

Level 4. Sebastian Tidies Up

Alpha Readers

Sebastian Tidies Up



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A Write each vocabulary word next to its meaning.

bookshelf hook scratch drawer trouble glasses mess

1. glasses : two pieces of glass that a person use to see better
2. hook : a curved piece of metal or plastic for hanging something
3. drawer : a container that you can pull out to put things in
4. mess : the state of being dirty or untidy
5. trouble : a problem, difficulty or worry
6. scratch : to make a mark on a surface
7. bookshelf : a shelf on which you keep books

B Read and write the antonym for the given word.

always

outside

strange

remember

tomorrow

1. He will never remember he has left his keys there.
forget
2. That's strange. I left it in the drawer.
normal
3. I have to take it to school tomorrow.
yesterday
4. I always leave them on the bookshelf.
never
5. I left it outside on the table by the door.
inside

C Write the correct word to complete the sentence.

1. A little later, they were **searching** for their things.
2. I can't read a thing without my glasses.
3. They could get scratched lying beside the telephone.
4. These gloves belong outside on the table by the door.
5. Isabella would **be** in **trouble** at school tomorrow.
6. It's a good thing that I'm here to **look** after everybody.

get
belong
for
after
in
without

D Rewrite the sentences using the frequency adverbs.

Frequency Adverb

You can use **always**, **usually**, **often**, **sometimes**, and **never** in the middle of the sentence to express how often you do something.

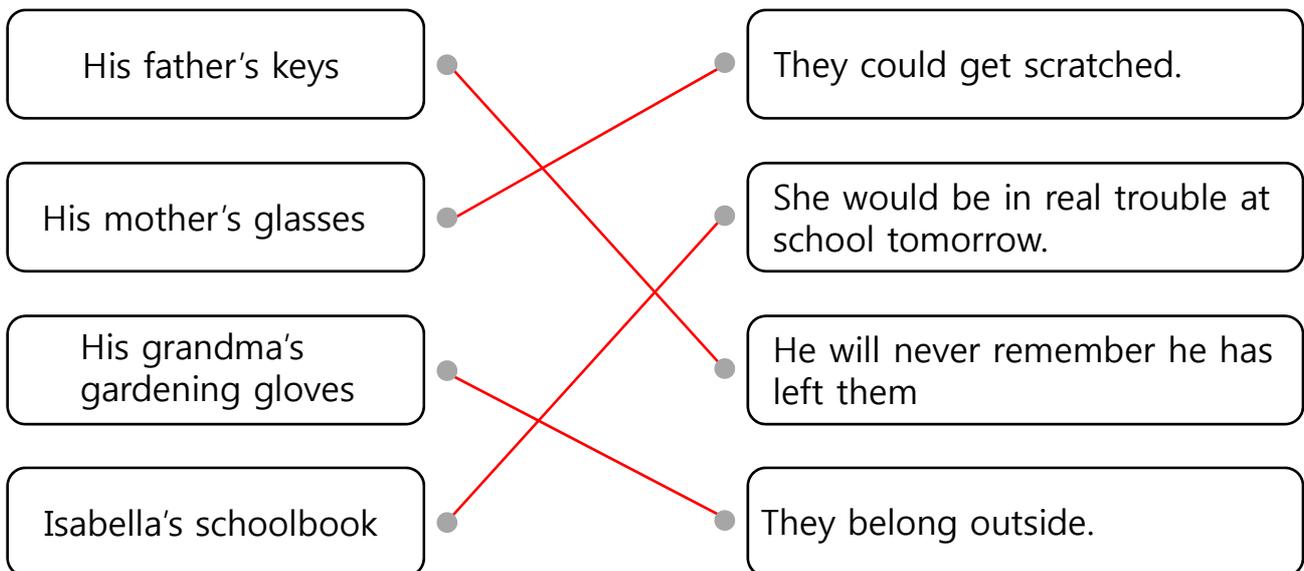
Ex.) I **always** go to school with my friends. (**Adverb** goes **before the verb**)

You **are** **always** late. (**Adverb** goes **after am/is/are/was/were**)

1. Mom is at home. (**always**)
→ Mom is always at home.
2. I go for a walk after dinner. (**often**)
→ I often go for a walk after dinner.
3. Tom listens to classical music. (**sometimes**)
→ Tom sometimes listens to classical music.
4. I can remember his phone number. (**never**)
→ I can never remember his phone number.

A Answer the following questions.

- Why was Sebastian proud of himself?
 - a) because he thought he looked after everyone by tidying up things
 - b) because he could do everything very well
 - c) because he was old enough to go to school alone
- What did Sebastian find beside the telephone?
 - a) His father's keys
 - b) Isabella's schoolbook
 - c) his mother's glasses
- What did Sebastian's family say when they found their things?
 - a) They are in the right place.
 - b) How great!
 - c) That's strange and odd.
- Why did Sebastian's family search for their things?
 - a) because they didn't tidy up their things
 - b) because they didn't remember where they put them
 - c) because their things weren't in the place where they always left them

B Why did Sebastian tidy up things of his family? Draw a line to match things to the reason.

C Where did Sebastian put things for his family? Complete the chart.

	beside	drawer	hook	bookshelf (x2)	outside	table
Things	Sebastian's Family				Sebastian	
Father's keys 	Father on the <u>bookshelf</u>				on the <u>hook</u> beside the telephone	
Mother's glasses 	Mother <u>beside</u> the telephone				in the <u>drawer</u>	
Grandma's gardening gloves 	Grandma in the drawer				<u>outside</u> on the table by the door	
Isabella's schoolbook 	Isabella outside on the <u>table</u> by the door				On the <u>bookshelf</u>	

D How do you tidy up your things? Write your own sentences using the given words.

I always tidy up my things.

I put my pencils, erasers, and rulers in the pencil case.
(pencils, erasers, rulers / pencil case)

I put my books in the bookshelf.
(books / bookshelf)

I put my clothes and socks in the drawer or in the closet.
(clothes, socks / drawer, closet)