



Part 2b: LWR Reading Comprehension

LWR Reading Profile 3

3-A. Three Days at Snake River

The Masons' payday was May 15. They put their checks in the bank and paid their bills. They went away for the last three days in May.

Jane and Pete went to Snake River. They had fun there. They fished in the river. They played in the water. They picked up pretty rocks.

When they came back, Pete said, "We spent a hundred dollars. But it was fun."

1. Where did the Masons go?

- ☐ a. To the lake
- ☐ b. To Snake River
- ☐ c. Shopping

2. What did the Masons do there?

3. Did they have fun? _____

- ☐ a. Yes
- ☐ b. No

4. How much did they spend? _____

3-B. Fire at Home

It was late at night. Joe Stone was home alone. He was smoking in bed while he watched TV. Joe went to sleep with his cigarette in his hand. The bed burned, and smoke filled the air.

Joe's puppy woke Joe up. Joe picked up his puppy and ran into the cold night. He ran next door and phoned the fire department.

The fire truck arrived quickly. The men and women put water on the fire. The people from the fire department saved Joe Stone's home. Joe thanked the people and his puppy.

Question: What happened first? Put a 1 by that sentence. In what order did the other things happen? Put a number by each sentence to show the right order.

_____ Joe went to sleep.

_____ Joe was smoking in bed.

_____ The fire was put out.

_____ The puppy woke Joe up.

_____ The bed started burning.

_____ Joe called the fire department.

LWR Reading Profile 3 Practical Reading

This is a check -use it to answer the questions below.

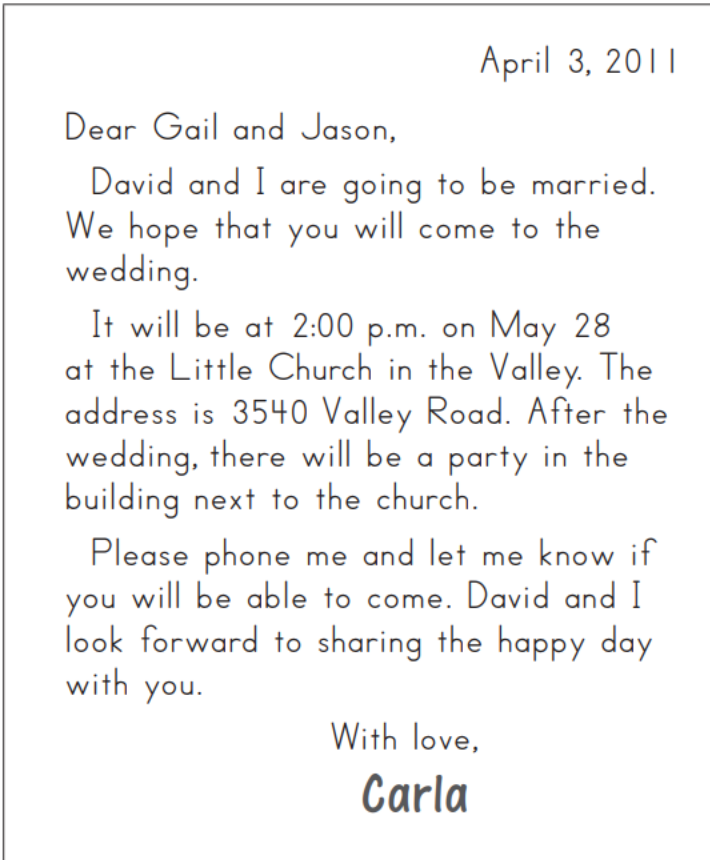
Question 1: a Check

Kay Block 237 First Street Garden City, Florida 32210	<u>April 30</u>	<u>20 11</u>	150
PAY TO <u>Helen Porter</u>		\$ <u>375.00</u>	
<u>Three hundred seventy-five and $\frac{00}{100}$</u>		<u>~~~~~</u>	DOLLARS
First City Bank 4500 Lake Road Garden City, Florida 32210			
Memo: <u>May rent</u>	<u>Kay Block</u>		

1. Who wrote the check? _____
2. Who is the check to be paid to? _____
3. What is the date of the check? _____
4. What is the check for? _____
5. How much did Kay pay? _____

Question 2: a Letter

Read the letter. Then answer the questions below it.



1. Who wrote the letter?
2. Who is the letter to?
3. When was the letter written?
4. Why was the letter written?
 - _____ a. To thank Gail and Jason for a wedding gift?
 - _____ b. To invite Gail and Jason to Carla and David's wedding?
 - _____ c. To invite Gail and Jason to a party before the wedding?
5. What is the date of the wedding?
6. What time does the wedding start?

Question 3: a Bill

Joe has received this bill from Dan's Bike Repair Service. Use the bill to answer the questions below it.

Dan's Bike Repair Service	
228 East Street	
Happy Valley	
Name:	Joe Wells
Address:	221 North Street
Date:	October 8, 2010
For:	Brake repair
Parts:	\$10.50
Labor:	<u>25.00</u>
	\$35.50
Sales Tax:	<u>\$2.50</u>
Total:	\$38.00

1. What is the bill for?
2. Which cost more, parts or labor?
3. How much is the sales tax?
4. How much does Joe have to pay?

Question 4: a Timetable

ARRIVING					DEPARTING			
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Flight	From		Time	Gate	Flight	To	Time	Gate
505	Montreal		8:55 a.m.	2	505	Toronto	9:25 a.m.	2
419	Halifax		12:40 p.m.	5	423	Toronto	1:20 p.m.	5
680	Toronto		2:30 p.m.	3	675	Halifax	3:05 p.m.	3

1. What time does Flight 419 arrive from Halifax? _____
2. What time does Flight 423 leave for Toronto? _____
3. What gate does Flight 675 leave from? _____
4. Two flights go to Toronto. Write the flight numbers. _____
5. What time does the morning flight to Toronto leave? _____

Question 5: an Application

This is part of an application for a fishing license. Fill out the details:

MAIL APPLICATION FOR FISHING LICENSE		
<u>Please print clearly.</u>		
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Last Name	First Name	
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Address: <hr/>		
Number and Street		
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City	Province	Post Code
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Date of Birth: <hr/> (dd/mm/yy)		
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Sign Here		