

Hartley Road Primary School

Grade 3 - English

Online work

Term one and two revision

English:

1. Complete the activities below as revision of term one and two work.
  2. Check your answers against the answers provided.
  3. Flip-file work must be revised daily. Revise term one and two phonic blends and flash words O1-O9.
  4. Read a book over the week.
  5. Practice the cursive formation of letters Ll, Hh, Bb, Kk and li (Refer to flip file).
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**Activity 1**

Read the passage below and answer the questions that follow.

**The Very Naughty Leprechaun**



Niall was a very naughty leprechaun. He lived by himself in the woods and loved playing tricks on all the animals.

It was Niall's birthday and it was going to be the best birthday ever. He was looking forward to his birthday cake but first he wanted to play his favourite trick on the animals.

Niall made himself invisible and waited in the bushes.

Before long, Rosa Rabbit came hopping by with a bag of carrots.

"It's my birthday!" Niall shouted, when she was very close.

"Aaahhh!" Rosa screamed, throwing the carrots in the air.

The carrots landed on her head with a clump! Clump! CLUMP!

"You naughty leprechaun!" she shouted and angrily hopped away.

After Niall had stopped laughing, he settled down in the bushes once more.

Before long, Barry Badger came trotting by with a bag of flour.

"It's my birthday!" Niall shouted, when he was very close.

"Aaahhh!" Barry screamed, throwing the flour in the air.

The flour landed on his head with a flump! Flump! FLUMP!

"You naughty leprechaun!" he growled and angrily trotted away.

After Niall had stopped laughing, he settled down in the bushes yet again.



Before long, Hannah Hen came bobbing by with a box of eggs.

"It's my birthday!" Niall shouted, when she was very close.

"Aaahhh!" Hannah screamed, throwing the eggs in the air.

The eggs landed on her head with a smash! Smash! SMASH!

"You naughty leprechaun!" she clucked and quickly bobbed away.

After Niall had stopped laughing, he walked back to his house in the old oak tree.

When he got there, the animals were waiting for him. Rosa had a big bruise on her head, Barry was completely white and Hannah had egg yolk dripping from her beak.

"Hello," Niall giggled.

"We made you a carrot cake," Barry said, brushing the flour from his eyes.

"You remembered my birthday?" Niall squealed.

"Yes," Hannah clucked. She gave Niall the cake.



Niall looked down at what was supposed to be a freshly baked birthday cake, but instead of the cake, it was a plate full of bashed carrots, smashed egg shells and powdery flour.

"Someone ruined all of our ingredients," Rosa said. "Happy birthday."

"Oh," Niall said, sadly. "Thank you."

It was the worst birthday ever...

## Questions

Answer in full sentences

1. What did Niall do after he became invisible? \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

2. Why do you think that Rosa screamed and threw her carrots in the air? \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

3. What did the animals shout at Niall after they threw their food in the air? \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

4. "Someone ruined all our ingredients," Rosa said. Who is the 'someone' that Rosa is talking about?

\_\_\_\_\_

5. Number the events below to show the order in which they happen in the story.

The animals gave Niall a plateful of raw ingredients.	
Niall meets the animals by the oak tree.	
Niall thinks it's going to be the best birthday ever.	
Flump! Flour lands on Barry's head.	
Niall thinks it's the worst birthday ever.	

6. "Oh," Niall said, sadly.

Why do you think Niall was sad at this point in the story? \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

7. From the passage, find a synonym for the word 'giggling'. \_\_\_\_\_

**Write one sentence with each of the following words:**

graph - \_\_\_\_\_

cough - \_\_\_\_\_

eventually - \_\_\_\_\_

**Activity 2**

**Punctuate the following sentences. Use capital letters, full stops, exclamation marks, question marks, commas and inverted commas.**

1. My favourite flavours of ice-cream are chocolate strawberry hazelnut and lemon sorbet

\_\_\_\_\_

2. run back to the garage shouted my sister rabia

\_\_\_\_\_

3. why is this always so confusing

\_\_\_\_\_

4. my cousin farhaan lives in mpumalanga.

\_\_\_\_\_

**Say what type of sentences the following are:**

Question	Statement	Exclamation
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1. What was that book about? \_\_\_\_\_
2. I'm so excited to learn about 3D shapes! \_\_\_\_\_
3. I think I'll go for a walk. \_\_\_\_\_

**Fill in a or an to complete the sentences.**

1. \_\_\_\_\_ horse walked up to the stream and took a sip of water.
2. It was \_\_\_\_\_ eventful day today!
3. My dream is to qualify as \_\_\_\_\_ engineer someday.
4. We walked around \_\_\_\_\_ tree looking for the lost lunchbox.

**Activity 3**

**Tenses**

Change the sentence below to the past tense:

1. A number of elephants are walking down the hill.
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Change the sentence below to the past tense:

2. My friend will be going for a walk to the park.
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Change the sentence below to the present tense:

3. The little rabbit hopped around the garden.
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Change the sentence below to the future tense:

4. The fierce fox ran towards the bush.
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## Contractions

Write these words in full:

won't	
can't	
shouldn't	
aren't	
couldn't	

Build one word with the following blends:

-gh \_\_\_\_\_

au \_\_\_\_\_

-est \_\_\_\_\_

ph \_\_\_\_\_

ly \_\_\_\_\_

## Activity 4

Fill in the apostrophe to show these things belong to more than one person.

boys	
riders	
girls	
sisters	

Identify the parts of speech that are in bold in the sentence.

The **intelligent orangutan** waved his arm at Cindy and ran energetically down the **slide** and jumped into the **water**.

Parts of Speech	Word
Nouns	

Verbs	
Adjectives	
Adverb	
Pronoun	
Conjunction	
Preposition	

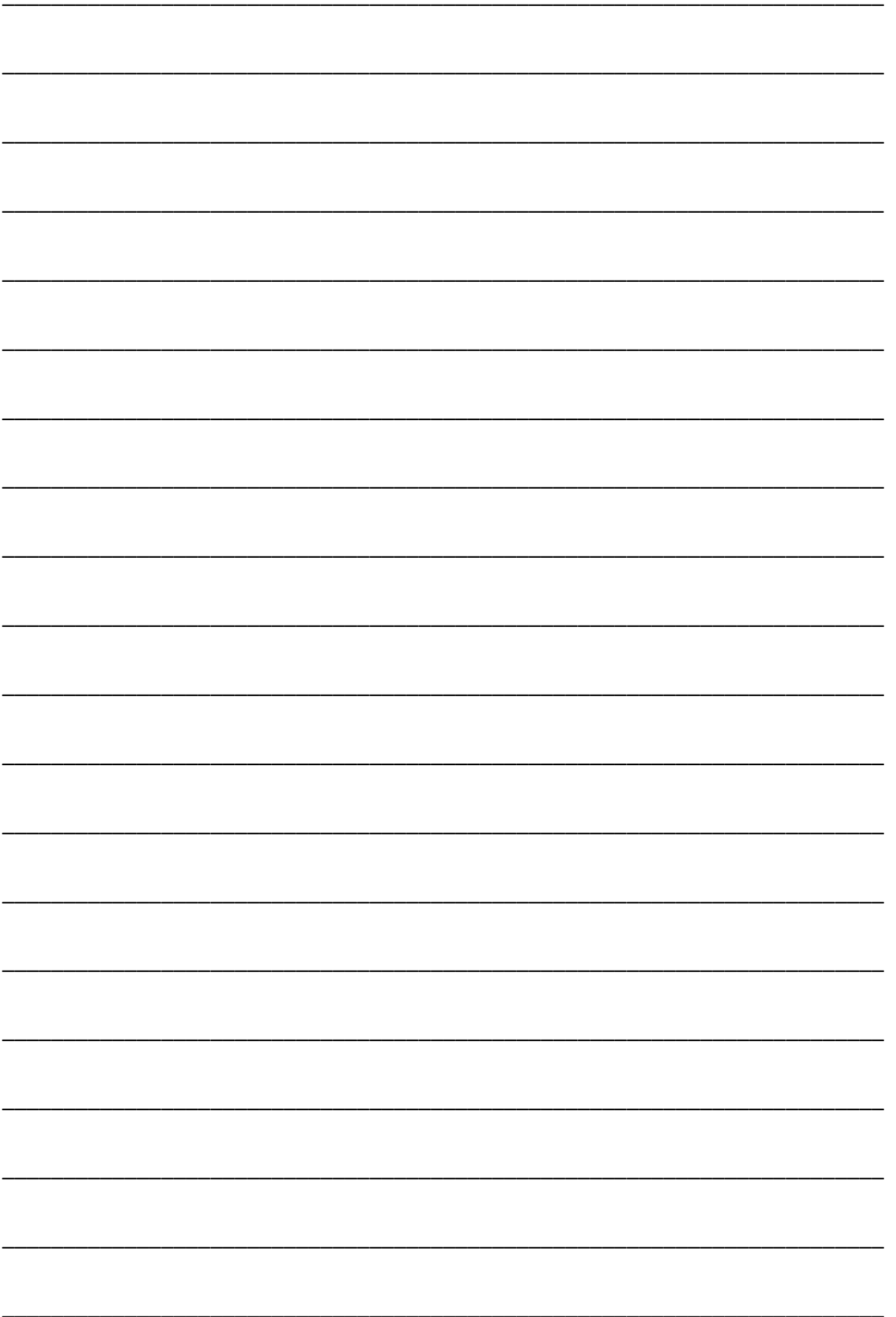
## Homophones

**Homophones** are words that sound the same. They have different spellings and different meanings.

**Directions:** Choose and write the correct homophone for each sentence.

1. Out in the forest, the \_\_\_\_\_ ate some berries.  
(bare, bear)
2. Mom lit the candle and the \_\_\_\_\_ filled the room.  
(scent, cent)
3. I watched the beautiful \_\_\_\_\_ eating in the meadow.  
(dear, deer)
4. My library book is \_\_\_\_\_ in two days.  
(due, dew)
5. The \_\_\_\_\_ jumped up on his horse and rode away.  
(night, knight)
6. Tim's pants were big so he wore a belt around his \_\_\_\_\_.  
(waist, waste)
7. Could you please pass a \_\_\_\_\_ of the cake?  
(piece, peace)
8. The new king will \_\_\_\_\_ for 50 years.  
(rain, reign)
9. Harry's sister was sick so he \_\_\_\_\_ her a card.  
(made, maid)
10. My dad's favorite dinner is \_\_\_\_\_ and potato.  
(stake, steak)









Love and duas  
The Grade 3 team

