

WHAT IS THIS?

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solve the mystery
THE LIFETIME LEARNER
The Case of the Missing Camper

Where is Your Friend?
Name: _____

Students complete a series of clues to figure out where the missing camper is!

HOW TO PLAY

What Happened?

You and your best friend are finally at summer camp, but now, you don't know where your friend went. It's up to you to solve a set of clues to figure out where they are and solve the mystery!

1. Take a map of locations and then start solving each clue.
2. Each time you solve a clue, you will get closer to discovering where your friend is.
3. Cross out wrong locations each time you find out new information. Good luck!



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Letters: B A L L or N E T

Your friend is  not near a

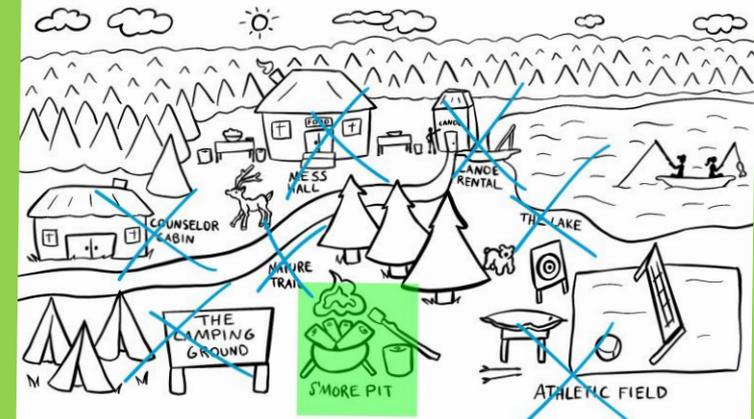
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Each time students solve a clue, it will reveal what place to cross out.

When all clues are completed, the mystery of the missing camper will be solved!

SKILL PRACTICE

Parts of Speech Review:

- Nouns
- Verbs
- Adjectives
- Adverbs
- Prepositions

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B **A**

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Clue #3: Error Analysis

Put a check or an X next to each one to show if they make sense.



- freezing
- sticky
- spicy
- smoky
- chilly

to be crossed out.

Clue #2: Campfire Breakfast

Color the eggs and bacon the same color as the plate they belong on.

proper nouns yellow				
common nouns red				

Then, find the correct key at the bottom to solve the clue!

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| Cross out places at camp where you <u>eat</u> if there are: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 5 yellow eggs• 5 red eggs | Cross out places at camp with a <u>canoe</u> if there are: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 7 yellow eggs• 5 red eggs | Cross out places at camp by <u>water</u> if there are: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 5 yellow eggs• 7 red eggs | Cross out places at camp with a <u>trail</u> if there are: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 7 yellow eggs• 7 red eggs |
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All clues focus on reviewing parts of speech!

MULTIPLE VERSIONS

Print & Digital Forms

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3 Clue Version

The place with the most correct answers should be crossed out.
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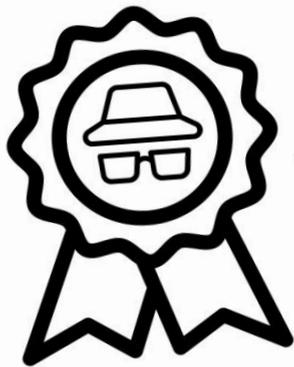
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Short & Long Options

FAST FINISHER ACTIVITY

The Detective Agency sends congratulations to:



Lindsay

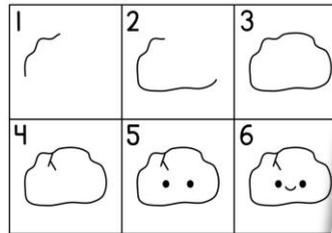
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Date

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Presented by:

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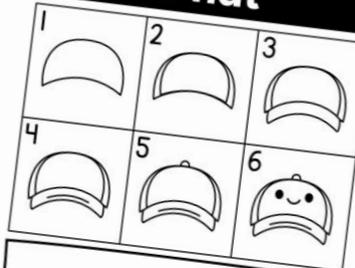
a rock



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LET'S DRAW...

a hat



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If students finish early, give them a certificate of completion and a directed drawing to complete while others continue working.

GRAMMAR MYSTERY BENEFITS

- No Prep
- Print and Digital Versions
- 3 & 5 Clue Options
- Fun and Engaging
- Easy to Differentiate
- Encourages Critical Thinking
- Aligns with Grammar Standards
- Perfect for Review Days

Clue #4: The Tent
Read what to do at the bottom.

Personal Pronouns:
Words that take the place of people in a sentence.

Possessive Pronouns:
Words that show something belongs to someone.

That tent is ours , not theirs. R	The flashlight on the table is mine . I	At the campfire, we told funny stories. W	This sleeping bag is yours . G
The ranger gave him a map of the trails. A	All the snacks in the cooler are theirs . F	Our counselor showed us how to pitch a tent. L	The smelly boots were his . D
That marshmallow stick is hers, not yours. O	The other group waited while they packed up. L	The hammock by the trees is theirs . F	After dinner, the kids invited me to join the game. S

Cross out the following boxes:
possessive pronouns
Which letters are left? Write them on the line.

Another camper tells you your friend is not in a place with a walls.

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This works well for grades 2-5 in partners, teams, or even in small groups at the teacher table!

WHY TEACHERS LOVE THESE!

Ordinary grammar worksheets can be boring and unoriginal.

You want activities that are fun and engaging, but also rigorous and meaningful to student learning.

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proper nouns
yellow

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We will eat lunch soon.
A. how - color boy red
B. where - color boy green
C. when - color boy yellow
D. how often - color boy blue

The backpack is over there.
A. how - color dog red
B. where - color dog green
C. when - color dog yellow
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She fishes quietly.
A. how - color boat red
B. where - color boat green
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He always finishes his chores early.
A. when - color fish red
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Your friend loves sweets if you see this:
• yellow boy
• green dog
• red boat
• yellow fish

Your friend loves nature if you see this:
• blue boy
• green dog
• red boat
• red fish

Your friend loves to go for a hike if you see this:
• red boy
• green dog
• blue boat
• yellow fish

Your friend loves to play games if you see this:
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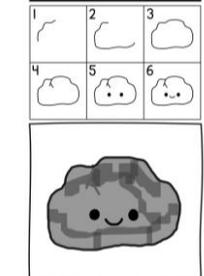
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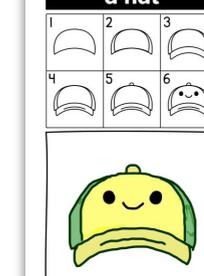
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WHAT MAKES READING MYSTERIES UNIQUE?

Reading Mysteries aren't just a copy of Math Mysteries!

They have brand-new clues, focus on reading skills, and even feature a different conclusion to the mystery.

The only thing that stays the same is the list of suspects students start with!

So, if you have both, students can play during math and then again during reading for double the fun.

Reading

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Example of Clue 1

Math

Clue #1: Find It!

Look at how long the items are below. Then, circle the true statements at the bottom. Cross out the false ones. Read the words you circled from left to right like a book to solve the clue.

Snake and stick measurements in inches and centimeters.

my friend is longer than the stick.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> your friend is 25 cm long.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> the snake is 20 cm long.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> the lake is 27 cm long.
hiding is 13 cm long.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> friend is 6 inches long.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> hiked is 4 inches long.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> is 15 cm long.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> not 10 inches long.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> swimming are the same length.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> sleeping is longer than the snake.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> eating is 7 inches long.

Write the phrase on the line. Cross the wrong place(s) off your list.

Your friend is not sleeping

KEEP THE FUN GOING!

GRAB A MATH MYSTERY:

Math Mysteries aren't just a copy of reading. They come with fresh clues, unique math challenges, and a new culprit, so students are solving an entirely different case!



MORE READING MYSTERIES:

Explore other grade levels to differentiate and keep every student engaged.



**BUY A BUNDLE
TO SAVE BIG!**

