Grade 3

Stop the Clock

Name __________________________________________ Date _______________________

1 Spell the missing words. (HINT: They all begin with ‘b’.)
   • My friend gave me a gift for my ____________.
   • A __________ is someone who makes bread.
   • We went to the __________ for our summer holiday.
   • Today, the sky is very __________.
   • We went for a ride in a hot air ____________.

2 Write a word that is opposite in meaning to the underlined word.
   • Was my answer right or __________?
   • Is that box of books __________ or light?
   • Flood waters __________ and fall very quickly.
   • The farmer worked hard from morning until __________.
   • A tortoise is __________, but a rabbit is __________.

3 Colour the correct word in the brackets.
   • Stan is a (plot pilot) for a well-known airline.
   • She is (waist waste)-deep in floodwater.
   • Brett (warms worms) his hands over the campfire.
   • The wind (blew blue), loud and strong.
   • Dad (taut taught) us how to make a kite.

4 Name the pictures.

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Spelling Challenge

Unscramble the letters to spell five BATHROOM ITEMS.

hbsru ___________________________ cbom ___________________________ paso ___________________________
oophams ___________________________ owtle ___________________________

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1. Use Word Steps and start each word with the last letter of the word before. Write four-letter words.

- moon nest
- roof f
- frog g
- fast t

2. Circle the five mistakes in this story. Write the correct words on the lines.

Katy loves the season of autumn. She loves the cool, misty mornings and the red, afternoon sunsets. She loves the fallen leaves that lie below the trees like a carpet of red and gold. Katy and her friends love to run through the dry, crunchy leaves and scatter them across the soft, green grass.

3. Join the word parts to make compound words.

- finger skin
- moon about
- sheep nails
- round light
- sheepskin
- heart room
- wind broken
- class mower
- lawn mill

4. Answer the questions.

- Would your head or your heart beat fast? __________________
- Would you prize or praise your friend? __________________
- Does the sun raise or rise in the morning? __________________
- Would a farmer keep a herd or a heard of cows? __________________
- Would you be late or last in a race? __________________

Spelling Challenge

Use the letters in this word to make new words.

- instruments

Score five points for each correct word.

My score:   ____________

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Worksheet A

1. birthday, baker, beach, blue, balloon
2. wrong, heavy, rise, night, fast (quick)
3. pilot, waist, warms, blew, taught
4. heart, comb, feather, camel, plane

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brush, comb, soap, shampoo, towel

Worksheet B

1. Answers will vary.
2. season, season; aftnoon, afternoon; bellow, below; friends, friends; crunch, crunchy
3. sheepskin, fingernails, moonlight, roundabout; heartbroken, windmill, classroom, lawnmower
4. heart, praise, rise, herd, last

Spelling Challenge
instruments

3 letters: inn, ire, its, men, met, net, nit, nun, nut, rim, rue, run, rut, set, sin, sir, sit, sue, sum, sun, ten, tie, tin, urn, use

4 letters: emit, inns, item, menu, mess, mine, mint, mire, miss, mist, mite, mitt, muse, must, mutate, mutt, nest, nets, nine, nits, nuts, rein, rent, rest, rims, rise, rite, ruin, runs, runt, rust, rats, semi, sent, sets, sins, sire, sirs, site, sits, stem, stir, stun, sues, suit, sums, suns, sure, tens, tent, term, test, tier, ties, time, tins, tint, tire, trim, true, tune, turn, unit, urns, user, uses

5 letters: emits, inert, inner, inset, inter, issue, items, menus, merit, miner, mines, mints, minus, mires, miser, mists, mites, mitre, muses, nests, nines, nurse, reins, remit, rents, resin, rests, rinse, risen, rises, rites, ruins, rusts, serum, sinus, siren, sires, sites, smite, stems, stern, stint, stirs, strut, stuns, stunt, suite, suits, tents, terms, tests, tiers, timer, times, tints, tires, tries, trims, trite, trust, tuner, tunes, turns, unite, units, upset, untie, users, utter