



Pre A1 Starters

Classroom activities

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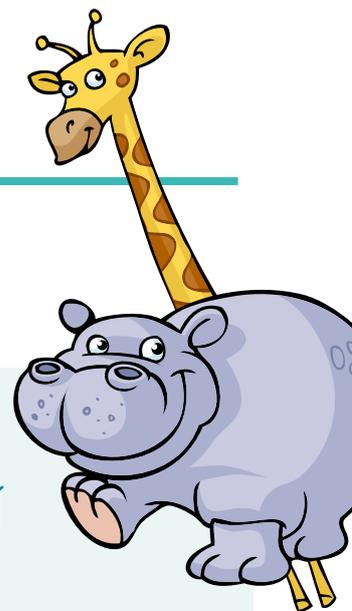
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Pre A1 Starters worksheet 1

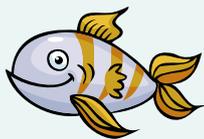
My favourite food



Activity A

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

Examples



This is a fish.



This is a sausage.



Activity

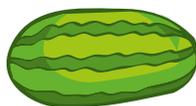
1.



This is a coconut.



2.



This is a banana.



3.



This is a carrot.



4.



This is a potato.



5.



This is a mango.



Activity B

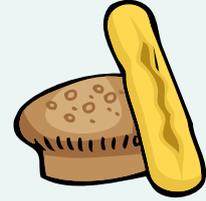
Speaking

Ann asks her friends what they would like for their lunch. Look at the pictures and talk about them.

Example



What would you like for your lunch, Alex?
I would like some bread.

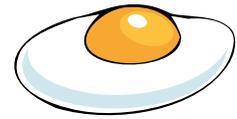


Activity

1. What would you like for your lunch, Grace?



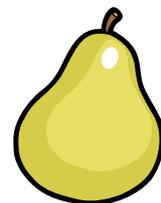
2. What would you like for your lunch, Ben?



3. What would you like for your lunch, Jill?



4. What would you like for your lunch, Bill?



5. What would you like for your lunch, Lucy?



Writing

Write a word on the line about the pictures. There is one example.

Example

I would like some bread.

Activity

1. I would like some _____.
2. I would like an _____.
3. I would like some _____.
4. I would like a _____.
5. I would like a _____.

Activity C

Read the sentences. Write one word from the word bank on the line.
There is one example.

Example

I like fish and chips.

Activity

Word bank

and / or / but

1. I like rice _____ chicken.
2. I like apples _____ I don't like oranges.
3. Would you like orange juice _____ would you like lemonade?
4. You can have cake _____ you can't have sweets.
5. I like milk. I drink it at breakfast, at lunch _____ at dinner!

Pre A1 Starters worksheet 2

My favourite food

Activity A

Look and read. Write yes or no. There are two examples.

Examples

Some children are eating. yes

A man is eating breakfast. no



Activity

1. The children are happy. _____
2. Some girls are eating ice cream. _____
3. The children are eating fish. _____
4. The children are at home. _____
5. There are seven children. _____

Activity B

Look, read and write. Tell your friend what you like. Your friend likes it too! There are two examples.

Examples



I like rice

so do I



I like grapes

me too

Activity

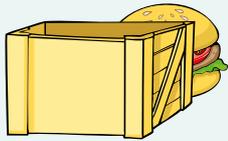
1.  _____
2.  _____
3.  _____

4.   
5.   

Activity C

Where's the burger? Choose your answer from the word bank and write it on the line.
There is one example.

Example

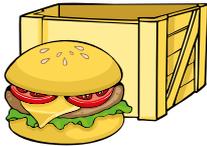
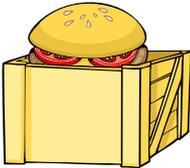
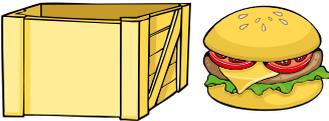
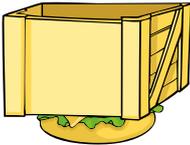
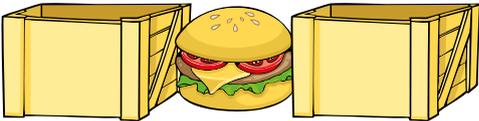


The burger is behind the box.

Activity

Word bank

behind / next to / between / in front of / in / under

1.  The burger is _____ the box.
2.  The burger is _____ the box.
3.  The burger is _____ the box.
4.  The burger is _____ the box.
5.  The burger is _____ the boxes.

Pre A1 Starters worksheet 3

At school

Activity A

Look at the pictures. Look at the letters. Write the words. There is one example.

Example



book

o k o b

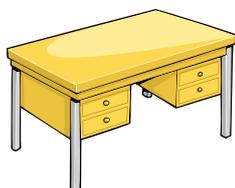
Activity

1.



t u c e p r o m

2.



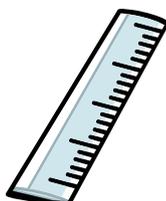
s e k d

3.



c e p l i n

4.



e l u r r

5.



h a t r e c e

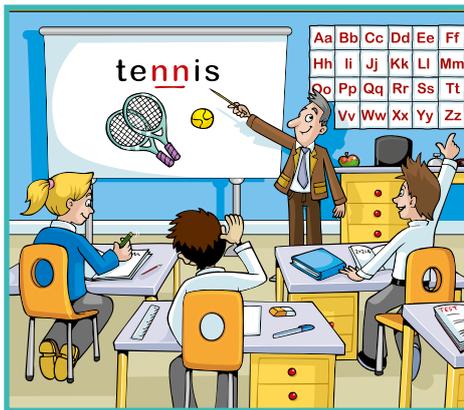
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At school

Activity A

Read the text below. Choose a word from the word bank.
Write the correct word next to numbers 1–5. There is one example.

A classroom



Word bank		
 school	 picture	 bookcase
 music	 computers	 write

There are lots of these in a school. Some have desks where you (1) _____ but some have desks for (2) _____. Many have a (3) _____ and lots of books. In some you can play (4) _____ and in some you can draw a (5) _____. What is it? It's a classroom.

Activity B

Read the sentences. Choose a word to write on the line. All the words are correct.
Read your story to your family, a friend or your teacher.

Example

I am telling a story.

reading
writing
telling

Activity

1. This is a story about playing _____.

basketball
football
hockey

2. I am playing with my _____.

brother
cousin
sister

3. We are playing in the _____ .

morning
afternoon
evening

4. We _____ playing games.

enjoy
like
love

5. Now we are drinking some _____ .

lemonade
orange juice
water

Activity C

Write *ing* at the end of the words. Say your new word. Draw a picture. There is one example.

Example

paint

painting



1

draw

2

fish

3

jump

4

kick

5

throw

Pre A1 Starters worksheet 5

Animals

Activity A

Look at the pictures and read the questions. Write one-word answers. There are two examples.

Examples

Where are the children?

At the zoo

What colour is the elephant?

Grey



Activity

1. What is the elephant looking at? Two _____



2. What is the girl pointing at? A _____

3. How many goats can you see? _____

4. What colour is the frog? _____

5. What is the boy pointing at? A _____



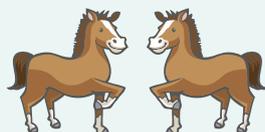
Activity B

Look at the pictures. How many animals are there? Write one word on each line. There are two examples.

Examples



There is one cow .



There are two horses .

Questions

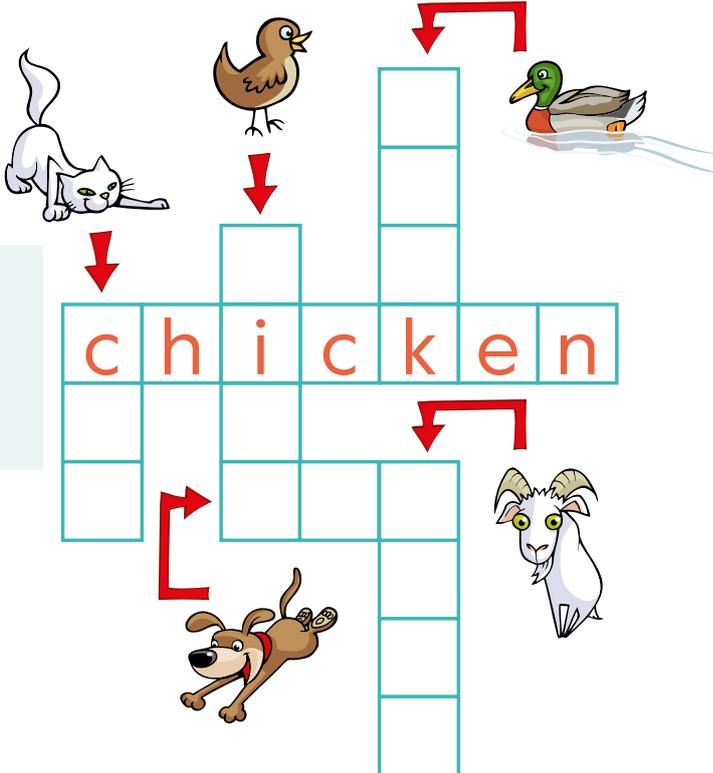
1.  There _____ .
2.  There _____ .
3.  There _____ .
4.  There _____ .
5.  There _____ .

Activity C

Look at the pictures. Write the words. There is one example.

Example





Pre A1 Starters worksheet 6

Body, clothes and colours

Activity A

Colour the clothes in the clothes shop. There is one example.

Example

The t-shirt is black.



Sentences

1. The dress is orange.
2. The trousers are blue.
3. The jacket is green.
4. The skirt is purple.
5. The hat is yellow.



Activity B

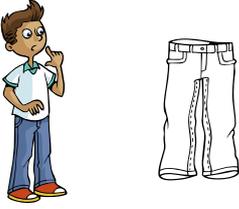
What do the friends choose in the clothes shop? Write on the lines.
Look at the picture of the clothes shop above for the colours. There is one example.

Example



Grace chooses a black t-shirt.

Questions

- 

1. Sam chooses _____ .
- 

2. Jill chooses an _____ .
- 

3. Nick chooses a _____ .
- 

4. Kim chooses a _____ .
- 

5. Ben chooses a _____ .

Activity C

This young learner has a nice smile on her face. Choose words from the word bank and write them on the lines. There is one example.

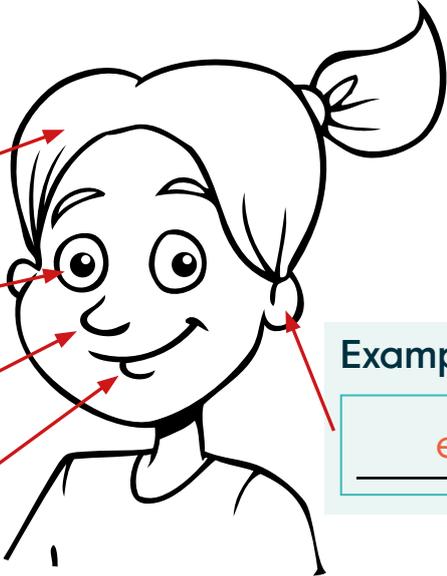
1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

5. _____



Example
_____ ear

Word bank

- ear
- nose
- eye
- head
- mouth
- hair

Pre A1 Starters worksheets 1–6

Answers

Worksheet 1

Activity A

(page 1)

1. ✓
2. ✗
3. ✓
4. ✗
5. ✓

Activity B

(page 2/3)

1. chips/fries
2. egg
3. ice cream
4. pear
5. tomato

Activity C

(page 3)

1. and
2. but
3. or
4. but
5. and

Worksheet 2

Activity A

(page 4)

1. yes
2. yes
3. no
4. no
5. yes

Activity B

(page 4/5)

1. chocolate/*Either so do I or me too*
2. peas/*Either so do I or me too*
3. sweets or candy/*Either so do I or me too*
4. onion(s)/*Either so do I or me too*
5. beans/*Either so do I or me too*

Activity C

(page 5)

1. in front of
2. in
3. next to
4. under
5. between

Worksheet 3

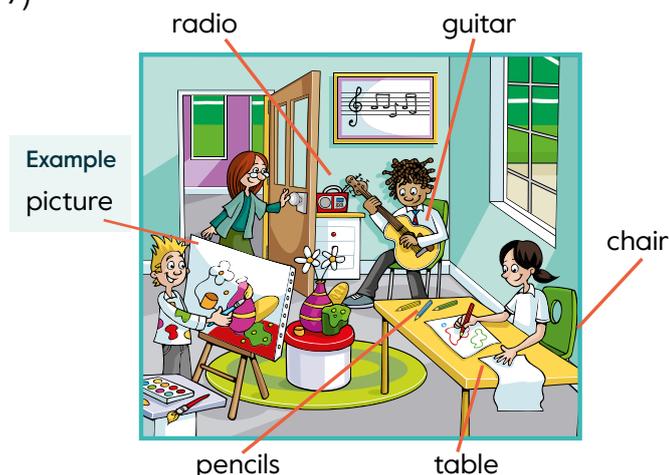
Activity A

(page 6)

1. computer
2. desk
3. pencil
4. ruler
5. teacher

Activity B

(page 7)



Activity C

(page 7)

1. what
2. where
3. which
4. who
5. whose

Worksheet 4

Activity A

(page 8)

1. write
2. computers
3. bookcase
4. music
5. picture

Activity B

(page 8/9)

All selections are correct.
Check spelling of the chosen words and ask the child to read the story.

Activity C

(page 9)

1. drawing
2. fishing
3. jumping
4. kicking
5. throwing

Ask the child to say each word.

Worksheet 5

Activity A

(page 10)

1. mice
2. crocodile
3. three/3
4. green
5. lizard

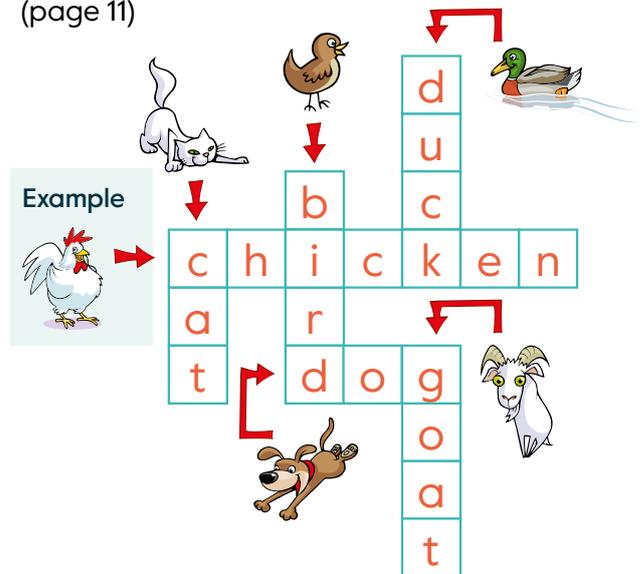
Activity B

(page 10/11)

1. There is one giraffe.
2. There are two hippos.
3. There is one monkey.
4. There are three snakes.
5. There is one tiger.

Activity C

(page 11)



Worksheet 6

Activity A

(page 12)



1. Orange



5. Yellow



2. Blue



3. Green



Example
Black



4. Purple

Activity B

(page 12/13)

1. Sam – blue trousers
2. Jill – orange dress
3. Nick – yellow hat
4. Kim – purple skirt
5. Ben – green jacket

Activity C

(page 13)

1. head
2. hair
3. eye
4. nose
5. mouth

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