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## Focus Question

What happens during a checkup with the doctor?



I'm going to the doctor today  
for my checkup.



My mom checks me in at the front desk.

I like to watch the fish while we wait.





A nurse calls me.  
She checks my weight  
and height.  
I've grown two inches  
since last year!



Then the nurse checks  
my blood pressure.  
The cuff around my arm  
grows tight.



Mom and I read a book while  
we wait for the doctor.



The doctor comes  
into the room.  
She asks me how school  
is and what I like to eat.





The doctor checks my heart  
and breathing.



She uses a special light to look in my ears, mouth, and eyes. She says that everything looks and sounds great.



Then the doctor shows me  
the computer screen.  
She says I will need to get  
two shots when I'm older,  
but not today!



The doctor says she will see  
me in a year, unless I need  
her sooner.

We say goodbye.

I really like my doctor.



## Words to Know

blood pressure	doctor
checkup	height
cuff	weight

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## Connections

### Writing and Art

Draw a picture and write about a time you went to visit the doctor.

### Social Studies

Who is another helper in your community? Make a poster showing the jobs of that community helper.

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