



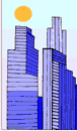
Name _____

In the Big City


Cities  are busy places. A city has many lights .

A city  has many signs  and streets. You will see different homes, places and people.

A city has places to live. A city has places to visit.

A city has places to work, such as office buildings .

There are also many kinds of cars  and buses .

The streets  are busy. You must be careful when you are crossing a street. Only go on a green light!



What do you like to do in a city? Draw a picture.

Name _____

What Can You Do in a City?

A city  has many fun places to visit.

You can work and live in a city.

There are parks  and community pools  in a city. There are movie theaters and museums.

A city also has libraries , where you can go to borrow books. A library is a quiet place in a noisy city.

A city has many restaurants , where you can eat with friends or family.

In a city you can go shopping, see a movie or go for a walk. A city can keep you very busy!

Finish each sentence. Look at the text above for the answers.

1. You can _____ and _____ in a city.
2. A city has _____ for borrowing books.
3. A city has many _____ where you can eat.

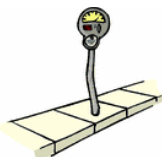
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Objects in a City

There are many different objects around a city.

Copy the correct word(s) from the word box under each picture.



tree	gas pump	parking meter	fence
police car	bus	mailbox	sign
lights	garbage can	picnic table	bench



Name _____


Places to Live in a City


Cities  have many places for people to live.


A city  has big apartment buildings . They have many floors. Many people live in these buildings.

If you live in an apartment  you do not have a yard.

People who live in an apartment may have a balcony .

In a city , there is not a lot of land. Office buildings and stores take up a lot of space.

Cities have houses  too. Some houses are big and some houses are small. Some houses are close together or attached.

Some houses  have a yard in the front or in the back of the house. Some people have a pool or a swing set in their yard.

People who have a yard  in the city are very lucky!

Name _____

Who Works in a City?

A city has firefighters  and police . They keep people safe. They also help them if they are hurt.

A city has hospitals . Doctors and nurses work in hospitals. They take care of hurt and sick people.

A city has many stores . People work in stores and sell food, clothes, toys, and other things to customers.

A city  also has bus drivers  and truck drivers.

A city has construction workers. 

There are waiters  who work in restaurants .

A city has people who work in banks, offices and factories.

There are many kinds of jobs in a city .

Name _____

People and Places in our Community

There are different places and people in our neighborhood. Some places sell or lend things to people. Some places are for activities. Other places offer a service.

People in our neighborhood have jobs that help other people, sell things or take care of the community.

Look at the pictures below. Answer the following questions.



pool



library



gas station



store



restaurant



hospital



park



school



firefighter



police



bus driver

1. Where can you go to play outside? _____

2. Who drives a bus? _____


3. Where do you go for dinner? _____

4. Who do you call if there is a fire? _____

5. Where do you buy food? _____

Name _____

How Are Apartments and Houses Made?

It takes a long time to build a house  or an apartment.

All of the people have to work as a team.



Architects  make drawings of the buildings.

Construction workers  put together the materials.


People go to stores  and buy what is needed to build.

People work in stores  and sell the materials.

Imagine you are building a house or an apartment. Draw a picture of your job.

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Houses and apartments  are made from many kinds of materials.

Some materials are for walls, the roof  and the windows.


Windows  are made from glass .

Walls are made from wood , bricks , or concrete .

Roofs are made from shingles .

A construction worker  also needs nails and screws.

Tools  are also needed to build.

When the building is finished, a family  can move in.

They can paint the walls and hang up pictures!

Name _____

Parts of a House

Special materials, such as bricks and concrete, are used to make the outside of a house. Houses also have windows made of glass, and some have fences made of wood.

There are also parts that make the inside of a house, like stairs and bedrooms. Houses have doors and some have yards.

Match each picture by drawing a line to the correct word.

door



wood



yard



concrete



bricks



window



roof



glass



Name _____

Living in Towns or on a Farm



Some people do not live in the city .

They may live in a town  or in the country .

A town  is a small city. The country has farms .

There are less houses and apartments in a town. The streets are quieter.

A town has schools , hospitals  and stores .

A town  has a fire house  and a police station .

A town has more space for parks. There are less buildings and streets in a town.

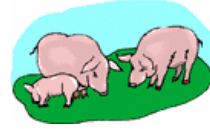
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People who live on a farm have a lot of space



Some farmers have animals, such as pigs



, cows



and chickens.

Some farmers sell vegetables and fruit to stores and people. They must harvest their crops when they are ripe.



Some farmers sell eggs and meat to people and stores.

The animals live in barns



and outside.

The farmers must get up early in the morning.

They have to feed the animals and clean the barns



It is a lot of work to live on a farm.

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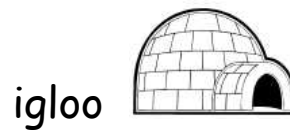
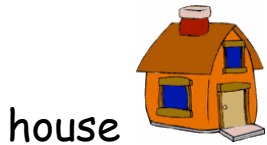
Neighborhood and Community Writing

People live in different types of homes. They also live in different areas of a community. Some people live in a rural area and some people live in an urban area.

Look at the pictures below. Write 3 sentences using these words.

Example: I live in a house. My house is in the city. My friend lives in an apartment.

Places to live:



1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

Where to live:

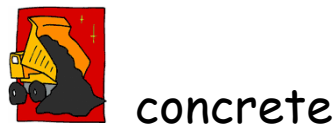
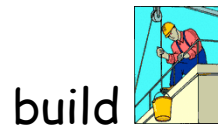


1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

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Our Neighborhood

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Answers:

Page 1: answers (pictures) will vary

Page 2: You can work and live in a city.

A city has libraries for borrowing books.

A city has many restaurants where you can eat.

Page 3: garbage can fence mailbox
 Police car tree sign
 Picnic table lights bus
 Parking meter gas pump bench

Page 6: 1. park
 2. bus driver
 3. restaurant
 4. firefighter
 5. store

Page 7: answers (pictures) will vary.

Page 10: answers (pictures) will vary.

Page 12: sentences will vary.

Page 13:

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