

## Story Comprehension

Read the short story below and circle your answer to each question.

Hoots, Boots and Walter are friends. They like to play soccer together. One day they met at Boots' house before going to the park. They grabbed a soccer ball and saw it didn't have enough air in it. Boots found a pump to put more air in the ball. Walter held the ball. Hoots held the pump. Boots pushed the pump up and down to put more air in the ball. After the ball had enough air, they went to the park to play soccer.

### Who are the characters in this story?

- Hoots, Boots and Walter
- Hannah, Boots and Winston
- Hoots, Bai and Wally

### What is the setting of the story?

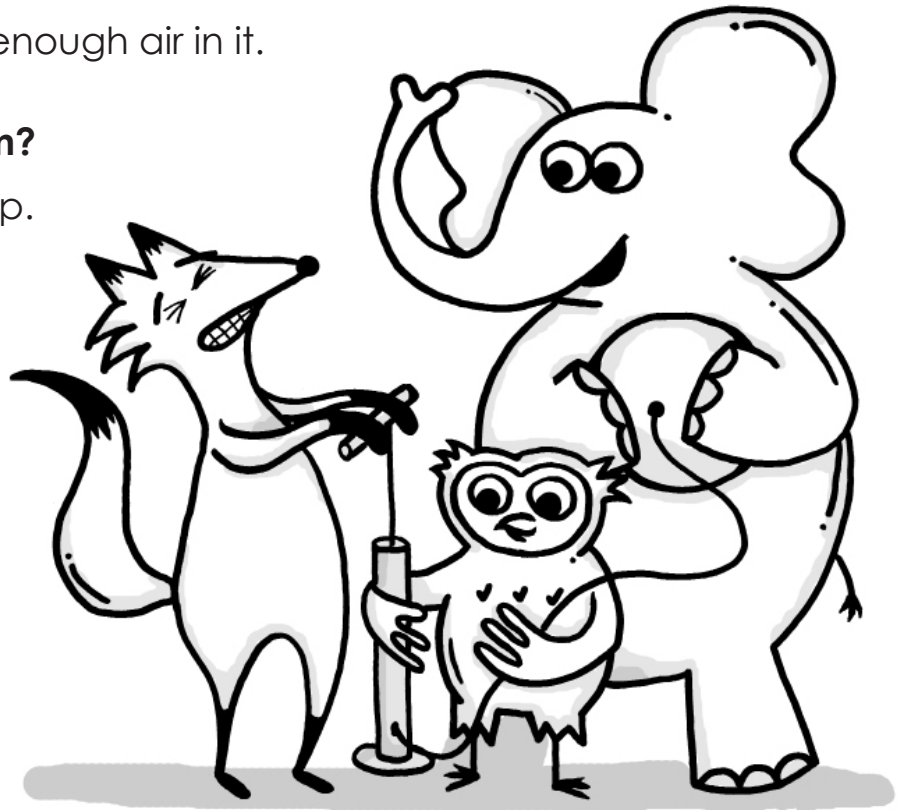
- swimming pool
- park
- Boots' house

### What was the problem they had to solve?

- They like to play soccer.
- They went to Boots' house.
- The soccer ball didn't have enough air in it.

### How did they solve the problem?

- They asked a teacher for help.
- They put air in the ball.
- They bought a new ball.

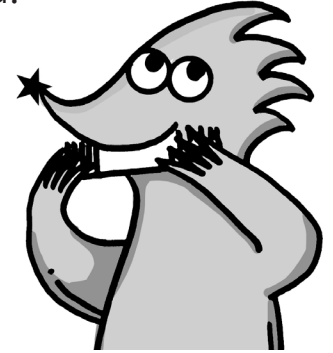


# Building an Instrument

Stevie the mole loves music, but they have not played an instrument. Practice reading and following instructions to build your own kazoo for you and Stevie. Then, test it out and reflect on what you noticed with a friend.

## What You Need:

- Cardboard tubes (toilet paper or paper towel rolls)
- Waxed paper
- Rubberbands
- A pencil, to poke holes in the tube



## Make It:

- Cover one end of your cardboard tube with a piece of waxed paper.
- Wrap the rubberband around the tube, to secure the waxed paper.
- Make sure the waxed paper is wrapped tightly across the hole.
- Use the pencil to poke a hole below the waxed paper.

## Play It:

Put the open end of the tube to your mouth. Hum, sing a song, or say the word "Boo."

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# Fiction or Nonfiction

Fiction = not true, make believe

Nonfiction = true, real

Is it more likely that the book titles below are fiction or nonfiction? Circle your answers.

## The Bug Who Baked Bread

Fiction

Nonfiction

## Cows in Space

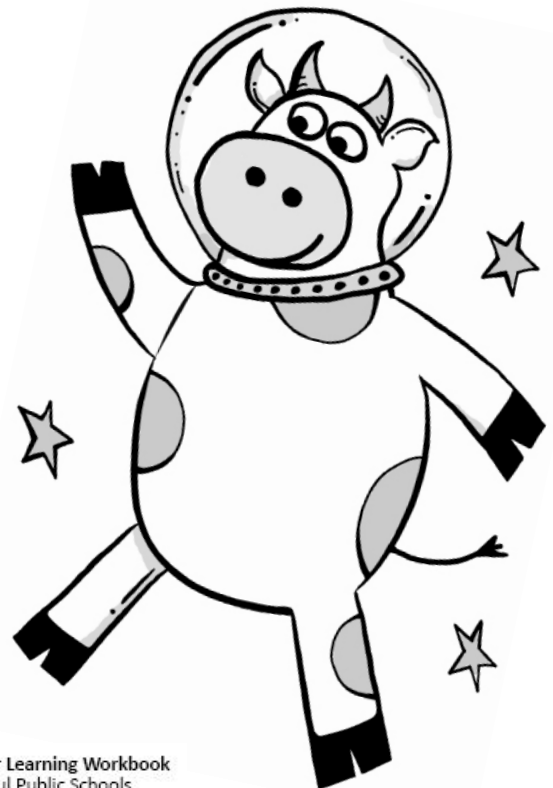
Fiction

Nonfiction

## Trees of Minnesota

Fiction

Nonfiction



# Spelling

Choose the correctly spelled word to complete each sentence and write it in the blank.

Sloane was tired so she took a \_\_\_\_\_.  
napp      nap      nep

Kendra went to the zoo to see the \_\_\_\_\_.  
animalls      anemals      animals

Boots went to the library \_\_\_\_\_ his friend, Hoots.  
wit      wish      with

It was dark so Walter turned on a \_\_\_\_\_.  
lit      lie      light

Gavino's class took a trip on a \_\_\_\_\_.  
boot      boat      bote

Ahmed \_\_\_\_\_ like an apple for lunch.  
would      wud      whud

Does Joaquin \_\_\_\_\_ a pencil?  
have      has      had

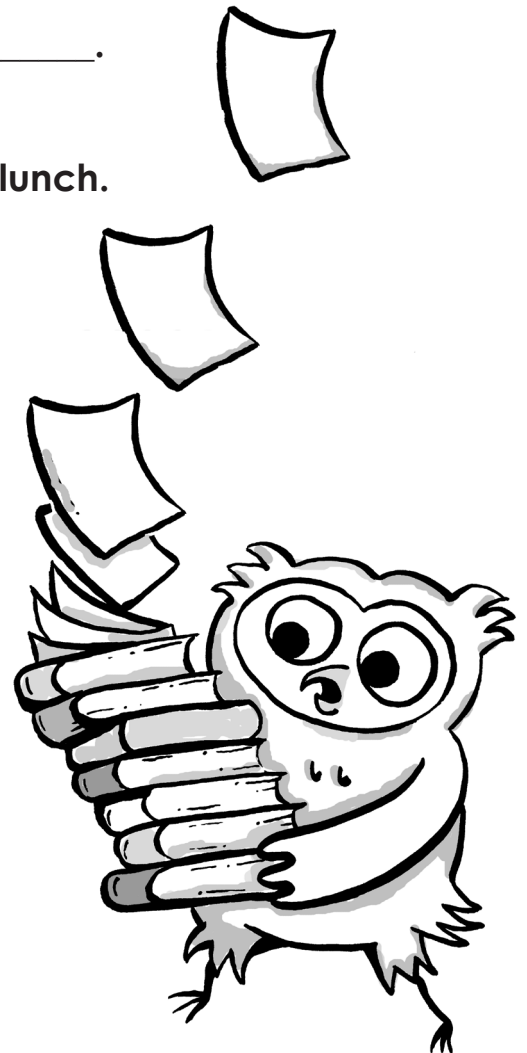
\_\_\_\_\_ way should we go?  
Which      Wich      Witch

Today's \_\_\_\_\_ is carrots.  
snack      snak      snake

\_\_\_\_\_ is your favorite movie?  
What      Watt      Whut

Tia's sister drives a \_\_\_\_\_.  
truk      truck      truke

Will you pass me \_\_\_\_\_ crayons?  
sum      some      som



## Word Problems

Hint - Use tally marks or draw pictures to help you answer the questions.

Boots rode his bike for 2 hours.

**If he left at 9 o'clock, when did he get home? \_\_\_\_\_**

Hoots' little sister took a nap at noon. She woke up at 2 o'clock.

**How many hours did she sleep? \_\_\_\_\_**

Marina is in a play. She practiced her part for 1 hour and 30 minutes.

**If she started at 4:30, what time did she finish? \_\_\_\_\_**

Stevie borrowed 9 books from the library.

They read and returned 6 of them.

**How many books do they still have? \_\_\_\_\_**

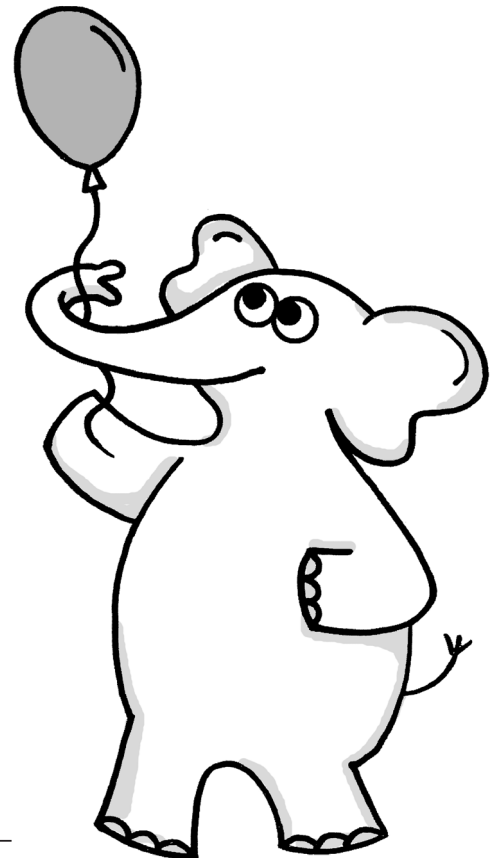
Walter had 17 balloons at his party.

Boots took 2. Hoots took 3.

**How many balloons did Walter have left? \_\_\_\_\_**

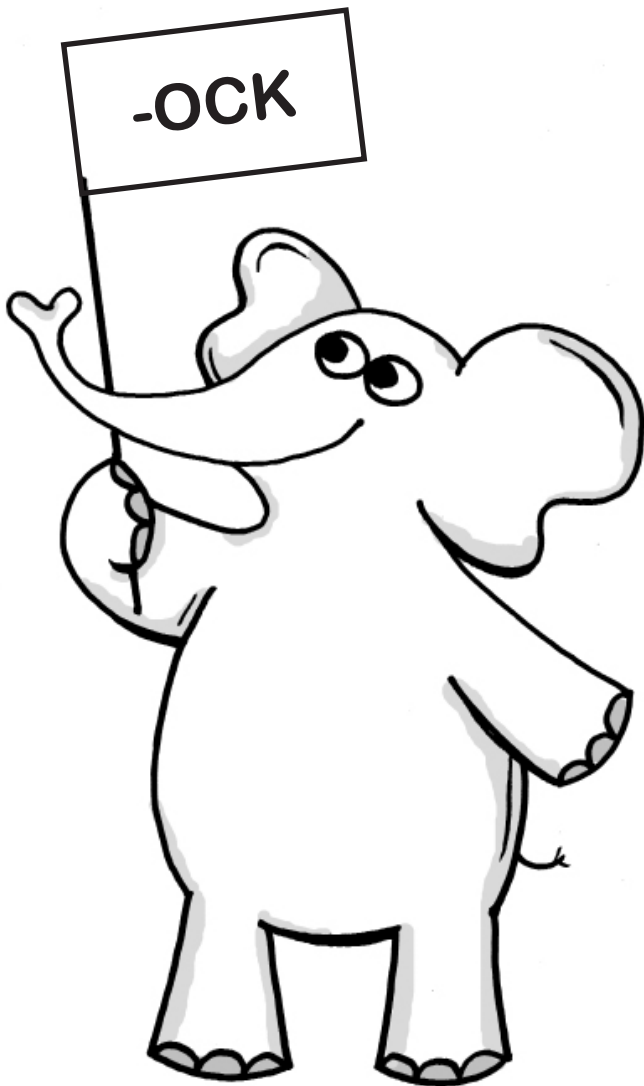
Hoots, Marina and Walter each collected 8 rocks.

**How many rocks did they have altogether? \_\_\_\_\_**



## The -ock Family

There are 8 different -ock words in this word search.  
Can you find and circle them all?



F	Y	T	K	M	O	C	K
H	L	W	E	U	F	L	Y
A	O	O	B	P	H	K	R
V	C	X	C	T	M	D	O
E	K	N	L	K	C	Y	C
Q	W	E	O	R	P	S	K
U	Z	H	C	U	K	O	V
D	O	C	K	J	U	C	W
T	F	Q	E	Y	T	K	J
B	L	O	C	K	W	A	O

