Ants<br>Ants in the Apple

## Programming

for

## Spelling

Level 3 Study Sheets

Steps 11-20

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## Level 3 Spelling List: Step 11

Spelling
Circle the spelling errors. Write the correct spelling/s on the line. (proofreading) Be careful! There may be more than one error in each sentence.

Did you hear someone screem?
Whi did you denie screeching at that dog?
You have a little waste and a big noze!
Do not strane your back when you lift that case.
Did you replie to your mum's letter?
My birthday is in the month of Jully. $\qquad$
What a quante old church! $\qquad$
The stranger was detaned in prison.
Are you reddy to go to school?

Underline any spelling errors. Re-write the sentences correctly on the lines. (proofreading) Be carefull There may be more than one error.

Get reddy for school.
Get ready for school.
Were did you put that quante painting?

Hurry up and replie to the teecher!

The suspect was detaned in jail.

Do not denie the truth!

Jully is the month after June.

## Level 3 Spelling List: Step 13

## Writing conventions

Write speech marks around the part of the sentence that someone is saying. (punctuation: speech marks)
Read the sentences to your partner.

Get me the best bicycle, roared the coach.

Did you go north for your holiday? asked the old lady.

The sportsman yelled, We made it to the end!

Have you been to the city? asked the bus driver.

The shopkeeper said, We will have some torches in the shop soon.

Do you have fifty cents? begged the old man.

## The regular form of the past tense

The past tense refers to events that have already happened. The regular form of the past tense simply adds the suffix '-ed' at the end of a word. For example, 'jump' becomes 'jumped'.

Underline the words that are in the past tense. (grammar: verbs)

| cent | thorn | raced | torch |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| crowned | die | cycled | strolled |
| stormed | northward | relate | stormed |
| race | power | detain | chemist |

Choose the correct form of the PAST tense of the verb 'to be' to complete these sentences. (grammar: verbs)

1. The runner $\qquad$ carrying the torch. (was, were)
2. The storms $\qquad$ all over the city. (was, were)
3. Many children $\qquad$ racing along the sand.
4. Two cyclists $\qquad$ pushing their bikes.

## Level 3 Spelling List: Step 15

## Spelling

Circle the spelling errors. Write the correct spelling/s on the line. (proofreading) Be careful! There may be more than one error in each sentence.
scream
Did you hear someone screem?
You cannot uvoid taking part in the rase.
I'm sorri that the cake has been spoylt.
Put the ointment on that cut on your finjer.
How many noysy children can answer the ridle?
My grene aple has a hole in it.
I am glad you didn't grumbel about the spilt milc.
Do you thinc you now the answer to my riddel?
Can you jugle three balls at the same time?

Underline any spelling errors. Re-write the sentences correctly on the lines. (proofreading) Be careful! There may be more than one error.

Get reddy for school.
Get ready for school.
There is nuthing better than appel pie and custard!

We have to make a choyce about our holiday.

It's much too noysy in here to read a book.

Do not grumbble about having to go to school todaiy.

## Level 3 Spelling List: Step 16

## Word Study

Break these words into their separate morphemes. (morphemes: compound words, prefixes and suffixes)
Read the words to your partner.


Draw a line to match the words to their meanings. (word meanings/multiple meanings)

| Words | Meanings |
| :--- | :--- |
| betray | a song sung in church |
| holiday | to break someone's trust |
| afraid | vacation |
| hymn | a thick, sweet topping |
| syrup | scared |

More collective nouns
Draw a line to match the collective noun to its subject. (collective nouns)

| a flight of $\ldots$ | lions |
| :--- | :--- |
| a school of $\ldots$. | mice |
| a pride of $\ldots$ | stairs |
| a nest of $\ldots$ | whales |

## Level 3 Spelling List: Step 17

## Comprehension

Fill in the blanks using the words given. (cloze)
Read the whole text to your partner.

| painted | curved | battle | wide | cave |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| back | Returning | oldest | Australia | two |

## Boomerangs

Boomerangs are $\qquad$ throwing sticks that have been used by Australian Indigenous people for hunting animals, for sport, and for warfare over thousands of years. The smallest boomerangs are less than 10 centimetres $\qquad$ and the largest are over 180 cm from tip to tip. Traditionally, boomerangs may have been $\qquad$ with colours or designs that had meaning for their maker.

There are $\qquad$ types of boomerangs. One is the returning boomerang and the other is the non-returning boomerang. $\qquad$ boomerangs are used for sport and are light and more curved, which helps them fly in a circle and then go $\qquad$ to the thrower. A non-returning boomerang is straighter and is used in $\qquad$ or for killing animals.

Some of the $\qquad$ artworks in the world are drawings of boomerangs, found on rocks and $\qquad$ walls, drawn by Indigenous people of long ago. The $\qquad$ boomerangs discovered so far were found in Wyrie Swamp, South Australia, in 1973 and have been dated to about 10,000 years ago.

## Level 3 Spelling List: Step 19

Spelling

## The Schwa

The definition of the schwa is 'the indeterminate vowel sound'.
It is marked with this symbol
Any single vowel may make the schwa sound.

## Examples

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \text { 'a' making the schwa sound - 'bälloon' } \\
& \text { 'e' making the schwa sound - 'problèm' } \\
& \text { 'ï' making the schwa sound - 'fam ìly' } \\
& \text { 'o' making the schwa sound - 'buttön' } \\
& \text { 'u' making the schwa sound - 'süggest' } \\
& \text { 'y' making the schwa sound - 'syəringe' }
\end{aligned}
$$

Write a schwa symbol in each red box.


ointment

decide
German
delay

## Level 3 Spelling List: Step 20

## Comprehension

## General Knowledge



The image above shows an African woman carrying a water bucket on her head, inside a shape of Africa. Use this image to help you complete the following task.

## General Knowledge

Africa is the second-largest continent in the world. There are 48 countries in mainland Africa. The Atlantic Ocean is on the left side of Africa.
The Indian Ocean is on the right side of Africa.

1. Colour Africa in yellow.
2. Colour Australia in orange.
3. Colour the Atlantic Ocean in pale blue.
4. Colour the Indian Ocean in pale green.


## Level 3 Spelling List: Step 20

## Writing composition

Write a paragraph (text construction)
A paragraph is a group of sentences about a single idea. It should start with a topic sentence, followed by sentences that support that main idea.

Title: My Favourite Music

## Topic sentence

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$\qquad$
$\qquad$
Supporting sentence 1
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Supporting sentence 2
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Supporting sentence 3
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$\qquad$
Create an illustration for your paragraph.


