



## Year 6 Comprehension 8: The Boy Who Got a Letter from Hogwarts



Once upon a time, in a cozy little village, there lived a boy named Max. Max was a cheerful boy who loved to read books about magical creatures and enchanted places. Every night, before he went to sleep, Max would dream of being a wizard and going to a magical school.

One rainy afternoon, as Max was reading his favorite book about witches and wizards, he heard a gentle knock at the door. Max's heart raced with excitement. He wondered if it was a special visitor. Max ran to the door and found a small, brown envelope lying on the welcome mat. The envelope was very old-fashioned, with a wax seal stamped with a golden star.

Max picked up the envelope and carefully opened it. Inside, there was a beautiful letter written in fancy handwriting. The letter said:

***Dear Max,***

***Congratulations! We are pleased to inform you that you have been accepted to Hogwarts School of Witchcraft and Wizardry. We look forward to welcoming you to our magical school on September 1st. Please pack your things and be ready for an exciting adventure.***

***Yours magically,***



## ***Professor McGonagall***

Max's eyes widened with joy. Hogwarts was the school he had always dreamed of! He could hardly believe it was real. His room was filled with excitement as he quickly packed his favorite books, clothes, and a special notebook he used to jot down his magical ideas.

The next morning, Max's parents drove him to the train station. Max was thrilled but a little nervous too. His parents gave him a big hug and wished him good luck. Max looked around and saw a large, shiny red train waiting on the tracks. The train had golden letters on it that read "Hogwarts Express."

Max climbed aboard and found a comfortable seat by the window. As the train started moving, Max gazed out at the beautiful countryside, which soon changed to rolling hills and dark forests. After a while, the train stopped, and Max saw a magnificent castle in the distance. It was Hogwarts!

When Max arrives at Hogwarts, he is greeted by Professor McGonagall. She was tall and wore a green robe with silver stars. "Welcome to Hogwarts, Max," she said with a warm smile. "I will show you to the Great Hall where you will meet the other students."

The Great Hall was enormous and magical. It had four long tables, each with a different color of candles floating above them. There was a large hat sitting on a stool in the middle of the room. Professor McGonagall explained that this was the Sorting Hat. The Sorting Hat would decide which of the four houses—Gryffindor, Hufflepuff, Ravenclaw, or Slytherin—Max would belong to.

Max watched as each student walked up to the stool, and the Sorting Hat would whisper to them before they went to their new house. When it was Max's turn, he walked up nervously. The Sorting Hat whispered in his ear, "I see great bravery in you. Gryffindor would be a perfect fit."

Max smiled with relief and excitement as he joined the Gryffindor table. The other students welcomed him with friendly smiles and cheers. They all introduced themselves and shared stories about their favorite magical creatures and spells.

That evening, Max and his new friends had a delicious feast. There were all kinds of amazing foods—roast chicken, crispy potatoes, and yummy desserts like chocolate frogs and pumpkin pie. Max couldn't stop smiling. It was the most wonderful meal he had ever had!

After dinner, Max went to bed in his cozy dormitory. His bed was soft, and the room was decorated with red and gold. As he drifted off to sleep, he thought about all the exciting adventures that awaited him at Hogwarts. He would learn how to cast spells, brew potions, and maybe even fly on a broomstick.

The next day, Max attended his first classes. He learned about magical creatures, practiced casting spells, and even had a lesson on how to care for magical plants. Each day was full of new discoveries and fun.



Max was so happy to be at Hogwarts. He made many friends and enjoyed every magical moment. And every night, before he went to sleep, he couldn't wait to see what new adventures the next day would bring.

And so, Max's dream came true, and he began a wonderful journey at Hogwarts, where magic and friendship made every day special.

And that's how Max, a boy with a big dream, found his place in a world full of enchantment and wonder.



## Multiple Choice Questions

1. What is the name of the boy in the story?

- A) Leo
- B) Tommy
- C) Max
- D) Sam

2. What kind of letter does Max receive?

- A) A birthday invitation
- B) A letter from Hogwarts
- C) A thank-you note
- D) A postcard

3. Which magical school does Max get accepted into?

- A) Beauxbatons
- B) Durmstrang
- C) Hogwarts
- D) Ilvermorny

4. What color is the train that takes Max to Hogwarts?

- A) Blue
- B) Green
- C) Red
- D) Yellow



5. What is the name of the hat that sorts students into houses?

- A) Sorting Cap
- B) Magic Hat
- C) Sorting Hat
- D) Enchanted Hat

6. Which house is Max sorted into?

- A) Hufflepuff
- B) Ravenclaw
- C) Gryffindor
- D) Slytherin

7. What color candles float above the tables in the Great Hall?

- A) Red
- B) Green
- C) Blue
- D) Gold

8. What is one of the foods Max eats at the feast?

- A) Ice cream
- B) Roast chicken
- C) Spaghetti
- D) Burgers



9. Who greets Max when he arrives at Hogwarts?

- A) Professor Dumbledore
- B) Professor Snape
- C) Professor McGonagall
- D) Professor Flitwick

10. Where does Max sleep in Hogwarts?

- A) In a tent
- B) In a dormitory
- C) In a classroom
- D) In the library



## Short Answer Questions

1. What does Max find on the welcome mat?

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2. Who is the letter that Max receives?

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3. What is the first thing Max does after reading the letter?

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4. What is the name of the train Max rides to Hogwarts?

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5. What special feature is in the Great Hall at Hogwarts?

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6. What magical creature or item does Max see in the Great Hall that sorts students?

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7. What house does the Sorting Hat say would be a perfect fit for Max?

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8. What kind of pie is served at the feast?

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9. How does Max feel about his first day at Hogwarts?

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10. What does Max dream about every night before going to sleep?

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## Answer Key

### Multiple Choice Questions:

1. C) Max
2. B) A letter from Hogwarts
3. C) Hogwarts
4. C) Red
5. C) Sorting Hat
6. C) Gryffindor
7. D) Gold
8. B) Roast chicken
9. C) Professor McGonagall
10. B) In a dormitory

### Answers to Short Answer Questions:

1. A small, brown envelope.
2. Professor McGonagall.
3. He packs his things.
4. The Hogwarts Express.
5. Floating candles.
6. The Sorting Hat.
7. Gryffindor.
8. Pumpkin pie.
9. He is very happy and excited.
10. The exciting adventures awaiting him at Hogwarts.



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