

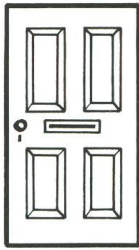
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5-6
years

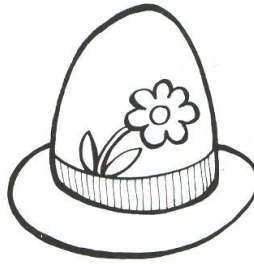
1. Say what the pictures show.

Write the first letter of each word.

a



b



c



Lesson 2

Alphabet – capital letters

1. Write the first letter of these words.

They must be capital letters.

a The place where you live. _____

b Your teacher's name. _____

c Your head teacher's name. _____

d Your surname. _____

How did I do?



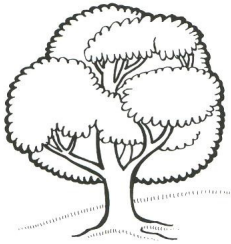
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Alphabetical order

5-6
years

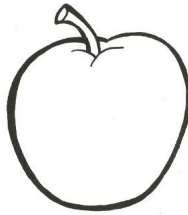
1. Write the first letter of each word. Then write them in alphabetical order.

a



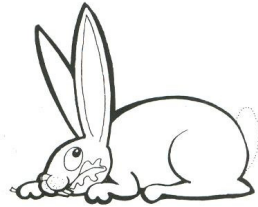
___ r e e

b



___ p p l e

c



___ a b b i t

d

Lesson 4

Short a sound

1. Draw lines to make short a sound words. Write the words.

a

c a t

c a n

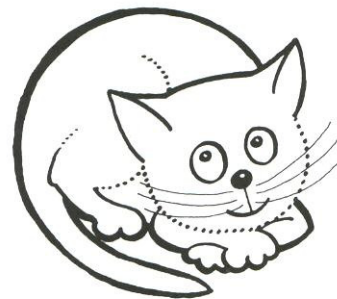
p

b

t

m a n

p



How did I do?



Total
6



Lesson 5

No Nonsense English

Short e sound

5-6
years

1. Draw lines to make short e sound words. Write the words.

a d _____
b e _____

g _____

b b _____

w e _____

t _____



Lesson 6

Short i sound

1. Draw lines to make short i sound words. Write the words.

a n _____
b i _____

g _____

b t _____

p i _____

p _____



How did I do?



Total
 4



Lesson 7

No Nonsense English

Short o sound

5-6
years

1. Draw lines to make short o sound words. Write the words.

a t _____
d o _____
g _____
b t _____
l o _____
g _____



Lesson 8

Short u sound

1. Draw lines to make short u sound words. Write the words.

a p _____
c u _____
t _____
b b _____
r u _____
g _____



How did I do?



Total
4



Lesson 9


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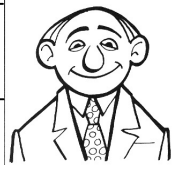
Rhyming words


5-6
years

1. Sort the rhyming words into groups.

man bun can hen sun ran ten fun men







Lesson 10

Describing words - numbers

1. Write these muddled up number words correctly.

a tehre _____

b senve _____

c tow _____

d neni _____

e furo _____

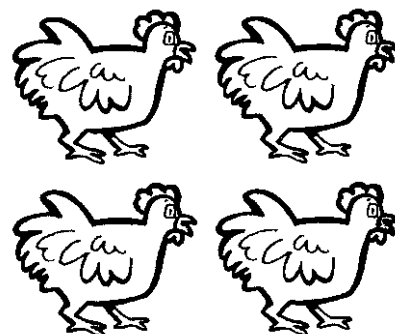
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7

2

9

4



How did I do?



Total





Lesson 11

No Nonsense
English

Capital letters and full stops 1

5-6
years

1. Write these sentences with a capital letter and full stop.

a i ride my bike

b you are my friend

c we can swim

Lesson 12

Sentences

1. Finish these sentences.

a I like _____

b We went _____

c My favourite toy is _____

d On Saturday _____

How did I do?



Total

7



Lesson 13

No Nonsense English

Capital I

5-6
years

1. Write the sentences correctly.

a i always keep my bedroom tidy.

b When i get cold i put my coat on.

c i love eating ice-cream.

Lesson 14

Missing words

1. Write the missing words.

a My favourite food _____ roast chicken.

b Do you prefer football _____ swimming?

c We play _____ the swings in the park.

d Will you help _____ with my homework?

e What time is _____ now?

How did I do?				Total 
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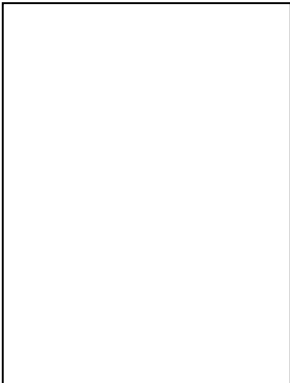
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No Nonsense English

Picture dictionary

5-6
years

1. Make your own pages of a picture dictionary.

	Ll _____	Mm _____	
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Lesson 16

Traditional poetry

1. Write the missing words in the poem.

One-eyed Jack, the pirate _____,
Was a terrible, fearsome ocean _____.
He wore a _____
Upon one _____.
He wore a _____ -
And a dirty _____!
One-eyed Jack, the pirate _____ -
A terrible, fearsome ocean _____!

peg
thief
look
chief
leg
thief
hook
chief

How did I do?



Total





Lesson 17

No Nonsense English

Stories with familiar settings

5-6
years

1. **Write about where you've seen a dog and describe what it looked like.**

Lesson 18

Lists and instructions

1. **Write numbers to put these instructions in the right order.**

Rinse your mouth and toothbrush with water. _____

Get your toothbrush and toothpaste. _____

Brush your teeth. _____

Put your toothbrush and toothpaste away. _____

Put some toothpaste on your toothbrush. _____

How did I do?



Total




Lesson 19

No Nonsense English

5-6
years

fl, dr and pl

1. Write the letters to make words.

ess ane oat eam ute ant

a fl _____ fl _____

b dr _____ dr _____

c pl _____ pl _____

Lesson 20

st, tr and sp

1. Write the letters to make words.

and ust eed oon eep eat


a st _____ st _____

b tr _____ tr _____

c sp _____ sp _____

How did I do?



Total
 6



Lesson 21

ck

No Nonsense
English

5-6
years

1. Find the ck words in the wordsearch.

b	s	d	u	c	k
a	l	e	s	c	c
s	u	c	k	l	u
u	c	k	d	o	t
t	k	r	e	c	s
b	l	o	c	k	e

block
clock
deck
duck
luck
stuck
suck

Lesson 22

ng

1. Find the ng words in the wordsearch.

p	a	s	w	g	a
r	s	t	b	o	u
o	i	r	a	n	g
s	t	i	n	g	n
l	o	n	g	f	i
s	t	g	n	l	r

bang
gong
long
rang
ring
sting
string

How did I do?



Total





Lesson 23

No Nonsense English

ss, ll and ff

5-6
years

2. Find the ss, ll and ff words in the wordsearch.

m	h	i	s	s	p
e	f	o	h	t	r
s	h	e	u	u	d
s	n	r	f	f	o
c	l	i	f	f	l
l	d	b	e	l	l

bell
cliff
doll
hiss
huff
mess
stuff

Lesson 24

nd, nk and mp

3. Find the nd, nk and mp words in the wordsearch.

j	s	t	a	n	d
b	i	w	l	t	b
m	n	a	a	d	l
e	k	e	n	u	i
h	a	n	d	m	n
t	l	i	m	p	k

blink
dump
hand
land
limp
sink
stand

How did I do?



Total

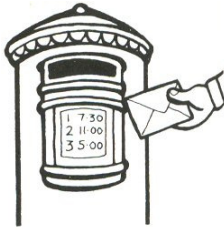


Describing words - colour

5-6
years

1. Copy the best colour word from the box. Colour the pictures.

a



b



_____ letterbox

_____ cabbage

orange
green
yellow
red

Lesson 26

Naming words

1. Underline the special naming word in these sentences.

a His name is Jonathan.

b Bubbles is a goldfish.

2. Write the special naming word with a capital letter.

a me you jordan _____

b emily he they _____

c we toby us _____

d alice them she _____

How did I do?



Total
8



Lesson 27

No Nonsense English

Days and months

5-6
years

1. Circle the day words.

Wednesday Bluesday Friday Hopday Monday
Thursday Catday Frogday Saturday

2. Circle the month words.




Remember October January April Raspberry
November February Teacher August

Lesson 28

More than one – add s

1. Make these sentences mean more than one.

- a** I saw one bird. I saw six
- b** I played with one friend. I played with four
- c** I have one cat. I have two
- d** I have one sister. I have three
- e** I have one teacher. I have two

How did I do?				Total <div><div></div><div>7</div></div>
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Lesson 29

No Nonsense
English

Capital letters and full stops 2

5-6
years

1. Copy the sentences. Add the missing capital letters and full stops.

a she told me her name is sarah

b the dogs are called spot and patch

c my best friend is called samir

Lesson 30

Capital letters in sentences

2. Write these sentences using capital letters when you need to.

a i play football after school on monday.

b Yesterday i played with gareth.

c On saturday william and i are going to the cinema.

How did I do?



Total
6



Lesson 31

No Nonsense English

Missing full stops

5-6
years

1. Someone forgot to use full stops to make sentences! Write the missing full stops.





- a** One day my puppy went missing My friends helped me look for him
- b** We walked up the hill to fly my kite It was very windy when we got to the top of the hill
- c** I don't like watching the television I like playing outside instead

Lesson 32

Reading sentences

1. Read these groups of sentences. Tick the one that is easier to read and understand.

- a** One day I was walking to school with my Grandma. It was a very cold day. I was wearing a pair of gloves and a scarf. ☐
- b** One day I was walking to school with my Grandma it was a very cold day I was wearing a pair of gloves and a scarf ☐

How did I do?				Total 
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Lesson 33

No Nonsense English

Fairy stories

5-6
years

1. Answer these questions about the story on page 38

a Where did Jack live?

b Who did Jack live with?

c What was Jack wearing?

Lesson 34

Action rhymes

1. Read this action poem. Make up your own actions to go with the poem.

Here is a bunny

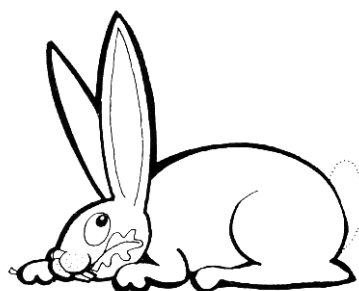
With big ears so funny

And here is his hole in the ground

When a noise he hears

He pricks up his ears

And hops in his hole in the ground.



How did I do?



Total





Lesson 35

No Nonsense English

Contents page

5-6
years

1. Look at the contents page of your No Nonsense English book. Answer these questions.

a On which page is the handwriting practice? page _____

b On which pages are 'How am I doing?'?

page _____, page _____ and page _____

c On which page can you 'Try the 6-7 years book'?

page _____

Lesson 36

Book covers

1. Find a book at home. Write the title and author of it and what the book is about.

Title: _____

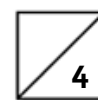
Author: _____

What the book is about: _____

How did I do?



Total



Vowels

5-6
years

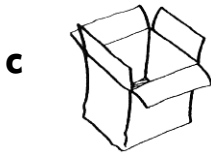
1. Say what is in each picture, then write the missing letters.
The missing letters are vowels.



b _ _ d



b _ _ n



b _ _ x

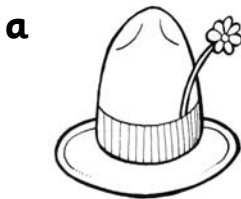


j _ _ g

Lesson 38

Consonants

2. Say what is in each picture, then write the missing letters.
The missing letters are consonants.



_ _ a _ _



_ _ a _ _



_ _ o _ _



_ _ u _ _

How did I do?



Total
 8

**ee****1. Finish each sentence with one of these ee words.**

sheep	teeth	see	week	tree
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- a** A _____ has a trunk, branches and leaves.
- b** There are seven days in one _____.
- c** We clean our _____ with a toothbrush.
- d** We use our eyes to _____.
- e** We get wool from a _____.

ai**1. Finish each sentence with one of these ai words.**

train	brain	snail	tail	paint
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- a** A rabbit has a fluffy _____.
- b** You _____ a picture using a brush.
- c** A _____ lives in a shell.
- d** A _____ takes you from one place to another.
- e** I use my _____ to answer these questions.

How did I do?

**Total**

10

**1. Finish each sentence with one of these oo words.**

school	root	broom	rooms	spoon
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- a** There are lots of _____ in a house.
- b** You eat pudding using a _____.
- c** The part of a plant under the ground is the _____.
- d** Children go to _____ to learn.
- e** A _____ can be used to sweep the floor.

1. Finish each sentence with one of these oa words.

soap	goat	road	boat	coat
------	------	------	------	------

- a** Cars drive on the _____.
- b** I use _____ when I wash my hands.
- c** A _____ is an animal.
- d** I wear a _____ when it is cold.
- e** A _____ floats on the water.

How did I do?

**Total**

10



Lesson 43

No Nonsense English

Capital letters - titles

5-6
years

1. Copy the sentences. Add the missing capital letters.

a miss miles is my new teacher.

b pc davies is married to mr davies.

c mrs gasson has a daughter called sally

Lesson 44

Doing words - ing

1. Make these -ing words.

a grow + ing = _____

b wish + ing = _____

c give + ing = _____

d say + ing = _____

e love + ing = _____

f cook + ing = _____

How did I do?



Total





Lesson 45

No Nonsense English

Doing words – ed

5-6
years

1. Make these –ed words.

a touch + ed = _____

b wish + ed = _____

c hope + ed = _____

d wave + ed = _____

e love + ed = _____

f cook + ed = _____

Lesson 46

Words within words

1. Find as many little words in these big words as you can without rearranging the letters.

a wished

b missing

How did I do?



Total





Lesson 47

No Nonsense English

Word order

5-6
years

1. Circle the two words in each sentence that have been swapped over. Write the sentences correctly.

a There are thirty children my in class.

b I to go chess club every Wednesday.

c I like would to win a race on sports day.

Lesson 48

Question marks

1. Finish each sentence with a full stop or a question mark.

a Do you like football _____

b I have been on holiday _____

c There are three birds in that tree _____

d Why are we going there _____

e I am very thirsty _____

f When are we coming back _____

How did I do?				Total 
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Lesson 49

No Nonsense English

Answering questions

5-6
years

1. Write sentences to answer these questions.

a Where do you live?

b What is your favourite food?

c What is your teacher's name?

Lesson 50

Sentences revision

1. Copy these sentences. Add the capital letters and full stops or question marks.

a i walk past mrs baker's shop on my way to school

b do you think i look like my dad

c sophie and gary are helping mr wood

How did I do?				Total 
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Lesson 51

No Nonsense English

Poems with a pattern

5-6
years

1. Write the words from the poem that rhyme with these words.

There was an Old Man with a beard,
Who said, "It is just as I feared!--
Two Owls and a Hen,
Four Larks and a Wren,
Have all built their nests in my beard!"

Edward Lear

- a** cheered _____
- b** when _____

Lesson 52

Poems about cats

1. Answer these questions about the cat poems.

- a** What do the cat's eyes look like in the poem 'Cat in the Dark'?

- b** What do cats do when they sit in the poem 'Cats Stand'?

- c** Where do cats lie in the poem 'Cats Stand'?

How did I do?				Total 
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Lesson 53

No Nonsense English

Information books

5-6
years

1. Answer these questions about the information on page 60.

a What do frogs like to be near?

b Why are their eyes on top of their head?

c Why are a frog's back legs very strong?

Lesson 54




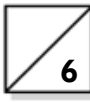
Recount of a school visit

1. Answer these questions about the recount on page 61.

a On what day was John's school trip?

b What did he buy?

c What was made from bushes?

How did I do?				Total 
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Bond No Nonsense English 5-6 Years Answers

Lesson 1

1. **a** d **b** h **c** m

Lesson 2

1. Answers will vary.

Lesson 3

1. **a** t **b** a **c** r
 d apple, rabbit, tree

Lesson 4

1. **a** cat, can, cap **b** mat, man, map

Lesson 5

1. **a** bed, beg **b** web, wet

Lesson 6

1. **a** bin, big **b** pit, pip

Lesson 7

1. **a** dot, dog **b** lot, log

Lesson 8

1. **a** cup, cut **b** rub, rug

Lesson 9

1. bun, sun, fun
 man, can, ran
 hen, ten, men

Lesson 10

1. **a** three **b** seven **c** two **d** nine
 e four

Lesson 11

1. **a** I ride my bike. **b** You are my friend.
 c We can swim.

Lesson 12

1. Answers will vary.

Lesson 13

1. **a** I always keep my bedroom tidy.
 b When I get cold I put my coat on.
 c I love eating ice-cream.

Lesson 14

1. **a** is **b** or **c** on **d** me
 e it

Lesson 15

1. Answers will vary.

Lesson 16

1. One-eyed Jack, the pirate chief.
 Was a terrible, fearsome ocean thief.
 He wore a peg
 Upon one leg.
 He wore a hook –
 And a dirty look!
 One-eyed Jack, the pirate chief –
 A terrible, fearsome ocean thief.

Lesson 17

1. Answers will vary.

Lesson 18

1. 4, 1, 3, 5, 2

Lesson 19

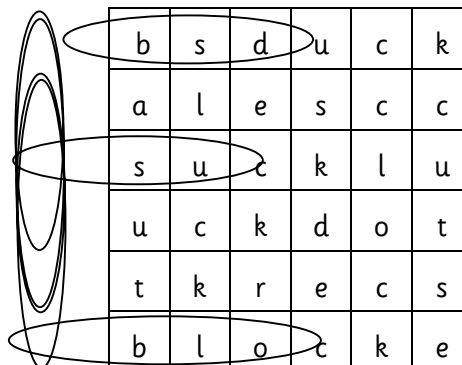
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 c plane, plant

Lesson 20

1. **a** stand, steep **b** trust, treat
 c speed, spoon

Lesson 21

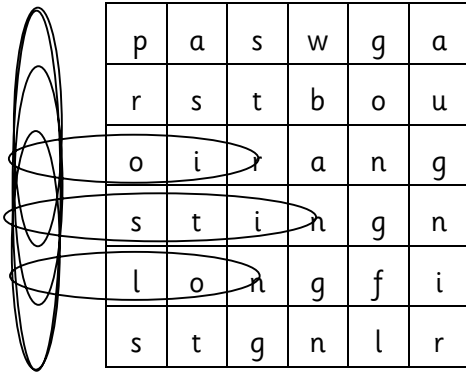
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Lesson 22

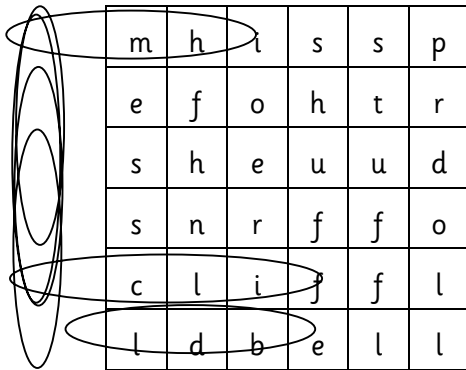
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Lesson 23

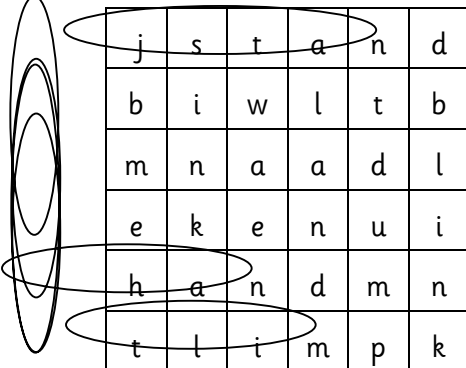
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s	n	r	f	f	o
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l	d	b	e	l	l

Lesson 24

1.



j	s	t	a	n	d
b	i	w	l	t	b
m	n	a	a	d	l
e	k	e	n	u	i
h	a	n	d	m	n
t	l	i	m	p	k

Lesson 25

1. **a** red **b** green

Lesson 26

1. **a** His name is Jonathan **b** Bubbles is a goldfish.
 2. **a** Jordan **b** Emily **c** Toby **d** Alice

Lesson 27

1. Wednesday, Friday, Monday, Thursday and Saturday should be circled.
 2. October, January, April, November, February and August should be circled.

Lesson 28

1. **a** birds **b** friends **c** cats **d** sisters
e teachers

Lesson 29

1. **a** She told me her name is Sarah.
b The dogs are called Spot and Patch.
c My best friend is called Samir.

Lesson 30

1. **a** I play football after school on Monday.
b Yesterday I played with Gareth.
c On Saturday William and I are going to the cinema.

Lesson 31

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b We walked up the hill to fly my kite. It was very windy when we got to the top of the hill.
c I don't like watching the television. I like playing outside instead.

Lesson 32

1. **a** ✓

Lesson 33

1. **a** Jack lived in an old cottage.
b Jack lived with his mother.
c Jack was wearing old trousers and a shirt.

Lesson 34

1. Child's own actions.

Lesson 35

1. **a** 2 **b** 22, 42 and 62 **c** 64

Lesson 36

1. Answers will vary.

Lesson 37

1. **a** bed **b** bin **c** box **d** jug

Lesson 38

1. **a** hat **b** man **c** dog **d** sun

Lesson 39

1. **a** tree **b** week **c** teeth **d** see
e sheep

Lesson 40

1. **a** tail **b** paint **c** snail **d** train
 e brain

Lesson 41

1. **a** rooms **b** spoon **c** root **d** school
 e broom

Lesson 42

1. **a** road **b** soap **c** goat **d** coat
 e boat

Lesson 43

1. **a** Miss Miles is my new teacher.
 b PC Davies is married to Mr Davies.
 c Mrs Gasson has a daughter called Sally.

Lesson 44

1. **a** growing **b** wishing **c** giving **d** saying
 e loving **f** cooking

Lesson 45

1. **a** touched **b** wished **c** hoped **d** waved
 e loved **f** cooked

Lesson 46

1. **a** wished, wish, is, she, shed, he
 b missing, miss, is, sin, sing, in

Lesson 47

1. **a** There are thirty children in my class.
 b I go to chess club every Wednesday.
 c I would like to win a race on sports day.

Lesson 48

1. **a** Do you like football?
 b I have been on holiday.
 c There are three birds in that tree.
 d Why are we going there?
 e I am very thirsty.
 f When are we coming back?

Lesson 49

1. Answers will vary.

Lesson 50

1. **a** I walk past Mrs Baker's shop on my way to school.
 b Do you think I look like my Dad?
 c Sophie and Gary are helping Mr Wood.

Lesson 51

1. **a** beard, feared **b** hen, wren

Lesson 52

1. **a** tiny green traffic lights
 b wash their paws
 c on soft warm floors

Lesson 53

1. **a** water
 b because they cannot turn their head to look around
 c so they can jump a long way

Lesson 54

1. **a** Tuesday
 b a pencil and a rubber
 c the maze



Handwriting practice

No Nonsense
English

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years

a b c d

e f g h

i j k l

m n o p

q r s t

u v w x

y z