

Chapter 1

WHAT DO YOU THINK?

- 1 Mrs Silver lives in a flat. Mr Hoppy lives in a flat above Mrs Silver's flat.
- 2 Mrs Silver is happy because she loves her tortoise.
- 3 Mr Hoppy is sad. He loves Mrs Silver but she does not know this.

WHAT CAN YOU REMEMBER?

Match the pictures to the words.

- 1 a flat
- 2 a balcony
- 3 grow (grew)
- 4 a tortoise

Read the sentences and write the correct words.

- 1 loves
- 2 flat
- 3 grows
- 4 tortoise
- 5 balcony

Chapter 2

WHAT DO YOU THINK?

- 1 Alfie is small.
- 2 Mr Hoppy is giving some paper to Mrs Silver.
- 3 Mr Hoppy is happy because he is helping Mrs Silver.

WHAT CAN YOU REMEMBER?

These words are in tortoise language!

Can you write them in English?

- 1 weigh
- 2 gram
- 3 idea
- 4 backwards

Write the correct words and numbers.

- 1 Alfie
- 2 11 years old
- 3 350 grams
- 4 vegetables

Chapter 3

WHAT DO YOU THINK?

- 1 Mr Hoppy is in a pet shop.
- 2 Mr Hoppy is in his living room. There are a lot of tortoises on the floor.
- 3 Mr Hoppy is making a tortoise-catcher.

WHAT CAN YOU REMEMBER?

Match the pictures to the words.

- 1 lift
- 2 choose (chose)
- 3 a pet shop
- 4 a tortoise-catcher

Correct the sentences.

- 1 Mr Hoppy goes to every **pet shop** in the city.
- 2 Alfie is dark **brown**.
- 3 Mr Hoppy **makes** a tortoise-catcher.
- 4 Mrs Silver goes to work every **afternoon**.
- 5 Tortoise Number Two weighs **400** grams.

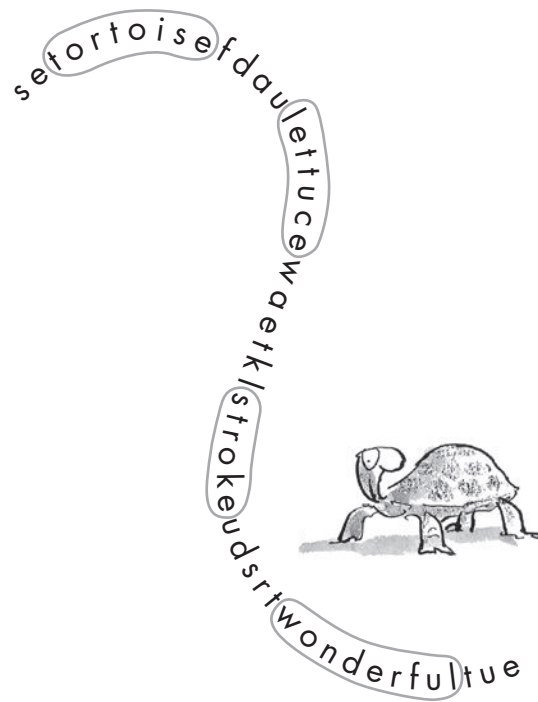
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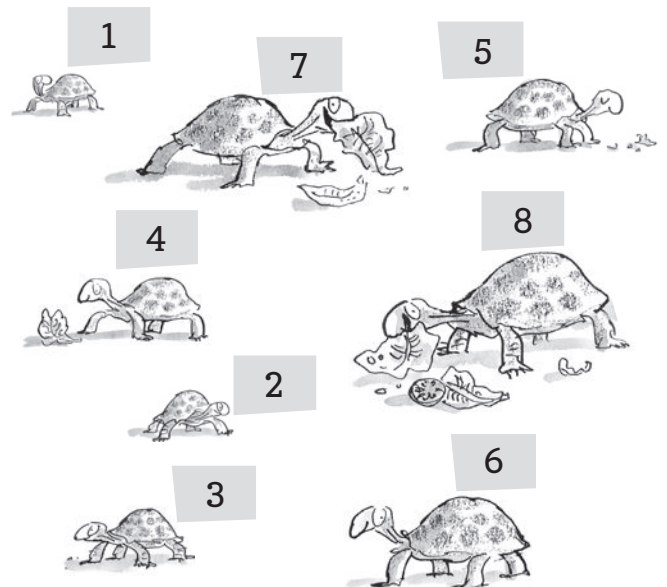
- 1 No, this is Tortoise Number Two.
- 2 Mrs Silver is reading to the tortoise.
- 3 Mrs Silver is happy because the tortoise is big.

WHAT CAN YOU REMEMBER?

Find the words.



Put the tortoises in the correct order, from small to big!

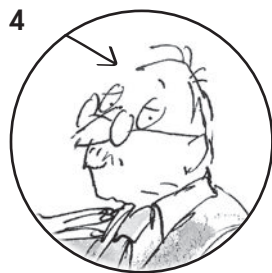
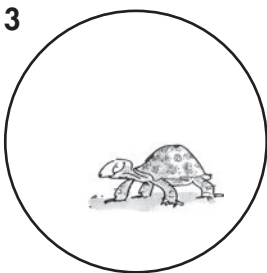
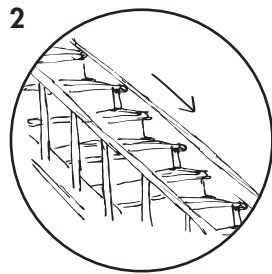


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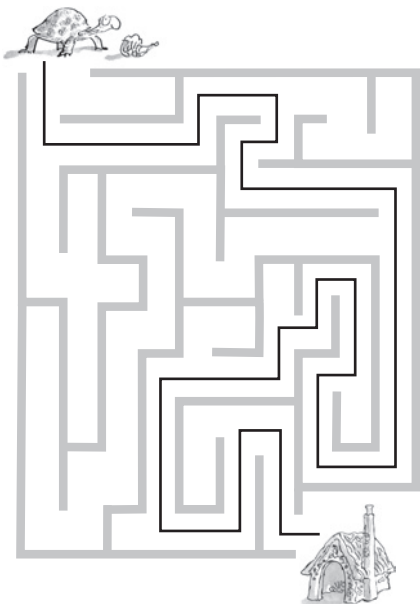
WHAT DO YOU THINK?

- 1 Mrs Silver and Mr Hoppy are looking at Alfie's house because Tortoise Number Eight cannot go in the door.
- 2 Mr Hoppy is happy because Mrs Silver likes him.
- 3 Mr Hoppy is putting a small tortoise on Mrs Silver's balcony because Tortoise Number Eight was very big.

Tick the correct picture.



Can you find the tortoise's house?



Chapter 6

WHAT DO YOU THINK?

- 1 Mr Hoppy is going downstairs to Mrs Silver's flat.
- 2 Mr Hoppy and Mrs Silver are getting married.
- 3 Alfie is in a garden.

WHAT CAN YOU REMEMBER?

Write and circle the correct word.

- 1 runs
- 2 cup
- 3 around
- 4 married

Put the sentences in the correct order.

- 1 Mr Hoppy runs downstairs to Mrs Silver's flat.
- 2 Mrs Silver smiles at Mr Hoppy.
- 3 Mr Hoppy takes the tortoises to the pet shop.
- 4 Mr Hoppy cleans his living room.
- 5 Mr Hoppy and Mrs Silver get married.
- 6 Roberta Squibb buys Alfie from a pet shop.
- 7 Roberta Squibb gets married.
- 8 Alfie is a very big tortoise.

TALK ABOUT ...

Reader's own answers.

PROJECT!

Reader's own answers.