

Kitehawk Learning Spelling Program

Dictation Exercises

Choose sentences from the following or create your own sentences.

Explore the concept of questions and the need for a question mark.
Give rule clues where list words (nouns) are used in the plural form (*italics*).
Remember verbs with 's' added are not plurals (like - likes, swim - swims)

Unit 1-25 [All words used]

Teaching point: *May*, in sentence 1 is the polite usage. In formal English *can* means "to be able" and *may* means "to have permission". *Can* commonly implies both meanings.

1. May I call you at night?
2. It is not right to fight over a toy!
3. We will get in the cars and go to the farm.
4. They all said she will be a very big star.
5. We all went to the farm and then jumped into the pool.
6. Did you ever go with her to see a ball game a night?
7. The tall tree gets the most water. ('gets' is a verbs, not a plural noun)

Unit 1-26 [All words used]

1. All the children are nice and kind.
2. Do the little black mice ever fight at night?
3. He will work every day to find more gold.
4. The rice at the shop was very dear.
5. She won't mind if I paint the doors red.

Unit 1-27 [All words used]

1. Never go across the yellow street in the city!
2. You're the first one to find the door.
3. Do you talk to people while you work?
4. We saw a dingo (Australia) down by the dam.
5. Put the clock on the shelf.
6. We got some books and put them in a paper bag.

Unit 1-28 [All words used]

1. There is a yellow flower growing in the city.
2. Later his mother will make dinner and then tell him a story.
3. Until the rain came, the crow and the dingo (Australia) were hot.
4. Most of the girls smiled when they saw the little yellow chicks.
5. The other night the sky was more purple than black.
6. It was such a nice night to shop in the city.

Unit 1-29 [All words used]

1. Did you see the green and brown ladder?
2. It does not matter what he said.
3. I will live with mother and take care of her two white chicks.
4. She called from the far side of the pool.
5. He said she had a long talk with her mother.
6. Do you like black tea or green tea?
7. He threw the seeds into the water.

Unit 1-30 [All words used]

1. Were the books under the purple paper?
2. A few people were hurt in the park.
3. I won't say a word about the dinner.
4. I was told there were many drums in the shop.
5. May I have an ice cream?
6. When the boat hit the rock, I almost fell into the water.