

Primary Longman Express

2nd Edition



Pearson

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2B

Reading

Read the interview. Who does most of the housework at Snow White's home?

Fairyland Monthly

Interview with Snow White

FM = reporter from 'Fairyland Monthly'

SW = Snow White

FM: Hello, Snow White. How are you?

SW: I'm OK, but I'm a little tired.

FM: Oh! Why are you tired?

SW: I do a lot of housework every day.
I don't have much time to rest.

FM: Your house is very tidy. Do the dwarfs help at home?

SW: Yes, they do. Happy is nice. He walks the dog. Look! Here's our dog Mimi.

10 FM: She's cute. What about Sneezy? Does he help?

SW: No, he doesn't. Sneezy can't sweep the floor or dust the shelves. I sweep and dust.

15 FM: That's hard work!

SW: Yes, it is.



Post-reading

Read the interview again. What does Snow White do at home? Finish her housework list.



Snow White's housework list

- sweep the _____
- _____ the shelves
- _____
- _____

Answer the questions and blacken ● the circles.

- 1 Who helps Snow White? _____
- 2 Read line 19: *He just sleeps all day!*
Who is 'he'? _____
- 3 Snow White thinks _____ is hard work. (You can choose more than one answer.)
 - ☐ A. walking the dog
 - ☐ B. sweeping the floor
 - ☐ C. dusting the shelves
 - ☐ D. watering the plants
- ★ 4 Which of the following is NOT true?
 - ☐ A. Sleepy likes sleeping.
 - ☐ B. Doc likes reading.
 - ☐ C. Dopey puts water on the floor.
 - ☐ D. All the dwarfs help with the housework.

Check the sentences against the text. Tick the correct ones. The one without a tick is the answer.



Explore Asking about another person

What about Sneezy?
Does he iron the clothes?



How about Sleepy?
Does he mop the floor?



Key Words

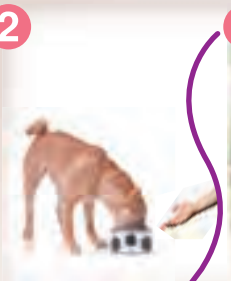
Housework

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dust the shelves

2

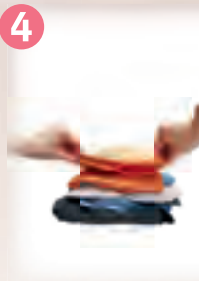


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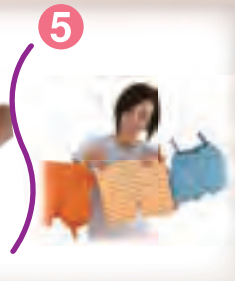


feed / walk the dog

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fold the clothes /
hang up the washing

6



make the bed

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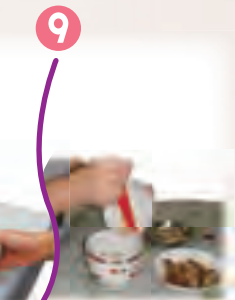
put away the toys

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set / clear the table

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10



11



12



sweep / mop / vacuum the floor

13



water the plants

Key Structures

Do you

help at home?

Yes, I **do**.No, I **don't**.

don't = do not

Does

he
she

help at home?

Yes, he / she **does**.No, he / she **doesn't**.

doesn't = does not

helps

I	make the bed		sweep the floor.
He She	walks the dog	and	sets the table.

Practice 2

1

Does ... help at home?

Yes, he / she **does**. He / She **puts** away the toys.

No, he / she **doesn't**.

The children are talking about their brothers and sisters. Finish what they say.

1 A : Does your brother help at home?

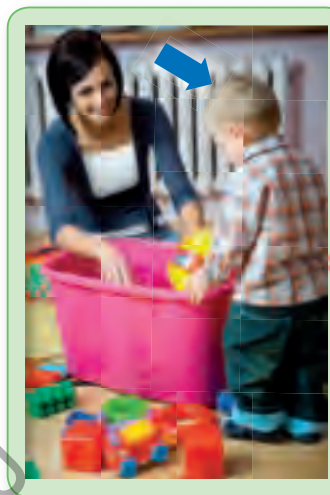
B : Yes, he **does**. He **puts** away the toys.

Does your sister help at home?

A : No, she **doesn't**.

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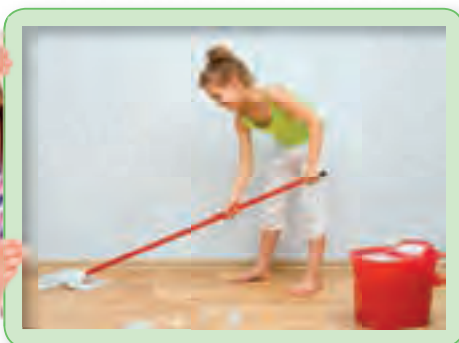
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B

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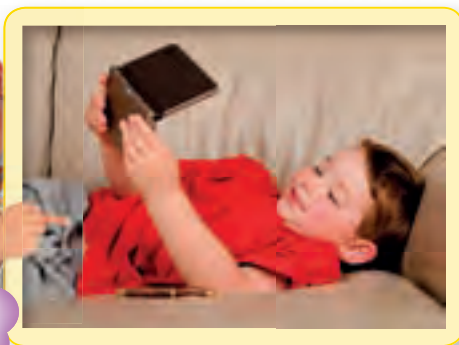
A



B

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A



B

Phonics

o_e

o_e

home

close

note

u_e

u_e

cute

cube

tune

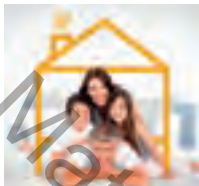
Let's say the letter sounds and words!

A Write the letters and say the letter sounds. Then say the words.

o_e



1 cl _ th _ s



2 h _ m _

u_e



3 c _ t _



4 t _ b _

B Add 'e' to the words. Say the new words and hear the difference.

cub

1

kit

2

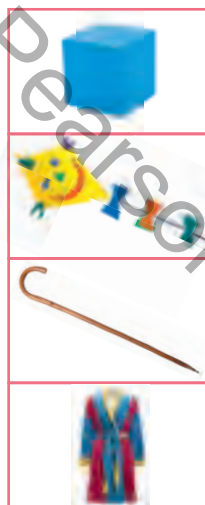
can

3

rob

4

e



Do you remember how the **magic 'e'** changes the vowel sound?



C Listen and write the letters 'o_e' or 'u_e'. Say the sentences.

Little R _ s _ is smart and c _ t _ .

She can cl _ s _ her eyes and play a happy t _ n _ .



Book covers give us an idea of what the books are about.

An **author** writes books.

You may also see:

- **Written by**
- **Words by**
- **Text by**
- **Story by**

An **illustrator** draws pictures.

You may also see:

- **Illustrated by**
- **Illustrations by**
- **Pictures by**
- **Artwork by**

The **title** is the name of the book.

A **publisher** prints books. The names of publishers may have words like '**Press**', '**Publications**' or '**Publishing House**'.

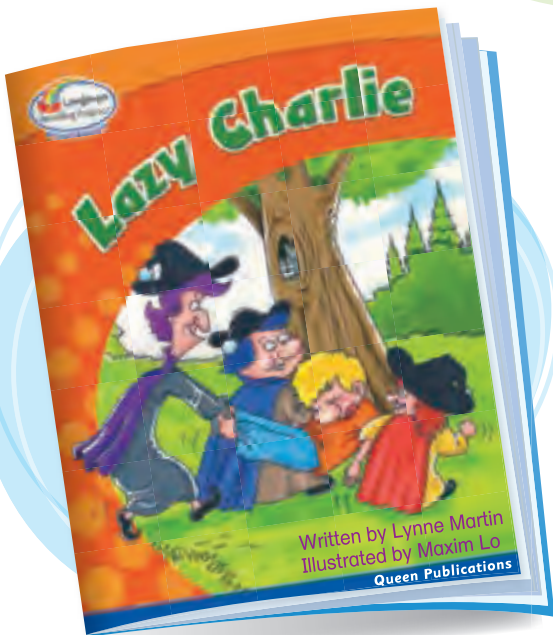


Author: Celia Warren
Illustrator: Jessica Yan

King Press

Read the book cover and answer the questions.

- 1 What is the title of this book?
- 2 Who is the writer of this book?
- 3 Who is the illustrator of this book?
- 4 _____ is the name of the publisher.
- 5 Who is Lazy Charlie on the book cover?
- 6 What do you think the book is about?



Mini Task

Bring your favourite book to class and tell your classmates about it.