



# Year 3 Worksheet 18: Understanding and Creating Simple Paragraphs

## Activity 1: Read the Paragraph

Read the following paragraph and answer the questions below.

Paragraph:

The sun was shining brightly in the sky. Children were playing in the park. They laughed and ran around, enjoying the warm weather. Some were flying kites, while others were playing on the swings. It was a perfect day for outdoor fun.

1. What was shining in the sky?

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2. Where were the children playing?

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3. What were the children doing? (List two activities)

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4. How did the weather feel?

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5. What type of day was it?

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## Activity 2: Identify the Main Idea

Read the following sentences and write the main idea.

Sentences:

The dog barked loudly. It chased a squirrel up a tree. The dog looked very happy as it ran around. Everyone in the neighborhood could hear the barking.

1. Main Idea:

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## Activity 3: True or False

Decide if the statements are true or false based on the paragraph.

1. The children were playing inside.

Answer: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Some children were flying kites.

Answer: \_\_\_\_\_

3. It was raining during the day.

Answer: \_\_\_\_\_

4. The park was empty.

Answer: \_\_\_\_\_



## Activity 4: Fill in the Blanks

Use the words in the box to fill in the blanks and create a paragraph.

Words: dog, park, barked, happy, played

1. The \_\_\_\_\_ ran to the \_\_\_\_\_.

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2. The dog \_\_\_\_\_ loudly when it saw a squirrel.

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3. It looked very \_\_\_\_\_ as it chased after the squirrel.

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4. Children \_\_\_\_\_ with the dog in the park.

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5. Everyone enjoyed the sunny day at the \_\_\_\_\_.

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## Activity 5: Write a Simple Paragraph

Write a simple paragraph about your favorite animal. Use at least 5 sentences.

1. My favorite animal is:

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2. Describe the animal:

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3. What does it like to do?

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4. Why do you like it?

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5. Conclusion sentence:

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## Answer Key

### Activity 1

1. The sun
2. In the park
3. Flying kites; playing on the swings
4. Warm
5. A perfect day for outdoor fun

### Activity 2

1. The dog was happy and noisy while playing outside.

### Activity 3

1. False
2. True
3. False
4. False

### Activity 4

1. dog
2. barked
3. happy
4. played
5. park

### Activity 5

1. (Answers will vary)
2. (Answers will vary)
3. (Answers will vary)
4. (Answers will vary)
5. (Answers will vary)



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