

Grade 2 English Revision

Comprehension: Read the story and answer the questions that follow.

Nandi sat on the blue steps of her house. She was wondering..... What if jelly beans made you jump really high? You could get to school in one big leap!

What if houses were rocket ships? Your family could go on holidays to the moon! What if the pictures in books flew around your head when Dad read to you? What if my pink gumboots were magical? I could run faster than my big brother!

“Nandi, what are you doing?” Asked Nandi’s big brother. Nandi sat back on the step with a big smile on her face. “Just wondering,” she said.



1. Write a title for the story.

2. Circle the correct letter for questions 1 and 2. ONLY CHOOSE ONE ANSWER.

Who was wondering?

- a) Nandi’s big brother
- b) Nandi
- c) Jabu

Where was Nandi sitting?

- a) In the garden
- b) In the kitchen
- c) On the blue steps

3. What could Nandi do if her gumboots were magical?

4. Choose a word from the last line of the story that means the same as ‘**thinking**’.

5. Sequence these sentences 1-3 in the correct order as it appears in the story.

"Just wondering," she said.	
Nandi sat on the blue steps of her house.	
What if houses were rocket ships?	

Punctuation:

Rewrite the following sentences below using the correct punctuation (capital letters, full stops, question marks or exclamation marks).

1. what if jelly beans made you jump really high

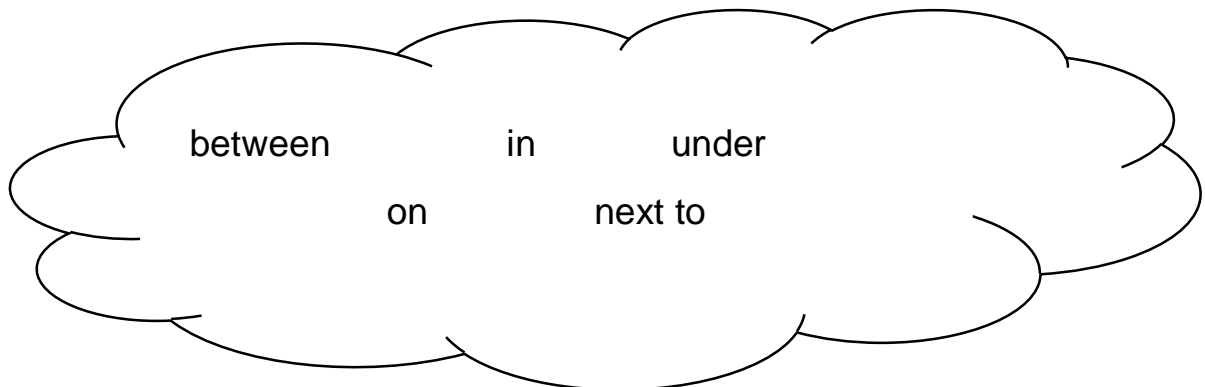
2. watch out for the spider

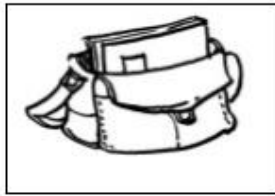
3. on saturday, nandi sat on the blue steps of her house

Prepositions:

A preposition tells us where something is. Prepositions can be used to describe a location, time or place.

Look at the pictures and fill in the correct preposition.





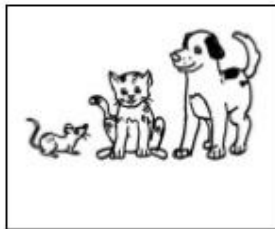
1. The book is _____ my bag.



2. Portia is hiding _____ the table.



3. One umbrella is _____ the chair.



4. Pat the Cat is _____ the mouse and the dog.



5. The guests are _____ the room.

Proper Nouns:

A proper noun is a specific name for a particular person, place, or thing. Proper nouns are always capitalized in English, no matter where they fall in a sentence.

Underline the **proper noun/s** in each sentence:

1. On Sunday we went to the beach.
2. Jimmy went to Checkers to buy bread and milk.
3. During the July holidays, I visited Moses Mabhida Stadium.

Pronouns:

A pronoun takes the place of a noun.

Circle the correct pronoun.

1. Jenny got a new pet cat. (He/She)
2. Ben and I played soccer. (We/They)
3. John went home early. (She/He)

Tenses:

Rewrite the sentence below in the correct tense:

The boy runs very fast.

Future tense:

Tomorrow _____

Past tense:

Yesterday _____

Phonics:

1. Underline the rhyming word:

neat – meat, weep, strict

book – oak, could, cook

cloth – with, long, moth

fish – wish, trash, shy

2. Circle the correct word in the brackets.

I will (meat/meet) you at home.

Look left and right before you cross the (road/rode).

We will start school this (week/weak).

I (blue/blew) a big bubble.

3. Write a good sentence with each word:

match: _____

toast: _____

Fill in the words under the correct sounds:

chip	zoo	wash	chop	pool
fish	chap	chill	crash	smash
spoon	fresh	soon	room	chain

<u>ch-</u>	<u>-sh</u>	<u>long oo</u>

Creative Writing:

Use the picture and the words below to write 4-6 sentences about your visit to the park. Remember to use capital letters and full stops.



Word bank:

picnic

swings

balloons

slide

sunny

family

friends

basket

jump rope

sandwiches

throw

play

fun

enjoy/ enjoyed

