

Reading Builder 1 Unit 1

Date:

Name:

Words and Phrases

Match.

1. When Monica _____ her key, she couldn't open the door. a. hallway
2. John walked down the _____ to go to his bedroom. b. lost
3. Sally is _____ because her dog is sick. c. upset

Reading Comprehension

Circle the right word.

4. The boy's friends (took the boy's key / helped search for the key).
5. The boy's key was (under his desk / in his pocket).
6. The boy's friends tease him about (losing / finding) things.

Writing

Put the words in the right order.

7. my key / But / anywhere. / couldn't / I / find

8. I / in the class. / left / the last / was / student

9. the exam. / because / very / failed/ Marcia / she / upset / was

10. found out / my key / I / in my pocket. / that / was

Reading Builder 1 Unit 2

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Match.

1. A map is very _____ when you are in a new place. a. put together
2. Zebras have black and white _____. b. stripes
3. My brother _____ this shelf. c. convenient

Reading Comprehension

Circle the right word.

4. The shiny basket (on the front / under the Christmas tree) is very convenient.
5. The box was so tiny because (the bike was very small / the present was in pieces) .
6. Melissa thought it was too (big / tiny) to be a bike.

Writing

Put the words in the right order.

7. small / My / was / me. / for / old / too / bike

8. put / the / after / Mon and I / it / day/ together / Christmas.

9. around town. / finished, / As soon as / rode / we / got on / I / and / it

10. put / bought / in the basket / I / cookies / them / and

Reading Builder 1 Unit 3

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|---|-------------|
| 1. I play on the _____ on our tree. | a. forget |
| 2. Jenny _____ me when she jumped in front of me. | b. swing |
| 3. Don't _____ my birthday. | c. startled |

Reading Comprehension

Write T for true or F for false.

4. ____ Jackie and Julia were in the garden.
5. ____ Jackie couldn't sleep.
6. ____ The ghost was not real.

Writing

Put the words in the right order.

7. likes / Zack / movies, / I / don't/ horror / but

8. I / is / me. / everyone / feel like / looking at

9. didn't realize / the dog / him / Anna / home / was following / that

10. something / behind our house. / saw / I / in the yard / strange

Reading Builder 1 Unit 4

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Match.

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| 1. The _____ goes up in summer. | a. generally |
| 2. For two drinks, the _____ is \$3.00. | b. total |
| 3. The weather _____ begins to get warmer in May. | c. temperature |

Reading Comprehension

Circle the right word.

4. Inline skate sales begin to increase (in the winter / in the spring).
5. They have a large (selection / total) of many different types of skates.
6. Winter ice skate sales are never as (low / high) as summer inline skate sales.

Writing

Put the words in the right order.

7. is / of the day. / That store / only / at certain times / open

8. go hiking, / will / James / the weather. / it / wants to / depend on / but

9. more / do / in the summer / inline skating / People / the winter. / than

10. during / are / Ice cream sales / higher / the summer months. / generally

Reading Builder 1 Unit 5

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Words and Phrases

Match.

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|--|--------------|
| 1. Peter likes to _____ on the weekend. | a. go hiking |
| 2. My sister and I _____ so my brother couldn't hear us. | b. barn |
| 3. The horses are all in the _____ now. | c. whispered |

Reading Comprehension

Write T for true or F for false.

4. ____ Katie wants Grace to go.
5. ____ Katie's mom doesn't like wild animals.
6. ____ Grace goes back to the forest in the fall.

Writing

Put the words in the right order.

7. to go to Canada / the opportunity / I / this summer. / have

8. the puppies. / responsibility / was / to take care of / It / my

9. the snake / They / and / set it free / far from here. / took

10. whenever / gets / to the library / Craig / the chance. / goes / he

Reading Builder 1 Unit 6

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Words and Phrases

Match.

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|--|-------------|
| 1. I _____ a letter from Mom today! | a. purchase |
| 2. Michael shops here a lot. He's a great _____. | b. customer |
| 3. Keith got a free hat with that _____. | c. received |

Reading Comprehension

Circle the right word.

4. Customers can get a free water bottle and T-shirt by (going to the store on May 25th / spending more that \$30).
5. Customers can save the most money when they buy (bike helmets / mountain bikes) of many different types of skates.
6. Customers can get more information about the sale by (calling the store / buying a new bike).

Writing

Put the words in the right order.

7. your bike. / a helmet / You / when / ride / wear / should

8. that / through the woods. / is / There / a bike trail / goes

9. looked / for / I / dinosaurs. / on the Internet / information / about

10. for many years. / a customer / has been / Clara / at our store

Reading Builder 1 Unit 7

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Words and Phrases

Match.

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|---|-------------|
| 1. I _____ one of my books to my friends. | a. fit |
| 2. These shoes don't _____ me. They're too small. | b. sent off |
| 3. I _____ a letter to my grandparents. | c. shipped |

Reading Comprehension

Circle the right word.

- This letter is about (a birthday gift / a Christmas gift).
- The bike was taken apart because (it was too heavy / smaller boxes are cheaper to ship) of many different types of skates.
- Melissa's family will visit their relatives in (spring / fall).

Writing

Put the words in the right order.

7. The game / my dad / so complicated / doesn't understand / is / that / it.

8. was delighted with / we / her. / the sweater / got / My mom

9. his favorite things / can't find / so / Steven / them. / hides / his brother

10. around / walked / the broken glass. / carefully / Peter

Reading Builder 1 Unit 8

Date:

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Words and Phrases

Match.

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|---|-------------|
| 1. Diana is _____ for her trip to New York. | a. hazard |
| 2. Fire can be a _____ in the kitchen. | b. prepared |
| 3. Where there is _____, there is fire. | c. smoke |

Reading Comprehension

Write T for true or F for false.

4. ____ The firefighters arrived quickly.
5. ____ Much of the school was damaged.
6. ____ Students will go to class tomorrow.

Writing

Put the words in the right order.

7. when / her computer. / Sara / angry / spread to / was / the new virus

8. the cat / was damaged / eat it. / David's watch / tried to / when

9. Jason / after / is allowed to / he / does his homework. / watch TV

10. his bike. / some minor cuts / fell off/ Bob / after / had / he / on his leg

Reading Builder 1 Unit 9

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Words and Phrases

Match.

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|--------------------------------|--------------------|
| 1. An engine is a _____. | a. machine |
| 2. Hawaii is like _____! | b. science fiction |
| 3. Star Wars is a _____ movie. | c. paradise |

Reading Comprehension

Write T for true or F for false.

4. ____ This reading is about a new machine.
5. ____ Some unfriendly people steal the man's time machine.
6. ____ The writer doesn't tell us the ending because he wants us to guess the ending.

Writing

Put the words in the right order.

7. because / wrote / Elliot / creative. / good stories / he / was

8. in the forest. / that / many / There are / live / creatures

9. it was / went to the library / Sam / because / to study, / there. /peaceful and quiet

10. possible / to go back / It is / to the past. / for him

Reading Builder 1 Unit 10

Date:

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Words and Phrases

Match.

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|--|------------|
| 1. Please give me a _____ size shirt. | a. speeds |
| 2. Susan looked at dresses in the _____. | b. medium |
| 3. My bike has many different _____. | c. catalog |

Reading Comprehension

Circle the right word.

- This story is about (choosing a new thing / riding a new bicycle).
- A Zoom 400 has (fewer speeds / a bigger frame) than a Zoom 200.
- A DYNO Spider has (front brakes / a large seat).

Writing

Put the words in the right order.

7. wanted to / for Christmas. / him / David's parents / give / a better bike

8. a lot of / anyway. / love it / This teddy bear / but / wear and tear, / has / I

9. Frederick / with / liked / the yellow seat./ the bike

10. the catalog, / chose / After / a bike. / looking through / they

Reading Builder 1 Unit 11

Date:

Name:

Words and Phrases

Match.

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|---|-------------|
| 1. My teacher _____ me to study hard. | a. national |
| 2. Smoking can cause _____. | b. cancer |
| 3. Independence Day is a _____ holiday. | c. inspired |

Reading Comprehension

Write T for true or F for false.

4. ____ Terry spent less than 3 months running across Canada.
5. ____ Terry started his Marathon of Hope to raise money for cancer research.
6. ____ Although his cancer had come back, Terry finished his marathon.

Writing

Put the words in the right order.

7. a lot of / was / research. / Julia's project / did / very good / because / she

8. Rex / can / Although / an artificial hand, / play baseball. / he / still / has

9. too. / inspired / Those beautiful paintings / to paint pictures, / Anna

10. in the hospital / so / was very ill, / Tom / was / for a long time. / he

Reading Builder 1 Unit 12

Date:

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Words and Phrases

Match.

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|--|---------------|
| 1. There are _____ of stars in the sky. | a. evaporates |
| 2. Water can be used to _____ ice. | b. billions |
| 3. Water _____ quickly under the summer sun. | c. make |

Reading Comprehension

Write T for true or F for false.

4. ____ The water cycle is billions of years old.
5. ____ The water cycle lasts for a year.
6. ____ When we look at clouds, we are seeing the end of the water cycle.

Writing

Put the words in the right order.

7. the soup / can / Julia / heat / before / drink it. / needs to / she

8. but / the top of the mountain. / was / the hikers / It / reached / difficult, / eventually

9. Cathy / every year / to her parents' home / for a visit. / goes back

10. comes together / in the air / The water / very large clouds. / to form

Reading Builder 1 Unit 13

Date:

Name:

Words and Phrases

Match.

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|------------------------------------|---------------|
| 1. Her _____ was a little strange. | a. appearance |
| 2. Jenny works in a _____. | b. laboratory |
| 3. Summer weather can be _____. | c. violent |

Reading Comprehension

Circle the right word.

4. They are talking about (two of their friends / two characters in a book).
5. Mr. Hyde was (Dr. Jekyll / a writer).
6. Oscar (changes / still keeps) his opinion that reading is boring.

Writing

Put the words in the right order.

7. the potion / a frog. / drank / The princess / turned into / and

8. to study / he found. / his laboratory / Alex / some plants / went to

9. Spiderman / he / has to / feels / bad people! / do something about

10. to find out / next. / the book / what / Read / happens

Reading Builder 1 Unit 14

Date:

Name:

Words and Phrases

Match.

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|---|-------------|
| 1. A _____ can cause a lot of damage. | a. tornado |
| 2. Vera _____ the picnic because of rain. | b. canceled |
| 3. Christmas is my favorite _____. | c. holiday |

Reading Comprehension

Write T for true or F for false.

4. ____ There was no emergencies this year.
5. ____ There were no special events last year.
6. ____ The school didn't open this year.

Writing

Put the words in the right order.

7. the TV / we / After / fell / had to / from the shelf, / replace it.

8. its bank / all the rain. / overflowed / The river / because of

9. no one / at the school / an emergency / yesterday, / There was / was hurt. / but

10. be repaired. / and / My bike / was broken / could not

Reading Builder 1 Unit 15

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Words and Phrases

Match.

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|--|--------------|
| 1. People often _____ in the countryside. | a. hitchhike |
| 2. The deer quickly _____ in the woods. | b. vanished |
| 3. Diane puts flowers on her father's _____. | c. grave |

Reading Comprehension

Circle the right word.

4. This story is about (ghosts / hitchhiking).
5. The mother found (a picture of the girl / a piece of clothing) on the girl's grave.
6. The mother stopped (to give a present to the girl / to give a girl a ride).

Writing

Put the words in the right order.

7. in the closet. / folded / put / Jenna / her clean clothes / and / them

8. are / put away / neatly. / The books / always / in the library

9. in that castle, / they / haunted. / King Henry / it's / say / lived / and

10. little. / has been / the dark / Monica / ever since / afraid of / was / she

Reading Builder 1 Unit 16

Date:

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Words and Phrases

Match.

1. The _____ for water was increased. a. rate
2. Harry brought an _____ suitcase on his trip to Hogwarts. b. airmail
3. The package from Peru came by _____. c. additional

Reading Comprehension

Circle the right word.

4. A letter put in the drop-off box at 10p.m. is picked up (the next day / later that night).
5. Someone ship a package by express post because it's (costs less / faster).
6. The post office closes early (on Wednesday / on Saturday).

Writing

Put the words in the right order.

7. is / than / international mail. / cheaper / Domestic mail

8. the newspaper / count on / every morning. / We / to deliver / can / Lisa

9. at the library / Please / this book / for me. / drop off

10. express post. / sent / by / the letter / I

Reading Builder 1 Unit 17

Date:

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Words and Phrases

Match.

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|---------------------------------|-------------|
| 1. We need _____ to breathe. | a. supports |
| 2. Water is an important _____. | b. resource |
| 3. My father _____ our family. | c. oxygen |

Reading Comprehension

Write T for true or F for false.

4. ____ The Amazon helps to keep us and the Earth healthy.
5. ____ Many kinds of plants and animals can be found in the Amazon.
6. ____ The Amazon River is not so important to the Amazon rainforest.

Writing

Put the words in the right order.

7. The concert / sick. / because / is / is canceled / the singer / very

8. who / damage / People / smoke / their lungs.

9. on Earth. / is / places / one of the most / The Amazon / amazing

10. contains / collection of / This rainforest / plants and animals. / the largest

Reading Builder 1 Unit 18

Date:

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Words and Phrases

Match.

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|---|--------------|
| 1. Drinks are _____. | a. ice cubes |
| 2. Jennifer had _____ to cool her drink. | b. stirred |
| 3. After John put the milk in her tea, he _____ it. | c. liquids |

Reading Comprehension

Circle the right word.

4. (Three cups of sugar / Three cups of hot water) are needed to make this recipe.
5. The first thing to put into the pitcher is (lemon juice / hot water).
6. If you don't stir the lemonade, (the lemonade will not taste sweet / the sugar will dissolve).

Writing

Put the words in the right order.

7. squeezed / to make / the orange / Kevin / orange juice.

8. so that / your tea / mixes in. / Stir / the honey

9. if / want / sugar / dissolve / sweeter. / in your coffee / you / it

10. Paul / orange juice / the pitcher of / brought / to the breakfast table.

Reading Builder 1 Unit 19

Date:

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Words and Phrases

Match.

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|---------------------------------------|-------------|
| 1. Don't _____ me. I didn't break it! | a. reflect |
| 2. Mirrors _____ light! | b. concrete |
| 3. The old _____ wall is broken. | c. blame |

Reading Comprehension

Circle the right word.

4. This story is about (the importance of the Earth's temperature / the good effect of global warming).
5. Global warming is bad because (the change is too slow / it will affect the world in bad ways).
6. We can try to slow global warming by (reflecting light and heat / using less energy).

Writing

Put the words in the right order.

7. the lemonade / it. / absorbed / she / Karen's dress / spilled on

8. so complicated, / were / thoroughly / The story / confused. / was / we

9. the rain / to make / quickly. / The effect of / was / the plants / grow

10. have. / what / to me / It / makes / we / kind of / no difference / pizza

Reading Builder 1 Unit 20

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Words and Phrases

Match.

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|--|------------|
| 1. The fire _____ just went off! | a. curious |
| 2. We were _____ about the new teacher! | b. alarm |
| 3. This is not a real fire, it's just a _____. | c. drill |

Reading Comprehension

Write T for true or F for false.

4. ____ There was no fire. It was just practice.
5. ____ The students were in the hall when the alarm rang.
6. ____ Students thought it was a practice, but there was a real fire.

Writing

Put the words in the right order.

7. for Rachel / unusual / It / her work / was / to finish / early.

8. The morning / was / very hot! / but / cool, / the rest of / was / the day

9. in the cookie jar / Jane / her hand / to get / stuck / a treat.

10. quickly put out. / and / Police cars and fire trucks / was / the fire / arrived.
