



UNIT 17

1 Listen and read

It's Friday afternoon. Adam hasn't been to school today.


He hasn't been at school this week. He's sick.


Helen's come home from school. She's got a letter for Adam.


It's from his friends.

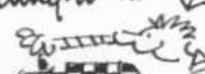



GET BETTER QUICKLY, ADAM! SEE YOU ON MONDAY! HERE'S OUR NEWS FROM ALL YOUR FRIENDS IN CLASS 4!


I go swimming every Friday after school. I've got a lesson this evening. Lucy 

I watched Music Box on TV in my bedroom last night. It was great! Did you see it? Peter 


I'm going to the park after school with Anne. We're going to play tennis. Ellen 

I can play chess now! Peter taught me yesterday! William 

I was late for school this morning. I didn't get up early enough! Simon 

I've got a new baby sister. Her name's Helen, too! Jane 

I'm writing this message with my new pink pen. My gran gave it to me. Anne 

I like writing letters. I've got three penfriends. But I haven't got much time today. Paul 

2 Complete the sentences



1 Lucy says she goes swimming every Friday after school.

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She's got a lesson this evening.
- 2 ___ says he watched Music Box on TV in his bedroom last night.
It was great.
- 3 ___ says that she's writing this message with her new pink pen.
Her gran gave it to her.
- 4 ___ says that he can play chess now. Peter taught him yesterday.

3 Ask and answer

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| 1 What does Ellen say? | 3 What does Jane say? |
| 2 What does Simon say? | 4 What does Paul say? |

4 Ask and answer



What does Helen say?

Helen says she feels sick too.

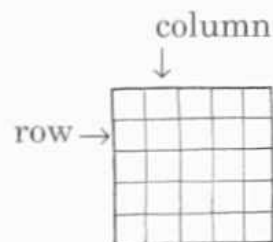


SECRET MESSAGES

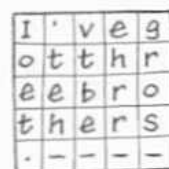
5 Read

There are many ways to send secret messages.
Try this with your friends.

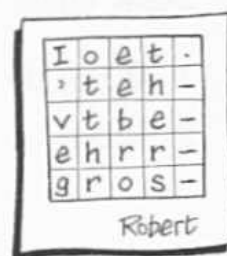
Use a piece of squared paper with five rows
across and five columns down. Write a message
on the paper. Begin across the first row and
then continue across the second row.



Always begin your message with I. Use a full
stop (.) at the end of your message and
apostrophes (') where necessary. Put dashes (-)
in the empty squares at the end of the message.



Copy the letters from the rows down the
columns. Write your name under your message.
Then give your message to a friend.



Take your friend's message. Put the letters
back into their rows.

Read your friend's message.



Robert says that he's
got three brothers.



6 True or false?

- 1 You must write a sentence about yourself.
- 2 You mustn't use a pen.
- 3 You mustn't use more than 25 squares.
- 4 You must put letters in all the squares.
- 5 You must begin across the first row.
- 6 You mustn't write your name with your message.

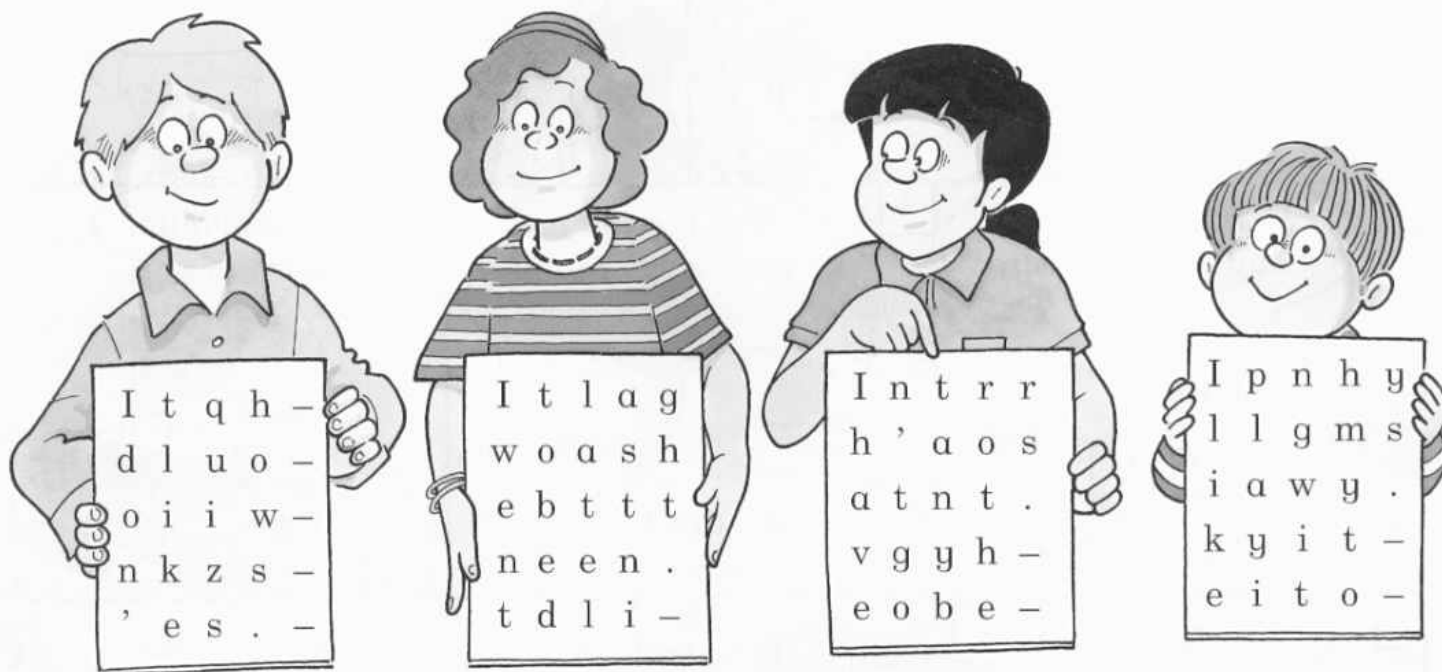
7 Ask and answer



What does Adam say?



He says he doesn't like quiz shows.



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Your game

