



Reading Comprehension Last Saturday, our class went on an exciting trip to the zoo. The weather was perfect, with bright sunshine and a gentle breeze. As we entered the gates, we could hear the sounds of animals and the laughter of children. Our first stop was the monkey enclosure, where the playful monkeys swung from branches, chattering noisily. It was fascinating to watch their antics, and we learned that they are highly social creatures.

Next, we visited the reptile house, which was dimly lit and full of intriguing creatures. We saw snakes of various colours and sizes. One particularly striking snake was a bright green emerald tree boa, coiled elegantly on a branch. After our exploration, we gathered for lunch near the picnic area, exchanging stories about our favourite animals.

The highlight of the day was the bird show, where parrots and other birds demonstrated their incredible skills. We left the zoo tired but happy, with memories of a fantastic day.



Spelling/Grammar

Circle the word with the correct use of a hyphen in these sentences.

1. My teenage sister always likes to coordinate/co-ordinate her clothes with her shoes.
2. The space shuttle is due to reenter/re-enter the Earth's atmosphere this evening.
3. "Please co-operate/cooperate with your partner," called the instructor at the climbing centre.
4. My mum had to re-ignite/reignite the fire as it kept blowing out.
5. To co-author/coauthor a book means to write it with someone else.
6. The dentist had to reexamine/re-examine Jasmine's teeth.

Reading Comprehension

Questions:

1. What day of the week did the trip to the zoo take place? 1 mark
2. Explain how might the weather have affected the trip if it had been raining? 2 marks
3. Compare the two animal enclosures mentioned in the text. How were they different? 2 marks
4. How might the author's choice of words in phrases like "exciting trip" and "bright sunshine" influence the reader's emotions? 2 marks
5. Where did the class gather for lunch? 1 mark

This week's learning

Arithmetic Skills

1 $9625 - 7384 = \square$

2 $9886 - 6279 = \square$

3 $6421 - \square = 4664$

4 $6875 - \square = 3951$

5 $7894 - \square = 1117$

6 $2644 - \square = 1106$

7 $4616 - 1921 = \square$

8 $3745 - \square = 2478$

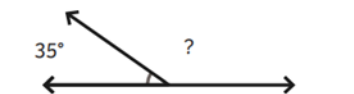
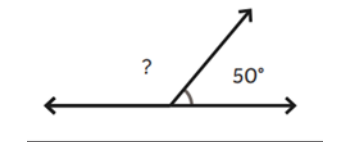
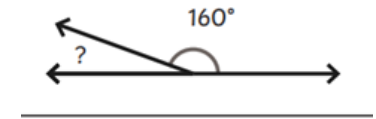
9 $8051 - 6859 = \square$

10 $6396 - 2137 = \square$

1. Rebecca had 1,250 stickers in her collection. She decided to give 385 stickers to her younger cousin and 197 stickers to her best friend. How many stickers does Rebecca have left now?
2. The school library had 2,340 books at the beginning of the year. Over the year, 645 books were damaged and 289 books were lost. How many books are left in the library now?
3. There were 4,500 tickets available for a football match. By the end of the week, 3,275 tickets had been sold. How many tickets are still available?
4. A charity fundraiser collected £1,875 in total. They spent £1,038 on supplies and £426 on advertising. How much money is left after the expenses?

Practice Practice Practice

Calculate the missing angles.



Doodle Maths: Please can your child complete an activity on Doodle Maths 4 times a week.