

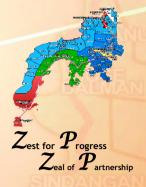


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EnglishQuarter 4 - Module 3:

Writing Reactions to Stories



Name of Learner:

Grade & Section:

Name of School:



What I Need to Know

Welcome to another lesson in English 4. This module aims to target the objective:

Learning Competency

Write a reaction about the story read. MELC Code - (EN4WC-IIf-22)



What I Know

Read the story. Answer the questions that follow.

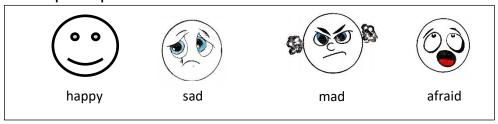
Mike has a kite and a bike. He rides on his bike to the dike. He flies his kite by the dike. One day, the kite fell in the dike. Mike was sad. He had no more kite.

1.	Who had a kite?
2.	Where does Mike fly his kite?
3.	What happened to the kite?
4.	What can you say about Mike?
	If you had a kite, would you fly it by the dike? Yes or No? Why?



What's In

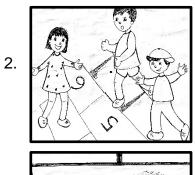
Directions: What do you feel when you do the following? Draw happy face, sad, mad, or afraid face to show your reaction on the space provided for.

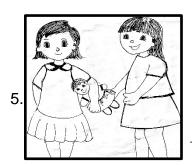






1.





3.



What's New

Good job for answering the activity. Now, you will read a story about the five foolish fishermen. As you read this story, you will learn some lessons. It's time for you to read it.



The five foolish fishermen went to the sea to fish. When they got back, the first fisherman said, "Let us see if there are still five of us." So he counted, "one, two, three, four." "Oh, no!' he cried. "We are only four!" "Let me count," said the second fisherman. "One, two, three, four!" "Maybe one of us fell into the sea!" cried the third fisherman. "What shall we do?" asked the fourth fisherman. And they began to cry. A little girl came. "Why are you crying?" she asked. "Five of us went to the sea to fish. But only four of us came back! One of us is lost!" answered the fishermen. They all cried again. "Boo hu hu!" "Let me count," said the little girl. "One, two, three, four, five! There are five of you!" "Why, what a smart girl you are!" said the five fishermen. They were so happy. They gave her a basket full of fish. **Comprehension Questions:** 1. What was the fishermen's problem? 2. Who helped the fishermen count themselves? 3. Was there a missing fisherman? Yes/no and why? 4. What can you say about the fishermen? Why? 5. If you were one of the fishermen, how would you count yourselves?



- Reaction is a text-based response in which you incorporate your views on the source text.
- It requires you analyze the content of the text critically, evaluate the validity of the argument presented, and sometimes relate the source text to your own personal experience.
- It also gives you the opportunity to respond to the ideas put forth by the authors of the story read.
- However, writing reaction requires you to formulate your own ideas in relation to the ideas presented in a reading.

Here are some tips on how to write reactions based from the story read:

- 1. Read and understand the story.
- 2. **Write down your initial reactions.** After you read through the first time, jot down your initial reactions to the text.
- 3. **Make connections**. Try to connect the author's ideas to your personal experiences and observations.
- 4. **Extend the Idea.** By doing this, you are having more meaningful ideas to be shared.



What's More

Activity 1

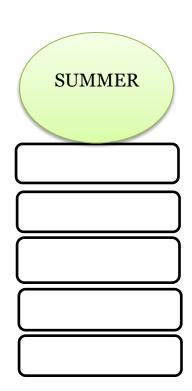
Directions: Read the short story below about summertime.

It was summertime. The children are excited to visit their grandparents in the farm. The children had a sleepless night. They were imagining of the wonderful things they do at the farm. They play and eat in a peaceful meadow near the lake. They sometimes swim in the lake with their cousins. Their cousins were helpful to make things easy for them. In the afternoon, they were eager to help in feeding grandfather's animals while grandma is watchful and reminded them to be careful. The children cant wait for another summer to come. They wish they could do these things this summer and for the next summers to come.

Answer the following questions.

1.	What was the story all about?
2.	Do kids loved summer? Why?
3.	What do you do during summer?

What can you say about summer? Write them inside the boxes below.



Activity 2

How will we keep ourselves healthy and safe on a sunny, hot day during summer? Complete the following sentences by choosing the correct word/words inside the box.

	drink water	thin	hats and umbrellas				
	sunglasses	a bath	cold				
To keep ourselves cool and hydrated, we must							
2.	To protect our e	yes with su	n's bright light we should wear —				
3.	Comfortable and	d	clothes are suitable on a hot day.				
4.	Usesun's direct ligh		to protect ourselves from				
5.	We should take stroke.		every day to avoid heat				
	What I	Have I	_earned				
Direc	tions: Answer th	ne following	questions.				
A. Ho	w will you write	reactions to	a story you have read?				
B. Wh	nat are the tips ir	n giving rea	ctions?				
C. WI	hat are the do's	and don'ts i	n giving reactions?				



Exercise 1: Read the short story then answer the questions that follow.

Charlie's niece, Jackie, learned in Science class that pieces of moon rock fall from the sky. That is why she keeps a helmet and a shield by her bedside all the times. She also keeps her eyes on the ceiling until she falls asleep.

Questions:

5. _	If you were Jackie, will you do the same? Why or why not?
4. _	How do you think Jackie interpret her lesson in Science?
3.	What does Jackie keep by her bedside all the time?
2.	What did Charlie's niece learn in class?
1.	Who is Charlie's niece?



Read and understand the selection.

Will You Go to School this Summer?

Many schools find that pupils learn better and remember more when they go to school all year long.

Does that mean pupils won't get a vacation? No. It means that pupils will get many short breaks instead of just a long one.

What do pupils say about a year-round school?

It's good!

- I can remember more of what I learned.
- I like having more short breaks.
- Summer gets boring, and I miss my friends.

It's bad!

- I can't go to summer activities.
- I like to play outside.
- I like to play outside and swim in the warm weather.
- It's too hot to be in school in summer.

Question:

1. Is going to school in summer good or bad? Write your reaction	
based from the story read?	

Answer Key



Rubric for checking.

Features	5	4	3	2
Quality of	Very	Somewhat	Gives	Poor
writing	informative, clear and well organized	informative and organized	information but poorly organized	information, poorly organized
Grammar and punctuations	No spelling, punctuation or grammatical errors	Few spelling and punctuation errors, minor grammatical error	A number of spelling. Punctuation and grammatical errors,	So many spelling, punctuation and grammatical errors.

Ahat's More
Activity 1

1. It's about summer time
2. Answers may vary
3. Answers may vary
4. Umbrellas/hats
5. A bath
5. A bath
5. A bath
5. A bath
7. Drink a lot of water
7. Drink a lot of water
8. Jumprellas/hats
9. A bath
7. Drink a lot of water
9. Sumprellas/hats
9. A bath

What's In What's New
1. sad face 1. Answers may vary
2. happy face 3. Answers may vary
3. sad face 4. happy face 4. Answers may vary
5. sad face 5. Answers may vary
6. sad face 5. Answers may vary
7. Answers may vary
8. Answers may vary
9. Answers may vary

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