

# Unit 2 Story

## Part 1 In-depth Reading



Suggested reading time: 10 mins

Mimi is reading a story about shopping.

### Shopping Day

On a sunny Saturday, Mabel and her dad go shopping in Diamond Mall. **'Where do you want to go?'** asks Mabel's dad. 'I want to go to the **sportswear shop** because I want to buy a pair of new **trainers**. I need **them** for my PE lessons,' says Mabel.

They go and read the directory. The **sportswear shop** is on the fifth floor. Dad buys Mabel a pair of white **trainers** there. **'What do you want to do next?'** asks her dad. 'Let's go to the **pet shop** on the second floor. I want to buy some cat food for Ginger!' says Mabel.

When they are walking to the lift, Mabel sees a **toy shop**. She runs into it and says, 'Dad, this teddy bear is cute!' Mabel turns around, but her dad is not there! She looks everywhere, but she cannot find **him**. She feels scared and starts to cry...

#### Dialogues

Tell what the characters say in direct speech

#### Beginning

Tell who are in the story (i.e. the characters) and when & where the story takes place

#### LEARN THIS SKILL

Start a new paragraph when:

- the character(s) move(s) to a new place
- there is a change of time

#### Middle

- Tell what happens to the main character
- He / She faces a problem
- How does he / she feel?

#### Ending

- Tell the feeling(s) of the main character
- Tell how he / she solves the problem

To be continued...

### USEFUL TIP

We use the question words **'what'** to ask about things to **do** and **'where'** to ask about places to **go**. We use **'want to'** to talk about activities we wish to do.

e.g. **What** do you **want to do**?  
I **want to play** football.

e.g. **Where** do you **want to go**?  
I **want to go** to the park.

## ABC Choose the Best Answers

1. Where do Mabel and her dad go? **Beginning**
- A. Sunny Mall  B. Saturday Mall
- C. Diamond Mall  D. Sunny Sportswear
2. How do Mabel and her dad find the shop they want to visit? **Middle**
- A. Ask the staff  B. Check online
- C. Read the directory  D. Talk to other visitors

## ? Fill in the Blanks

3. How does Mabel feel when she cannot find her dad? **Middle**
- She feels \_\_\_\_\_ when she cannot find her dad.
4. The adjective ' \_\_\_\_\_ ' in the story means 'lovely'. **Word choice**

## 🔍 Know More about the Structure

Match the sentences to the correct part of the story.

A. Mabel and her dad want to take the lift to the pet shop.

B. Mabel and her dad go to a shopping centre on Saturday.

C. Mabel chooses a pair of new trainers in a shop.

D. A lady hears Mabel cry so she comes to help her.

Beginning

Middle

Ending

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

# Part 2 Fun Text Grammar



Suggested finishing time: 10 mins



## Amazing Vocabulary

**Ex.** Chloe and Mimi are shopping in a shopping mall. Read the directory to see where they can find the things below. Put the letters in the correct boxes.

Smiles Shopping Mall						
3/F		Chinese restaurant	<input type="checkbox"/>		cinema	<input type="checkbox"/>
2/F		sportswear shop	<input type="checkbox"/>		sweet shop	<input type="checkbox"/>
1/F		café	<input type="checkbox"/>		pet shop	<input type="checkbox"/>
G/F		stationery shop	<input type="checkbox"/>		furniture shop	<input type="checkbox"/>

A.



a lollipop

B.



a sofa

C.



a box of crayons

D.



dim sum

E.



a pair of trainers

F.



a tub of popcorn



'Popcorn' is an uncountable noun. Do NOT write 'popcorns'.



## Magic Grammar Points

We can use **object pronouns** to replace nouns and noun phrases. We put **object pronouns** after verbs or prepositions.

I → <b>me</b>	You → <b>you</b>	We → <b>us</b>	They → <b>them</b>
He → <b>him</b>	She → <b>her</b>	It → <b>it</b>	

e.g. Eddie is kind so everybody likes **him**.

**Ex.** Eddie's cousin sends Eddie a letter from London. Read the letter and fill in the blanks with the correct object pronouns.

Dear Eddie,

How are you? I miss ① \_\_\_\_\_ so much! This year I make some new friends. I'm happy to meet ② \_\_\_\_\_!

My best friends are Sam and Lisa. We go to Hyde Park after school every day. The park is big and there are many birds. Sam and I like feeding ③ \_\_\_\_\_ with bread. Lisa is afraid of birds so she never joins ④ \_\_\_\_\_. She sits under a tree and reads her books. We all have a great time there!

Sometimes, Sam invites ⑤ \_\_\_\_\_ to his home. Lisa and I play with his dog Buddy there. Buddy is cute. We like ⑥ \_\_\_\_\_ very much! Sam's mum is nice. She often bakes us delicious cakes and cookies. We like ⑦ \_\_\_\_\_ too!

What about you? Do you like playing with your new friends? Tell ⑧ \_\_\_\_\_ more about them!

Yours,  
Sandra

# Part 3 Getting to Write

 Suggested finishing time: 15 mins

## Brain Boost

Mimi wants to know what happens at the end of the story. Look at the pictures and the words below. Write numbers 1–4 in the circles to put the pictures in the correct order.

### What happens in the end?



ten minutes later / arrive /  
thank the lady



cry / a lady / come and talk /  
help



remember / phone number /  
call her dad



toy shop / teddy bear / cute



## Let's Practise

Mimi is reading the ending of the story but some words are missing. Complete the story with the help of the pictures.

Mabel is crying because she cannot find her dad. A lady sees her. She comes to Mabel and talks to her, 'Little girl, why are you crying? What ① \_\_\_\_\_?' 'I want to find my dad. I can't find ② \_\_\_\_\_,' replies Mabel. The kind lady takes out her mobile phone and says, 'Don't worry. I can help you call him. Do you ③ \_\_\_\_\_ his phone number?' 'Yes. His phone number is 6543 3210,' says Mabel. The lady calls and tells Mabel's dad to meet ④ \_\_\_\_\_ outside the toy shop. 'It's OK. Your dad is in the ⑤ \_\_\_\_\_. He is coming to pick ⑥ \_\_\_\_\_ up now. I can wait here with ⑦ \_\_\_\_\_.' ⑧ \_\_\_\_\_ minutes later, Mabel's dad arrives at the toy shop. He looks grateful when he sees the lady. He thanks ⑨ \_\_\_\_\_ for her help. He then says to Mabel, 'You mustn't run away! It's dangerous!' Mabel feels ashamed. She says, 'I'm ⑩ \_\_\_\_\_, Dad. The teddy bear is cute so I go and look at ⑪ \_\_\_\_\_ in the ⑫ \_\_\_\_\_. I'm not doing this again!'

1 What question does the lady ask? Read Mabel's reply to find it out.

2, 4 Write the correct object pronoun.

5 Which shop sells erasers and rulers?

10 Mabel does something wrong. What does she say to her dad?

11 Which object pronoun do you use to refer to the teddy bear?

12 Which shop does Mabel go into?