



Tutor In A Box



Calendar Answers

1. You can use books and the internet to help you find a poem. Think about what makes it funny, is it a specific phrase that made you laugh? Is it the use of rhyme? Identify what it is that makes the poem funny.
2. The answers are: **parents, friends and plants.**
3. Remember to use a question mark at the end of the question. The answer is: **Are you cold?**
- 4/5. You should think about the key features of a fairytale. These include: it being set in the past, starting with 'Once upon a time...', magical elements and clearly defined good and evil characters. Read confidently and loudly!
6. Check them carefully or ask a grown-up to check with you!
7. A prefix goes in front of the root word. The answers are: **unhappy, unhelpful and unfair.**
8. A noun phrase is a group of two or more words headed by a noun. For example: **the little boy or the sharp pencil.**
9. A command could use an imperative verb and ends in a full stop. The answer is: **Close the door.**
10. Are they helpful? Brave? Funny? Friendly? You should have a list of words and phrases including adjectives to describe the main character in your reading book.
11. An adjective is a describing word. An example of what your noun phrase could look like is: The **friendly brown owl.**
12. The answers are: **boxes, brushes and churches.**
13. Names are examples of proper nouns. Each name should start with a capital letter.
14. Write a list of different adjectives and phrases which indicate the three different emotions - **happy, sad, afraid.**





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15. Check them carefully or ask a grown-up to check with you!
16. A dictionary is a piece of **non-fiction text** as it is **informative and factual** rather than fictional.
17. Coordinating conjunctions are joining words that link together parts of a sentence, for example: **and, but, or**. The answer is: You can have blue or yellow.
18. Make a prediction based on what you have already read and what you already know about the characters. Keep reading to find out if your prediction was right!
19. The description of the setting, the way the characters speak, the way the characters are dressed.
20. These can be ten adjectives. Try and make the words as interesting as you can!
21. Make sure you explain why you like / dislike the current title of your reading book. If you dislike it, what would you change the title to instead?
- 22/23. Your list of features should include the climate of the planet, the colour of the planet and any unique features your planet has!
24. A verb is a doing word. Some examples of verbs are: **run, walk, throw, sprint, trot, gallop, shout, scream, whisper**.
25. A fairytale is a piece of **fiction writing**. It is based on imaginary events and people, making it fictional.
- 26/27. You can be as creative as you want when you write this poem! Your poem could be any form – it could rhyme, be acrostic or a shape poem. When you read the poem aloud, read loudly and confidently.





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28. This underground world can look however you would like it to! Be very detailed with your description, use lots of adjectives to describe the setting. Think about the five senses (sight, smell, touch, sound and taste) when you are writing your description.
29. Think about why this particular moment stuck with you. Was it a dramatic scene? Was it a particular phrase or word that you found very interesting? Did something happen to a character you really liked?
30. Check them carefully or ask a grown-up to check with you!

