Reading Comprehension

Zara's Day on Planet Kepler

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The Story

Zara's Special Day

Zara is twelve years old and lives on planet Kepler with her family. She has a mother, a father, and a little brother named Pip. Zara is a student at Kepler Space School.

Every day, Zara wakes up at 7:00 AM. She brushes her teeth with her sonic toothbrush and eats breakfast with her family. Her favorite breakfast is moon cereal with purple milk. After breakfast, she walks to school with her friends. Classes start at 9:00 AM.

Yesterday was different! Zara woke up late at 8:30 AM because her alarm clock broke. She didn't have time for breakfast, so her mother gave her a space sandwich. She ran to school and arrived just in time. In the afternoon, her class visited the Crystal Gardens on their school trip. Zara saw beautiful rainbow flowers and flying butterflies with four wings. She took many photos with her camera.

After school, Zara played with Pip in their garden. They flew their small spaceship around the house three times. In the evening, the family watched a movie about Earth. Zara went to bed happy and tired.

Zara loves her life on Kepler, but she dreams about visiting Earth one day.

Activity 1: Put the events in order

Instructions: Put Zara's activities from yesterday in the correct order. Write numbers 1-6.		
Zara played with her brother Pip in the garden		
Zara visited the Crystal Gardens with her class		
Zara woke up late at 8:30 AM		
Zara's family watched a movie about Earth		
Zara ran to school with a space sandwich		
Zara went to bed happy and tired		

Activity 2: True or False?

Instructions: Read each sentence. Write T (True) or F (False).

- 1. Zara lives on Earth with her family. ___
- 2. Zara usually wakes up at 7:00 AM every day. ___

3. Yesterday, Zara's alarm clock worked perfectly		
4. The Crystal Gardens have rainbow flowers and special butterflies		
5. Zara and Pip flew a big spaceship around their house		
6. Zara wants to visit Earth in the future		
7. Zara's favorite breakfast is space sandwich		
8. Classes at Kepler Space School start at 9:00 AM		
Activity 3: Cor	mplete the sentences	
Part A: Zara's norn	nal routine (every day):	
1. Every day, Zara	up at 7:00 AM. (wake)	
2. She	her teeth with a sonic toothbrush. (brush)	
3. She	moon cereal for breakfast. (eat)	
4. She	to school with her friends. (walk)	
Part B: What happ	ened yesterday:	
1. Yesterday, Zara	up at 8:30 AM. (wake)	
2. She	have time for breakfast. (not/have)	
3. She	to school quickly. (run)	

Vocabulary Box

Family: mother, father, brother

Daily activities: wake up, brush teeth, eat breakfast, walk to school, play, watch

4. She _____ many photos at the Crystal Gardens. (take)

School: student, classes, school trip, photos

Planet Kepler: sonic toothbrush, moon cereal, purple milk, space sandwich, spaceship, Crystal Gardens