

## Guided Writing for Young Learners 1 (Answer Key)

### Unit 1 In the Classroom

#### Exercise 1-1 (Answers 2-4 and 7-8 may vary)

1. I am a student.
2. You are Susan.
3. You are a girl.
4. You are a teacher.
5. She is a teacher.
6. He is Jason.
7. He is a student.
8. He is a boy.

#### Exercise 1-2 (answers will vary)

1. What is your name? My name is John.
2. How old are you? I am eight years old.
3. What is his name? His name is Jeff.
4. How old is he? He is seven years old.
5. Are you a student? Yes, I am a student.
6. Do you like school? Yes, I like school.

#### Exercise 1-3

1. Is she a teacher? Yes, she is a teacher.  
= Yes, she is.
2. Is Kimberly a boy? No, she is not a boy.  
= No, she isn't a boy.  
= No, she isn't.

#### Exercise 1-4 (Answers will vary)

1. What is your name? My name is John.
2. How old are you? I am eight years old.
3. Are you a student? Yes, I am a student.
4. Who is he? He is Richard.
5. How old is he? He is eight years old.
6. Is he a teacher? No, he is not a teacher.

### Exercise 1-5

1. What is your name? My name is Kimberly.
2. How old are you? I am eight years old.
3. Are you a teacher? No, I am not a teacher.
4. Who is she? She is Ms. Hanks.
5. How old is she? She is thirty years old.
6. Is she a teacher? Yes, she is a teacher.

## Unit 2 All About Me

### Sentence Structure (answers will vary)

1. You are a teacher. You are a pretty teacher.
2. He is a boy. He is a short boy.
3. She is a woman. She is a young woman.

### Sentence grid: bottom of page 6. (answers will vary)

I am a short student.

You are an old teacher.

We are cute students.

They are tall teachers.

He is a happy boy.

She is an old woman.

It is a small dog.

Patty is an angry girl.

David is a good boy.

### Exercise 2-1 (answers will vary)

1. You are tall. You are a tall boy.
2. He is angry. He is an angry teacher.
3. She is cute. She is a cute girl.

### Exercise 2-2

1. Are you happy? Yes, I am. I am happy.
2. Are you fat? No, I am not. I am not fat.
3. Is he cute? Yes, he is. He is cute.
4. Is she weak? No, she is not. She is not weak.

### Exercise 2-3

1. Yes, she is young. Yes, she is.
2. No, he is not tall. No, he is not.
3. Yes, I am a pretty teacher. Yes, I am.
4. No, you are not old. No, I am not.

### Exercise 2-4 (answers will vary)

**Fill in the blanks with colors.**

1. She has blond hair.
2. You have black hair.
3. She has green eyes.
4. He has blue eyes.
5. I have brown eyes.

### Fill in the blanks with adjectives. (answers will vary)

1. She has short hair.
2. You have pretty hair.
3. She has cute eyes.
4. He has big eyes.
5. I have small eyes.

## Unit 3 All About My Friends

### Exercise 3-1

1. Her name is Kimberly Rich.
2. She is eight years old.
3. She is tall.
4. Yes, I am strong.
5. Are you eleven years old?
6. How old are you?
7. His name is Jason.
8. No, he isn't a handsome teacher.

### Exercise 3-2 (answers will vary)

1. Are you a student? Yes, I am a student.
2. What is your name? My name is John.

3. How old are you? I am eight years old.
4. Are you happy? Yes, I am happy.
5. What color is your hair? My hair is red.

**Exercise 3-3 (Answers will vary)**

1. Is your classmate a girl? Yes, she is a girl. (Yes, she is.)
2. What is her name? Her name is Julie.
3. How old is she? She is nine years old.
4. Is she thin? Yes, she is thin. (Yes, she is.)
5. What color are her eyes? Her eyes are brown.

**Create your own questions and ask a partner. (answers will vary)**

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| What is your name?       | My name is Jack.    |
| How old are you?         | I am six years old. |
| What color is your hair? | My hair is black.   |
| Do you like school?      | Yes, I like school. |

**Rewrite his/her answers.**

His name is Jack. He is six years old. his hair is black. He likes school.

**Unit 4 My Family**

**Sentence Structure (Answers will vary)**

1. What does his father do? His father is a teacher.
2. What does her mother do? Her mother is a doctor.
3. What does your uncle do? My uncle is a salesman.

**Exercise 4-1**

1. Is his brother a teacher? Yes, his brother is a teacher.
2. Is her mother a doctor? No, her mother is not a doctor.
3. Is your father an engineer? Yes, my father is an engineer.
4. Is her aunt an actress? No, her aunt is not an actress.
5. Is your uncle a businessman? Yes, my uncle is a businessman.

**Exercise 4-2 (answers 1-5 will vary)**

*(The girl is asking the student these questions. Your students need to answer for*

*themselves.)*

1. What does your father do? My father is a teacher.
2. What does your mother do? My mother is a nurse.
3. Is your grandfather an actor? No, my grandfather is not an actor.
4. Is your grandmother an housewife? Yes, my grandmother is a housewife.
5. Are you a teacher? No, I am not a teacher.
6. Am I a student? Yes, you are a student.

### **Exercise 4-3**

*(Kimberly is asking about Chad)*

1. What does his father do? His father is a businessman.
2. What does his mother do? His mother is a teacher.
3. Is he a student? Yes, he is a student.
4. Is his older sister a student, too? Yes, his older sister is a student, too.

## **Unit 5 My Room**

### **Sentence Structure**

There is a desk in my room. There are desks in my room.

There is a pencil in the box. There are pencils in the box.

There is an airplane under the bed. There are airplanes under the bed.

### **Exercise 5-1**

1. There is a doll on the bed.
2. There are pencils on the desk.
3. There is an umbrella near the door.
4. There are three balls under the desk.

### **Exercise 5-2**

*(Teachers can have students answer with the longer sentence, with the shorter sentence, or with both.)*

1. Is there a truck near the bed? Yes, there is a truck near the bed.
2. Is there a doll in the school bag? No, there is not a doll in the school bag.
3. Is there a basketball between the desk and the closet? Yes, there is a basketball between the desk and the closet.
4. Is there a box on the floor? No, there is not a box on the floor.

### Exercise 5-3

*(Teachers can have students answer with the longer sentence, with the shorter sentence, or with both.)*

1. Are there airplanes in the room? No, there are not airplanes in the room.
2. Are there two desks in the room? Yes, there are two desk in the room.
3. Are there four boxes on the desk? No, there are not four boxes on the desk.
4. Are there dolls on the bed? Yes, there are dolls on the bed.

### Exercise 5-4

1. Is there a bike near the bed?
2. There are five teddy bears in the bag.

### Exercise 5-5 (Answers will vary)

1. There are some dogs in the yard.
2. There is a girl in the classroom.
3. There are five chairs in the kitchen.
4. There is a slide at the playground.

## Unit 6 Food

### Exercise 6-1

1. I like to eat noodle for lunch. I like to eat noodles for lunch.
2. He eats two glasses of milk every day. He drinks two glasses of milk every day.
3. Would you like to eat a apple? Would you like to eat an apple?
4. Grape is his favorite fruit. Grapes are his favorite fruit.

### Interview your classmate and write the food that he/she likes. (Answers will vary)

1. What do you like to eat for breakfast? I like to eat fruit for breakfast.
2. What do you like to eat for lunch? I like to eat pizza for lunch.
3. What do you like to eat for dinner? I like to eat hamburgers for dinner.

## Unit 7 My Daily Routine

### Exercise 7-1

1. What time is it? It is nine-o-five..
2. What time is it? It is one fifty. = It is ten to two.
3. What time is it? It is twelve o'clock.
4. What time is it? It is six fifteen. = It is a quarter after six.

### Exercise 7-2 (Answers will vary)

1. They eat lunch at twelve every day.
2. He walks to the park at five to ten every Wednesday.
3. She eats breakfast at seven o'clock in the morning.
4. They go to school at seven o'clock ever day.
5. You run home at five o'clock every Wednesday.

## Unit 8 Things We Like

### Exercise 8-1 (Answers will vary)

1. I like elephants. What do you like? I like school.
2. He likes lions. What does she like? She likes stories.
3. I like my brother. Who do you like? I like my mom.
4. She likes her mother. Who does he like? He likes his father.

### Exercise 8-2

1. I like cats. (cats, run)
2. She likes to read. (books, read)
3. We love to study. (dogs, study)
4. Joes loves monkeys. (monkeys, eat)

### Exercise 8-3

1. You like to play basketball. Do you like to play basketball?
2. He likes to read. Does he like to read?
3. I like cats. Do you like cats?
4. She likes her mother. Does she like her mother?
5. Jack likes to play the piano. Does Jack like to play the piano?

#### **Exercise 8-4 (Answers will vary)**

1. What is your name? My name is John.
2. Where do you live? I live in Taiwan.
3. What do you like to do? I like to play soccer.
4. What do you like to eat? I like to eat pizza.

#### **Exercise 8-5 (Answers will vary)**

1. Q: What is your name? A: My name is Joe.
2. Q: What do you like to eat? A: I like to eat noodles.
3. Q: Do you like animals? A: Yes, I like animals.
4. Q: Do you like to read? A: Yes, I like to read.

#### **Exercise 8-6**

His name is Joe. He likes to eat noodles. He likes animals. He likes to read.

## **Unit 9 When We Like to Do Things**

#### **Exercise 9-1**

1. Do you go swimming every Monday? Yes, I go swimming every Monday.
2. Do you like to play baseball? Yes, I like to play baseball.
3. Do you go to school every Wednesday? Yes, I go to school every Wednesday.
4. Do you like to go to the movies? No, I do not like to go to the movies.
5. Do you play the violin every day? No, I do not play the violin every day.
6. Do you go swimming in December? No, I do not go swimming in December.

#### **Exercise 9-2**

1. Do you play the piano every Sunday? Yes, I do.
2. Do you go skiing in January? Yes, I do.
3. Do you have a basketball? Yes, I do.
4. Do you speak English? No, I do not.
5. Do you enjoy summer breaks? No, I do not.
6. Do you like to eat pork? No, I do not.



### Exercise 9-3 (Answers will vary)

1. I go to church every Sunday. I go to school every day.
2. I play the piano at noon. I play the violin at noon.
3. I like to speak Spanish. I like to speak English.
4. He likes elephants. He likes monkeys.
5. She plays the violin at ten thirty. She plays the piano at eleven forty-five.
6. He reads a book every morning. He eats breakfast every morning.

### Exercise 9-4 (Answers will vary)

I go to school every Tuesday.

I like to eat apples.

I like horses.

She likes birds.

I play the guitar every morning.

I eat dinner every evening.

I like to speak French.

I go to the park every day.

## Unit 10 More About Me and My Family

### Exercise 10-1

1. He speaks English every day.
2. I like to eat chocolate.
3. My mother goes to China every year.
4. We are students.
5. There is a bird in the cage.
6. Jane plays basketball every Saturday.
7. You and I have a good teacher.

### Exercise 10-2

My name is Chad. I am eight years old. I live in Los Angeles. My father is a businessman, and my mother is a teacher. I love my family very much.

I usually get up at six thirty. After I eat breakfast, I go to school. At school, I study English, Spanish, and math. I play with my classmates. I eat lunch and take a nap. I leave school at three thirty. (*The teacher can draw a clock for the time.*)

After school, I do my homework and watch TV. I take a shower at nine o'clock. I

drink some milk before I go to sleep.

**Exercise 10-3**

She has brown hair and blue eyes. I like her very much. She teaches us English and music. She likes to play the piano and go swimming. On Saturdays, She goes to the park with her family. On Sundays, She goes to church. She is a very good teacher. I like being her student.