

# Bricks Reading

1

150



**Bricks**

**Workbook**

# Contents

## • Birthday Party

Unit 1 Hit It, Maria! 04

Unit 2 Birthdays in Different Lands 06

## • Job

Unit 3 A Day at Work 08

Unit 4 The World of Jobs 10

## • Sea Animal-Crab

Unit 5 Sally Finds a New Shell 12

Unit 6 New Shells for Crabs 14

## • Sports-Baseball

Unit 7 Bob's First Baseball Game 16

Unit 8 Baseball-A Fun Sport 18

• **Camping**

Unit 9 A Camping Adventure 20

Unit 10 Be Careful When You Camp 22

• **Kinds of Dogs**

Unit 11 Tommy the Hero 24

Unit 12 Dogs Do Work 26

• **Special Instrument**

Unit 13 Mothers' Day Concert 28

Unit 14 How Bottles Make Music 30

• **The Sun**

Unit 15 The Last Sun 32

Unit 16 Our Sun 34

## Word Check Up

● Check the correct words. Then find the sentences in the text and write them.

1. to put on with a knot     choose     tie

→ She ties a cloth over Maria's eyes.

---

2. to take with one's hands     feed     grab

→

---

3. to ask to come     call     dry

→

---

4. to yell in a loud voice     pull     shout

→

---

5. to crack and open     break     hold

→

---

6. to move a stick to hit     swing     win

→

---

7. to laugh lightly     ride     giggle

→

---

8. the hard part of the earth     ground     river

→

---

● **Choose the correct words.**

1. Gina is angry. Kevin \_\_\_\_\_ her vase.  
a. finds                      b. makes                      c. breaks                      d. adds
2. The ball flies to me. I \_\_\_\_\_ the bat.  
a. cut                          b. dig                          c. throw                      d. swing
3. Today is my birthday. I \_\_\_\_\_ my friends to come to my party.  
a. call                          b. send                          c. bring                          d. put
4. The rain falls on the \_\_\_\_\_. Wear your boots.  
a. sky                          b. ground                      c. roof                          d. window

## Summary Make Up

● **Complete the summary.**

Maria has a Mexican birthday party. It is time to break the \_\_\_\_\_! Maria has a cloth over her eyes. She \_\_\_\_\_ a stick at the piñata. First, she hits a \_\_\_\_\_! Then, she hits the birthday cake! Last, she hits the piñata. It \_\_\_\_\_. Candies and toys fall on the ground. It is a \_\_\_\_\_ party.

balloon      fun      piñata      breaks      swings

## Word Check Up

● Check the correct words. Then find the sentences in the text and write them.

1. to see for the first time     find     hit

→ When she wakes up, she finds presents around her bed.  
\_\_\_\_\_

2. to come out of something     wake up     fall out

→ \_\_\_\_\_

3. a place where people live     land     playground

→ \_\_\_\_\_

4. a piece of cloth with special meaning     pillow     flag

→ \_\_\_\_\_

5. something that you give to someone     hole     present

→ \_\_\_\_\_

6. in a way that is not the same     differently     surprised

→ \_\_\_\_\_

7. to put something on a high place     slide     hang

→ \_\_\_\_\_

8. long, thin food people eat with soup     noodles     vegetables

→ \_\_\_\_\_

● **Choose the correct words.**

1. I give a \_\_\_\_\_ to my friend at Christmas.  
a. present      b. bud      c. magic      d. party
2. People in China like to eat \_\_\_\_\_.  
a. shirts      b. noodles      c. stars      d. bowls
3. My mom \_\_\_\_\_ a picture on the wall.  
a. drops      b. reads      c. bakes      d. hangs
4. Where is our book? Let's \_\_\_\_\_ it.  
a. find      b. draw      c. act      d. bite

## Summary Make Up

● **Complete the summary.**

Children in other lands do \_\_\_\_\_ things on birthdays. In Mexico, they \_\_\_\_\_ a piñata open. The candy and toys inside are \_\_\_\_\_. In Hong Kong, they eat a bowl of \_\_\_\_\_ and their friends give them presents. In Denmark, parents hang \_\_\_\_\_ for the birthday child and give presents.

different      noodles      presents      flags      break

## Word Check Up

● Check the correct words. Then find the sentences in the text and write them.

1. a person who works in a library     player     librarian

→ George's mom is a librarian.

---

2. on the day after today     tomorrow     soon

→

---

3. a place to eat meals     restaurant     tent

→

---

4. something used to do a job or task     net     tool

→

---

5. not working well     broken     popular

→

---

6. a place where people do their jobs     ground     work

→

---

7. a person who fixes machines     chef     mechanic

→

---

8. to return something to its place     put back     set up

→

---

● **Choose the correct words.**

1. The laptop is \_\_\_\_\_. It's not working.  
a. broken            b. giant            c. wooden            d. comfortable
2. My birthday is \_\_\_\_\_. I'm so excited!  
a. enough            b. across            c. differently            d. tomorrow
3. Mr. Smith doesn't go to \_\_\_\_\_ on Sundays.  
a. place            b. hole            c. work            d. activity
4. My aunt is a \_\_\_\_\_. She knows everything about cars.  
a. field            b. space            c. flag            d. mechanic

## Summary Make Up

● **Complete the summary.**

Children are at work with their parents. Bella's mom is a \_\_\_\_\_.  
Bella helps cut the vegetables. Alvin's dad is a mechanic. Alvin helps  
his dad find the right tools to \_\_\_\_\_ the cars. George's mom  
is a \_\_\_\_\_. George helps put the \_\_\_\_\_ back. The  
children all want to go to \_\_\_\_\_ again tomorrow!

librarian    books    fix    work    chef

## Word Check Up

● Check the correct words. Then find the sentences in the text and write them.

1. to know more about something  learn  swing

→ Teachers help children learn.

---

2. making someone want to know more  careful  interesting

→

---

3. to keep something safe  move  protect

→

---

4. a person who keeps a forest safe and clean  park ranger  player

→

---

5. to help something from danger quickly  save  leave

→

---

6. everything in the world that is not made by people  city  
 nature

→

---

7. to help someone or something get better  take care of  fall out

→

---

8. a person who writes code for computer programs  archer  
 programmer

→

---