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2. There are 15 pages in this Question-Answer Booklet.
Answer all questions.
本卷共有 15 頁，全部題目均須作答。
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4. Time allowed is 25 minutes.
評估時限為 25 分鐘。
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Instructions for answering questions:

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Multiple Choice Questions – Use an **HB pencil** to blacken the circle next to the correct answer. For example:

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Part 1

Peter and Mary are reading a notice about activities in their school.

Read the notice.

<p align="center"><u>Swimming Day</u></p> <p>Date: 12 March Place: Star Pool Price: \$25 (Students)</p> <p>*Bring a swimsuit and a towel.</p>	<p align="center"><u>Hiking Trip</u></p> <p>Date: 9 March Place: Sai Kung Country Park Price: \$10 (Buy one ticket and get one free.)</p> <p>*Bring water, some snacks and a hat.</p>	<p align="center"><u>Reading Day</u></p> <p>Date: 20 March Place: School Library Price: Free</p> <p>*Bring a book about food.</p>
<p align="center"><u>Fun Week</u></p> <p>Date: 6 – 10 March Place: School playground Price: \$10</p> <div align="center">  <p>Games Stalls Magic Show</p> </div> <p>Free fish balls and balloons!</p>	<p align="center"><u>Snake Show</u></p> <p>Date: 22 – 23 March Place: Happy Zoo Price: \$15 (Students) \$30 (Parents)</p> <p>*Bring a camera.</p>	<p align="center"><u>Pet Day</u></p> <p>Date: 1 March Place: Joy Park Price: Free</p> <p>Bring your pet with you!</p>

Choose the best answer by blackening the circle.

1. Mary likes to swim. Where can she go?

- ☐ A. Star Pool
☐ B. School playground
☐ C. Joy Park
☐ D. Happy Zoo

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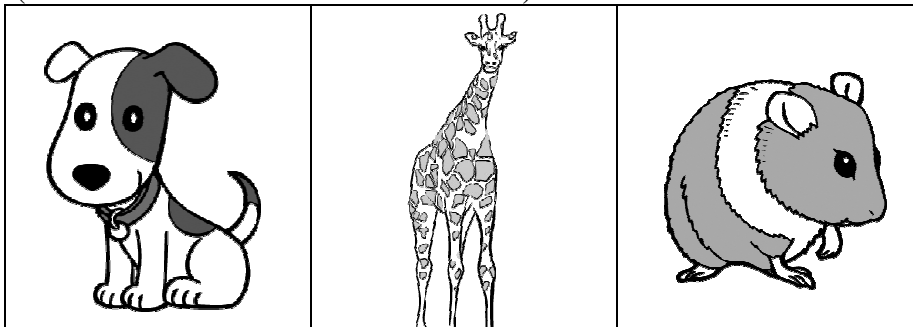
2. Mary and her friend want to go for a walk. Which activity can they join?

- ☐ A. Fun Week
- ☐ B. Reading Day
- ☐ C. Snake Show
- ☐ D. Hiking Trip

3. Peter pays \$10 for the Hiking Trip. How many tickets does he get?

- ☐ A. 1
- ☐ B. 2
- ☐ C. 3
- ☐ D. 4

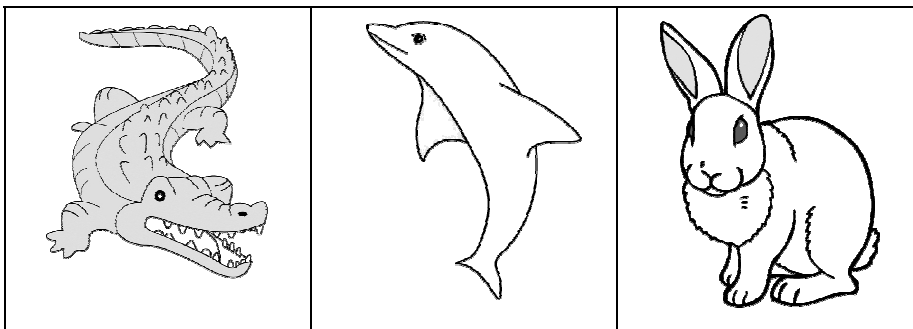
4. What animals can Mary bring on the Pet Day?
(You can choose more than one answer.)



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☐ B.

☐ C.



☐ D.

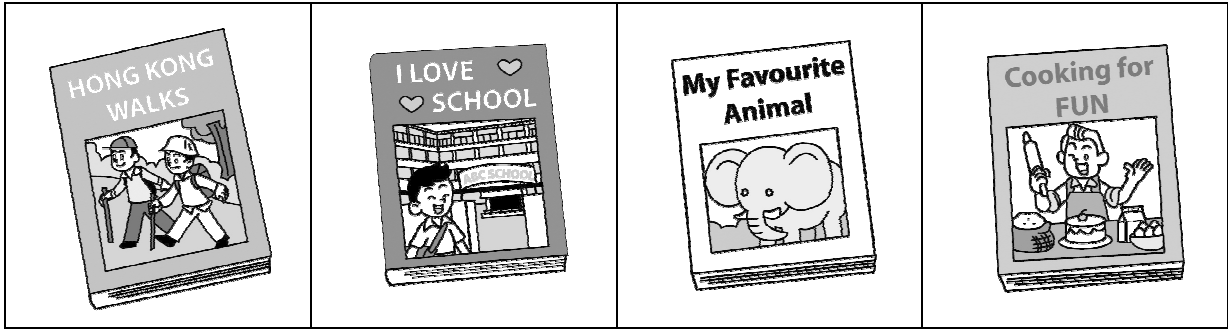
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5. Which book should Mary bring for Reading Day?



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☐ B.

☐ C.

☐ D.

6. What can Mary do on 7 March?

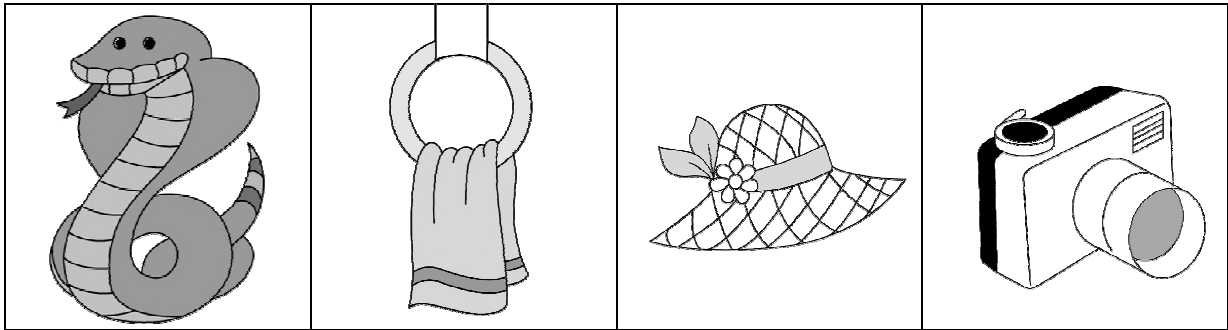
☐ A. go hiking

☐ B. go swimming

☐ C. watch a magic show

☐ D. take a picture with a snake

7. What should Mary bring for the Snake Show?



☐ A.

☐ B.

☐ C.

☐ D.

8. Mary wants to go to the Snake Show. How much will she pay?

☐ A. \$10

☐ B. \$15

☐ C. \$25

☐ D. \$30

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Part 2A

Mary is reading a story about three frogs.

Read the first part of the story.

The Three Frogs

Once upon a time, there were three frogs. Their names were Jack, Tom and Bill. One day, the three frogs were sitting next to a pond. They looked up at a castle on top of a hill.

"We are so ugly and green now! How can we be princes again?" they cried.

"We can go to the castle and kiss the sleeping princess. She lives at the top of the castle," said Jack.

When the sun came up, the three frogs started to jump. Jump, jump, jump. They only got to the top of the hill when the sun went down.

"It's too dark now. We can't see the way to the castle," said Tom.

"Then we will wait for the moon to come out," said Bill.

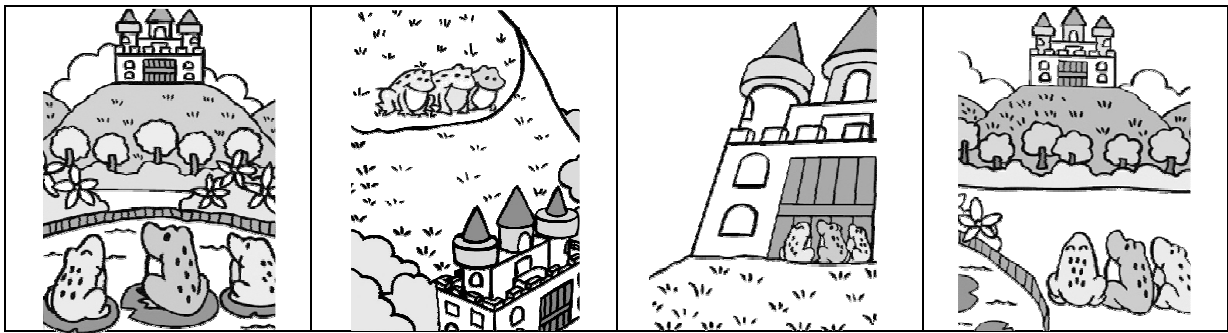
Soon, the moon came out and the frogs jumped to the bottom of the princess' castle.

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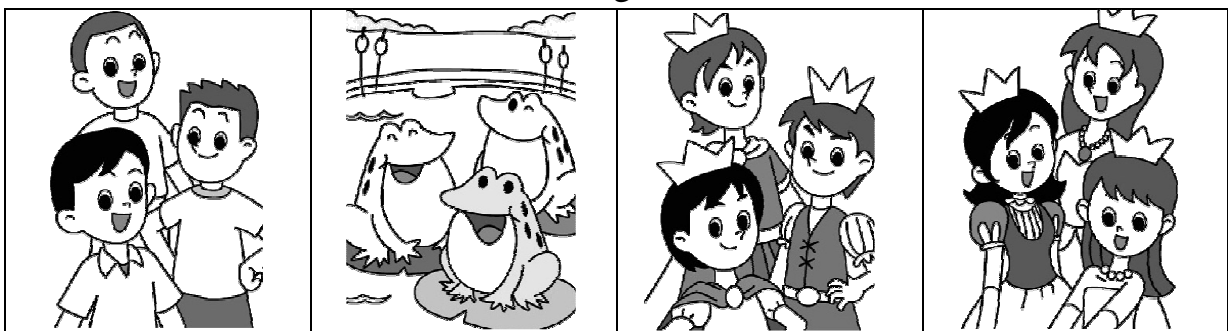
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2. Read lines 5 – 6. What were the frogs before?



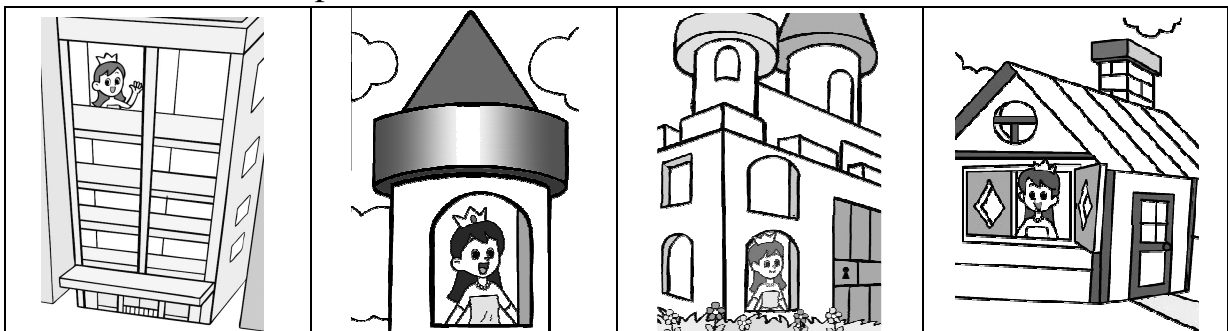
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☐ C.

☐ D.

3. Where was the princess' bedroom?



☐ A.

☐ B.

☐ C.

☐ D.

4. The frogs jumped _____ to get to the top of the hill.

☐ A. all morning

☐ B. all afternoon

☐ C. all day

☐ D. all night

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5. Why did the frogs wait for the moon to come out?

- ☐ A. to see the princess
- ☐ B. to find the way to the castle
- ☐ C. to go back down the hill
- ☐ D. to look at the stars and the moon

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Part 2B

Read the second part of the story.

"Oh dear! The castle is so tall," the frogs said. "There is no door and the window is so high!"

"I know!" said Tom. He threw a magic bean onto the ground and said, "One, two, three!" Suddenly, a plant grew out of the ground. It got to the princess' room. The three frogs climbed up to the bedroom window and saw the princess sleeping in her bed. They hopped onto the bed. 5

"Me first," said Tom.

"No, me first," said Jack.

"All together," said Bill. 10

"One, two, three, kiss!"

Then, there was a puff of smoke and they could not see the princess. 15

When the smoke went away, the frogs saw a small animal on the bed. It looked just like them.

"Oh no!" the princess cried and she hopped out of the bedroom.

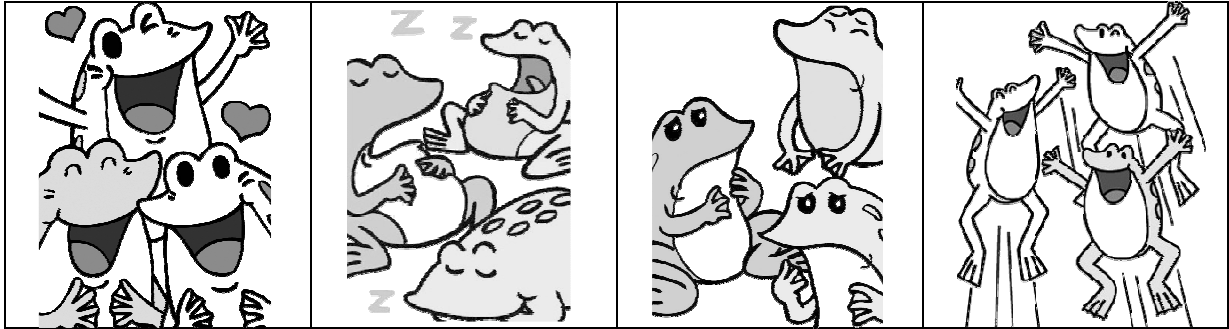
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1. Read line 1: "Oh dear! The castle is so tall," the frogs said.

How did the frogs feel when they saw the castle?



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☐ B.

☐ C.

☐ D.

2. Read line 3: "He threw a magic bean..." 'He' refers to _____.

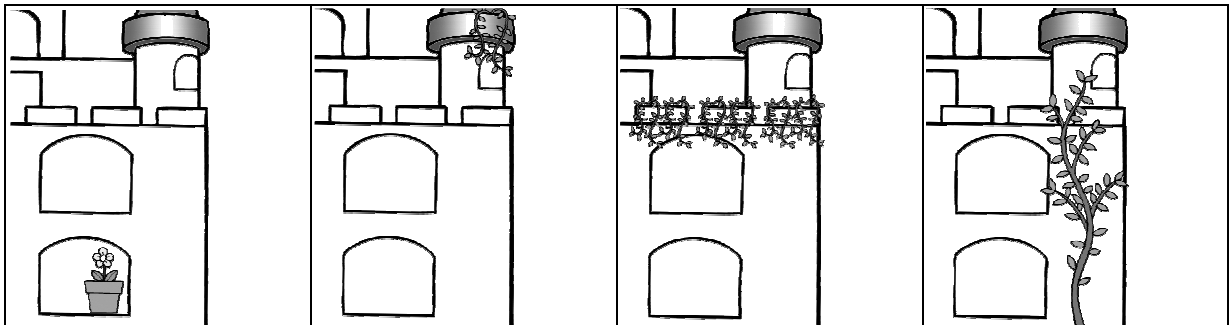
☐ A. Bill

☐ B. Tom

☐ C. Jack

☐ D. the princess

3. Read lines 3 – 5. Which is the correct picture about the magic bean?



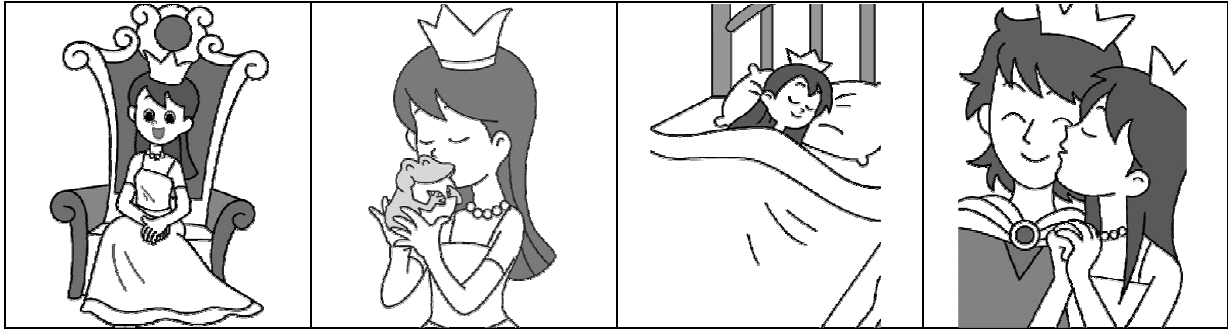
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4. What did the frogs see when they got to the bedroom window?



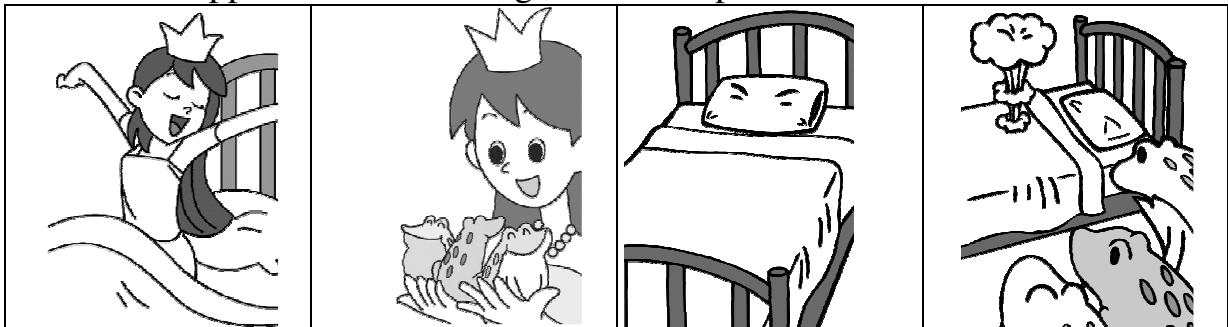
- ☐ A. ☐ B. ☐ C. ☐ D.

5. Read line 8: "Me first," said Tom.

What did he want to do?

- ☐ A. kiss the princess
☐ B. climb the plant
☐ C. look at the princess
☐ D. climb into the bedroom

6. What happened when the frogs kissed the princess?



- ☐ A. ☐ B. ☐ C. ☐ D.

7. After the kisses, the princess was _____.

- ☐ A. young and beautiful
☐ B. ugly and green
☐ C. sleepy and tired
☐ D. happy and cheerful

Part 3

Mary is reading a poem about a day at the farm.

Read the poem.

At the Farm

*Meow, meow, meow,
Baa, baa, black,
Moo, moo, moo,
Flap, flap, quack.*

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*Cats and sheep,
Ducks and cows,
These are the things,
I see now.*

*We go home as the sun goes down,
Sit on the bus and look around,
Soon there are tall buildings, streets and noise,
Back at home, I see my games and toys.*

10

*Brmm, brmm, brmm,
Beep, beep, beep,
The sounds of the streets,
Can't stop my sleep.*

15

*Dreaming now,
Of sheep and cows,
Ducks swimming,
Cats sleeping.*

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*Baa, moo, quack,
The end of my day,
I dream of the animals,
And the things they say.*

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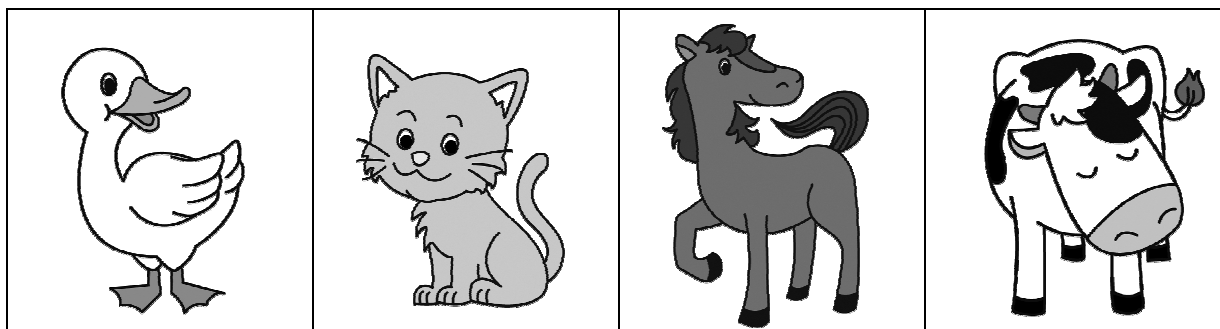
By Tom Smith

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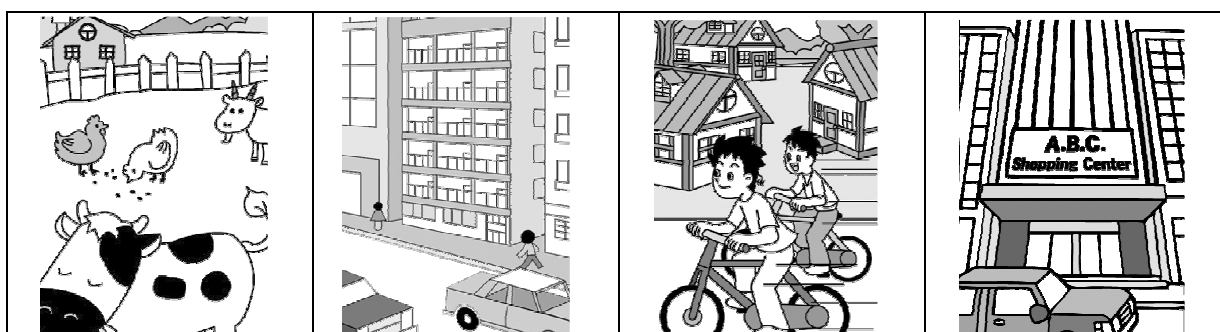
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☐ B.

☐ C.

☐ D.

2. Where does Tom live?



☐ A.

☐ B.

☐ C.

☐ D.

3. 'Brmm' and 'beep' are the sounds of _____.

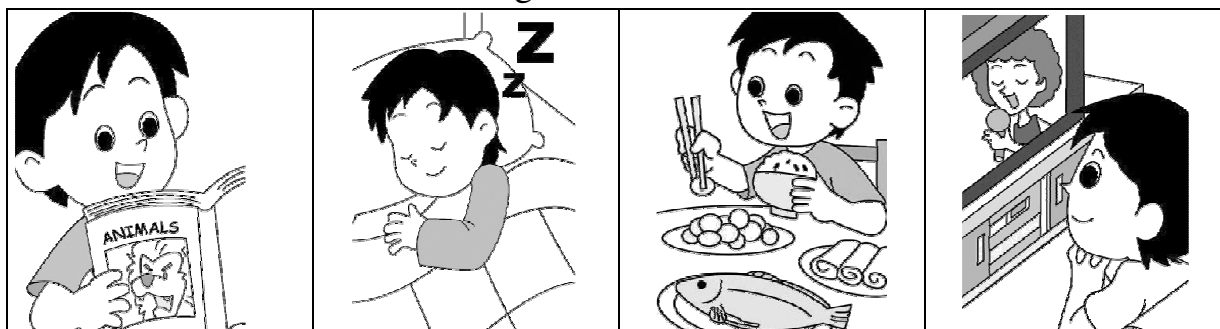
☐ A. cars

☐ B. children

☐ C. teddy bears

☐ D. cats

4. What does Tom do when he gets home?



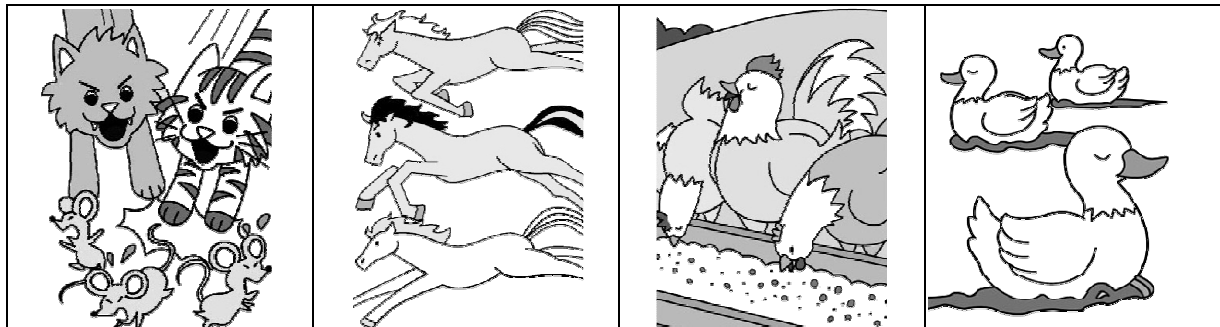
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☐ D.

5. What does Tom see in his dream?



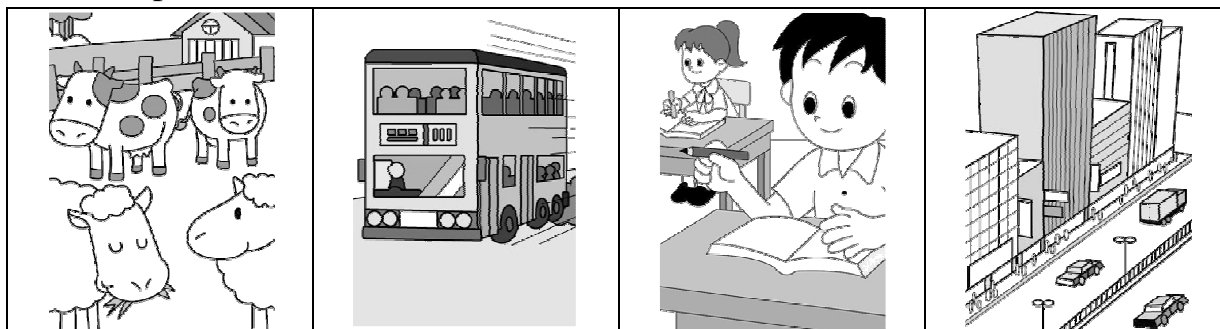
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☐ B.

☐ C.

☐ D.

6. The poem does not tell us about _____.



☐ A.

☐ B.

☐ C.

☐ D.

7. Which two words from the poem rhyme?

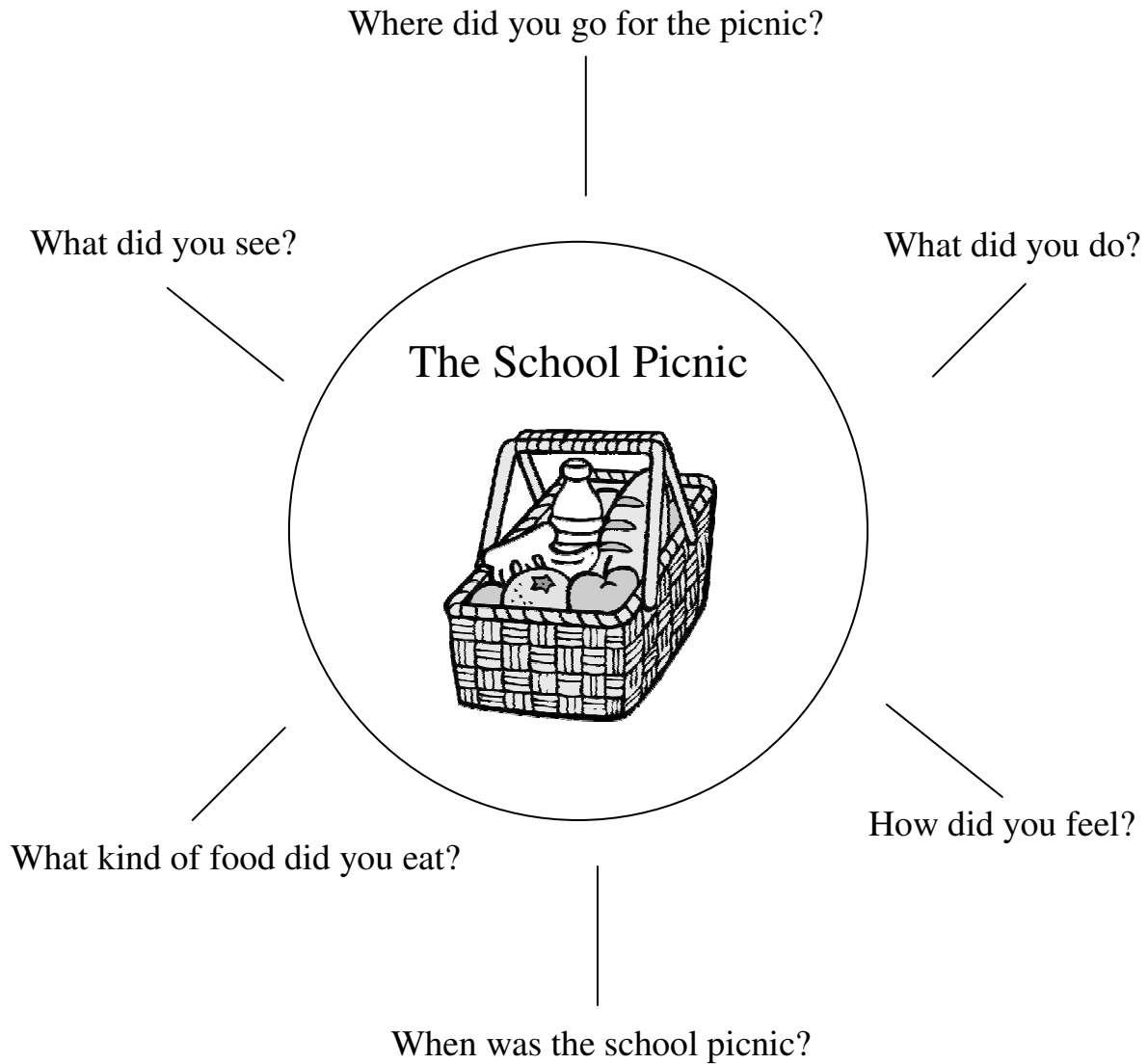
- ☐ A. moo and quack
- ☐ B. brmm and beep
- ☐ C. dream and things
- ☐ D. day and say

Part 4

Mary is writing a letter to tell her friend, Kate, about her school picnic.

You are Mary. Write the letter in about 30 words.

You may use your own ideas or the following questions to help you:



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8th May, 2008

Dear Kate,

Love,

Mary

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