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Community: Things in my Community

Section Overview

Make a Prediction:

Directions: Look at the title page of the current section of the Focus on Community Reader and then answer the question below.

Write a word(s) to predict what you think this section overview is about.

Getting Started:

Directions: Read the question and circle the appropriate pictures.

What is something that you might see in your community?















Directions: Look at all of the pictures and pages in this section of the Focus on Community Reader and then answer the question below.

What should you look for in your community in case there is a fire?

I'm Learning Vocabulary

Direction: Look at the pictures below and write the vocabulary word next to the picture that best describes it. Then, write a sentence using the word.

exit automatic elevator escalator

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Things in my Community: **Doors**

1. Read and Choose:

Directions: Read the question and then mark the correct answer.



What are doors called that open before you touch them?

| manual | doors |
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revolving doors

automatic doors

2. Comprehension:

Directions: Circle the sentence that best describes this story.

A. It is important to know how to use different kinds of doors.

B. All doors out in the community are automatic doors.

C. It is okay to use an emergency door if you need to leave a building.

3. Missing Word:

Directions: Fill in the missing word using a word from the word bank below.

WORD BANK

CAUTION STOP

WET FLOOR **EXIT** To get out of a building, look for a sign

that says

4. Write It!

Directions: Read the question and indicate your answer below.

Why do you think it is important to know where the EXIT is in a building?

5. You Decide!

Directions: Read the question and answer by marking YES or NO.

Do you believe that it is important to know how to use different kinds of doors?





Things in my Community: Stairs, Escalators and Elevators

1. Read and Choose:

Directions: Read the question and then mark the correct answer.



What is something in your community that helps you move between floors?

doors elevator restroom

2. Comprehension:

Directions: Circle the sentence that best describes this story.

A. You do not have to hold on to the railing when going up or down an escalator.

B. People go up or down in buildings by using stairs, elevators, or escalators.

C. People should know how to use an elevator appropriately.

3. Missing Word:

Directions: Fill in the missing word using a word from the word bank below.

WORD BANK

car

window

machine elevator

To open an _____ door, you need to push the up or down button.

4. Write It!

Directions: Read the question and indicate your answer below.

Why do you think it is important to hold on to the railing when going up or down an escalator?

5. You Decide!

Directions: Read the question and answer by marking YES or NO.

Do you believe that it is safe to run up or down escalator stairs?









Personal: Home

Section Overview

Make a Prediction:

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Write a word(s) to predict what you think this section overview is about.

Getting Started:

Directions: Read the question and circle the appropriate pictures.

What is something that you might do at your home?













Section Overview

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Think About It!

Directions: Look at all of the pictures and pages in this section of the Focus on Community Reader and then answer the question below.

What is something that you can do around your home to keep it clean?

I'm Learning Vocabulary

Direction: Look at the pictures below and write the vocabulary word next to the picture that best describes it. Then, write a sentence using the word.

| WORD BANK | | | |
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| utensils | chores | | |
| recycle | germs | | |

| _ | VOCABULARY WORD | WRITE A SENTENCE |
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Preparing a Meal

1. Read and Choose:

Directions: Read the question and then mark the correct answer.



What should you do before making a meal?

| use th | ne restroom | take out the trash | wash your hands | | | | |
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| 2. Comp | rehension: | Directions: Circle the sent | ence that best describes this story. | | | | |
| • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • | A. Making your own meal is a fun and rewarding experience. | | | | | | |
| B. You ca | | ferent ingredients to a recipe if | • | | | | |
| | C. Be careful with t | he utensils you use while you a | re preparing a meal. | | | | |
| 3. Missi | ng Word: | Directions: Fill in the missi | ing word using a word from the word bank below. | | | | |
| map signs | reading recipe | | al, you should follow accurately. | | | | |
| 4. Write | : It! | Directions: Read the quest | ion and indicate your answer below. | | | | |
| | What is a fav | orite recipe that you have and | like to make? | | | | |
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5. You Decide!

Directions: Read the question and answer by marking YES or NO.

Do you believe that it is important to follow a recipe accurately?





Indoor Chores - Washing Dishes

1. Read and Choose:

Directions: Read the question and then mark the correct answer.



What is something that needs to be done after you have finished a meal?

wash the dishes

make the bed

fold the laundry

2. Comprehension:

Directions: Circle the sentence that best describes this story.

A. Make sure to check the temperature of the water when you are washing dishes.

B. When you are finished with a meal, there are dishes to be washed.

C. You do not have to use dish soap when washing dishes.

3. Missing Word:

Directions: Fill in the missing word using a word from the word bank below.

WORD BANK

marks

germs

rust

stains

It is important to wash dishes well to remove

that could make you sick.

4. Write It!

Directions: Read the question and indicate your answer below.

Why do you think it is important to be careful when washing sharp knives?

5. You Decide!

Directions: Read the question and answer by marking YES or NO.

Do you believe that it is safe to wash dishes with just water?





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Recycling and Garbage

1. Read and Choose:

Directions: Read the question and then mark the correct answer.



What is kept separate from the garbage to possibly be reused again?

| mulch | | glass | water |
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| 2. Comprehens | ion: | Directions: Circle the sente | nce that best describes this story. |
| A. Aluminum | n cans, glass bo | ttles, and paper can all be t | hrown in the garbage. |
| | | ge in a trash can without p | |
| C. Rec | ycling and garb | age should be kept in sepa | rate containers. |
| 3. Missing Wor | d: | Directions: Fill in the missin | ng word using a word from the word bank below. |
| word BANK trashed mov colored recy | | Aluminum cans, glas | ss bottles, and paper |
| 4. Write It! | | Directions: Read the questi | ion and indicate your answer below. |
| | it is important | t to recycle items such as a | luminum, glass, and paper? |

5. You Decide!

Directions: Read the question and answer by marking YES or NO.

Do you believe that it is okay not to recycle?





Outdoor Chores - Lawncare

1. Read and Choose:

Directions: Read the question and then mark the correct answer.



What is a chore that you may have to do outside?

wash the dishes

mow the lawn

fold the laundry

2. Comprehension:

Directions: Circle the sentence that best describes this story.

A. Helping with outdoor chores can be fun, but you should always be careful.

B. When mowing the lawn, it is best to wear sandals and long pants.

C. You do not have to wear gloves when raking leaves.

3. Missing Word:

Directions: Fill in the missing word using a word from the word bank below.

WORD BANK

blade

hose

rock

bee

When mowing the lawn, you should keep your hands and feet away from a moving

4. Write It!

Directions: Read the question and indicate your answer below.

Why do you think it is important to keep your hands and feet away from a moving blade?

5. You Decide!

Directions: Read the question and answer by marking YES or NO.

Do you believe that you should wear pants and sneakers when mowing the lawn?









School

Section Overview

Make a Prediction:

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Write a word(s) to predict what you think this section overview is about.

Getting Started:

Directions: Read the question and circle the appropriate pictures.

What is something that you might do in the morning to get ready for school?















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Think About It!

Directions: Look at all of the pictures and pages in this section of the Focus on Community Reader and then answer the question below.

What is one way that you can get to school in the morning?

I'm Learning Vocabulary

Direction: Look at the pictures below and write the vocabulary word next to the picture that best describes it. Then, write a sentence using the word.

| | WORD BANK |
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| alarm | library |
| classroom | lunchroom |

| VOCABULARY WORD | WRITE A SENTENCE |
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School: Getting Ready for School

1. Read and Choose:

Directions: Read the question and then mark the correct answer.



What should you set before going to hed that helps you wake up for school?

| What should you set before going to bed that helps you wake up for school: | | | | |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------|--|
| tel | levision | alarm | music | |
| 2. Comp | rehension: | Directions: Circle the sent | ence that best describes this story. | |
| A. The | A. There are many things that you must do to get ready for school in the morning. | | | |
| В. | B. If you are running late in the morning, it is okay to not brush your teeth. | | | |
| C. Most students use backpacks to carry books and school materials. | | | | |
| 3. Missir | ng Word: | Directions: Fill in the miss | ing word using a word from the word bank below. | |
| breakfast lunch | dinner snack | The most important meal of | the day is | |
| 4. Write | lt! | Directions: Read the ques | tion and indicate your answer below. | |
| What is one thing that you should do to get ready before school? | | | | |
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5. You Decide!

Directions: Read the question and answer by marking YES or NO.

Do you believe that it is important to set an alarm to help you get up in the mornings?





School: Riding the Bus

1. Read and Choose:

Directions: Read the question and then mark the correct answer.



What is the first thing that you should do when you get on the bus?

| sit down | talk to friends | play games | | |
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| 2. Comprehension: | Directions: Circle the sentence | e that best describes this story. | | |
| • | A. When you are on the bus, it is okay to talk loudly to your friends. | | | |
| | e bus to school, there are rules that | t you must follow. | | |
| C. When the bus stops, gather your belongings and stand up in the aisle. | | | | |
| 3. Missing Word: | Directions: Fill in the missing | word using a word from the word bank below. | | |
| WORD BANK loudly quietly music backpack | It is important to talk case there are special instruc | on the bus in tions from the bus driver. | | |
| 4. Write It! | Directions: Read the question | and indicate your answer below. | | |
| Why do you think it is important to stay seated on the bus while it is moving? | | | | |
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5. You Decide!

Directions: Read the question and answer by marking YES or NO.

Do you believe that it is safe to turn around and talk to the person behind you on the bus?





School: Starting School in the Morning

1. Read and Choose:

Directions: Read the question and then mark the correct answer.

What should you do when you get to school?

| go to the library | visit with friends | walk to your classroom | |
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| 2. Comprehension: | Directions: Circle the senter | nce that best describes this story. | |
| A. Take out your books and homework from your backpack. | | | |
| B. You can talk quietly to your friends when the teacher starts class. | | | |
| C. Following a routine at school will help you to be ready for the day. | | | |
| 3. Missing Word: | Directions: Fill in the missin | ng word using a word from the word bank below. | |
| WORD BANK lunchroom auditorium gym classroom | in which a class of s | is a room in a school students is taught. | |
| 4. Write It! | Directions: Read the question | on and indicate your answer below. | |
| What is or | ne rule that you have in your cla | assroom? | |

5. You Decide!

Directions: Read the question and answer by marking YES or NO.

Do you believe that it is safe and responsible to follow classroom rules?





School: The Lunchroom

1. Read and Choose:

Directions: Read the question and then mark the correct answer.



Where do you go to when it is time to eat lunch at school?

| the lunchroom | the nurse | the office | | |
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| 2. Comprehension: | Directions: Circle the sentence | ee that best describes this story. | | |
| | A. You must wait in line to get food from the cafeteria. | | | |
| B. Lunch is a ti | me when you can see and talk to | your friends. | | |
| C. When you are do | one eating, you can leave your tra | ash on the tables. | | |
| 3. Missing Word: | Directions: Fill in the missing | word using a word from the word bank below. | | |
| word BANK office lunchroom classroom gymnasium | A is a students get food from the | place in a school where ne cafeteria line to eat. | | |
| 4. Write It! | Directions: Read the question | and indicate your answer below. | | |
| What is one rule | that you must follow in your sch | ool lunchroom? | | |
| 5. You Decide! | Directions: Read the question | a and answer by marking YES or NO. | | |

Do you believe that you should be able to talk loudly in the lunchroom?





School: The Library

1. Read and Choose:

Directions: Read the question and then mark the correct answer.



Where do you go to find books to read, do research, or work on projects?

| the | cafeteria | the office | the library | |
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| 2. Comp | rehension: | Directions: Circle the sente | ence that best describes this story. | |
| A. Following rules in a library can make your time enjoyable. | | | | |
| B. If you want a book to take home, you must check it out. | | | | |
| | C. You do not have to talk quietly when you are in the library. | | | |
| 3. Missir | ng Word: | Directions: Fill in the missi | ing word using a word from the word bank below. | |
| librarian doctor | cashier dentist | When you are at the libra | ary, and check out a book. | |
| 4. Write | lt! | Directions: Read the quest | ion and indicate your answer below. | |
| | Wha | at are some things that a librarian | does? | |

5. You Decide!

Directions: Read the question and answer by marking YES or NO.

Do you believe that you should have to talk quietly when you are at the library?



