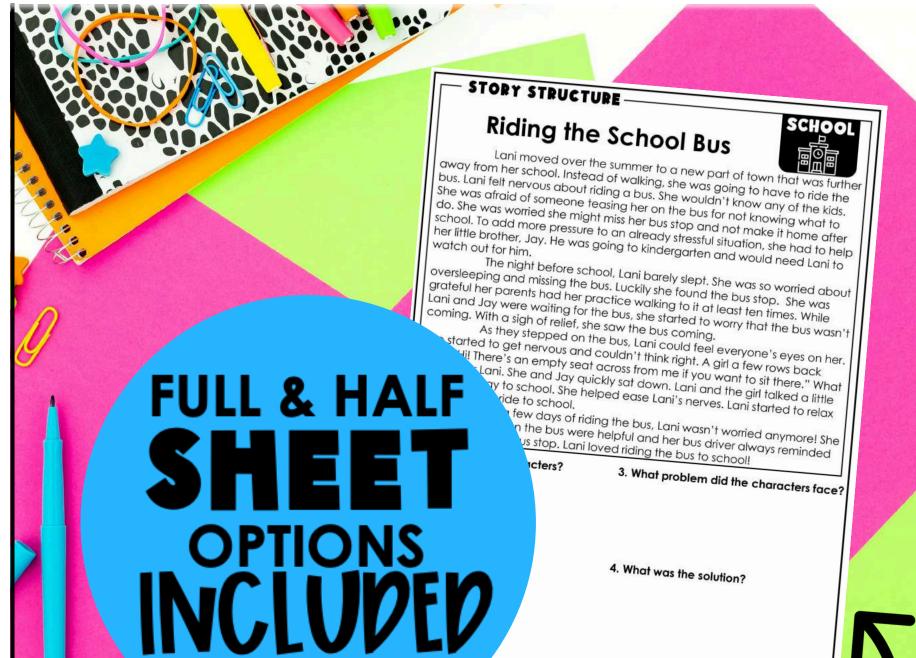


2. Write 1-2 sentences explaining the middle of the story.





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CONTEXT CLUES

People in School

There are many jobs within a school. Each of these jobs has an important role and helps the school run smoothly. Not all schools have the exact same jobs. Sometimes the job is the same, but the title of the job is different.

Teachers are an important part of a school. This job is needed for all grades, starting with preschool or kindergarten all the way up to seniors or twelfth graders. Some teachers are **specialized**. That means they teach in one area, like music, art, technology or even math. All teachers are important to the school day.

Some schools have nurses. This job is extremely important. School nurses can help **dispense** medication to students who need medicine, check on injuries and help students who don't feel well. Not all schools are **fortunate** enough to have a nurse at their building.

Another job that is important is custodians.

Custodians are often not seen, but they are busy all day long. Custodians help keep classrooms, hallways, cafeterias, and every nook and cranny clean. Beyond keeping the school clean, custodians help keep the school safe.

SCHOOL

- 1. Use context clues to determine the meaning of the word dispense.
- a. Disinterested b. Hand out
- c. Students d. Medication
- 2. What clues help you understand the meaning of <u>specialized</u>?
- a. Teach in one area
- b. Teachers
- c. People who are extra special
- d. Seniors or twelfth grade
- 3. What context clue the meaning of the Type...
- 4. What doe Type...
- 5. Use one sentence

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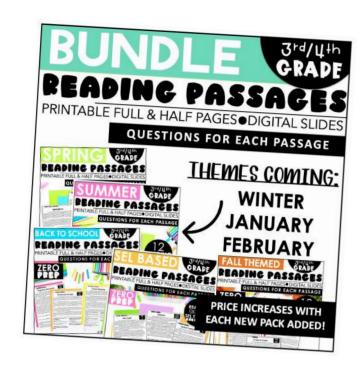
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