

Sample Lesson #1

Sparks



“We are here,” says Mom.
She stops the car.

“At last!” says Max.

Max lives in the city. He is visiting his friend, Dan. Dan lives on a farm in the country. Dan runs up to the car.

“You are here!” Dan says.

“Have fun, you two,” Mom says. “I will pick you up tomorrow, Max.”

Dan and Max have fun on the farm. They fish in the pond. They climb trees. They play in the barn.



The sun sets. It is getting dark on the farm.

“I will get some lights,” Dan says. He goes into the house. Max sees sparks in the sky.

“Dan, the sky is on fire!”

Dan runs out of the house.

“What do you mean?” Dan says.

“Look!” Max says. “There are little sparks of fire in the sky!”

“That is not fire,” Dan laughs. “You see fireflies!” Max never saw fireflies in the city.

“What are fireflies?” asks Max.

“Fireflies are bugs. They can fly. They light up. They flash and make light. That’s how they talk to each other,” says Dan.

“Cool!” says Max.

“We can be fireflies,” laughs Dan. He hands Max a light. Soon, there are two more fireflies flashing in the night.

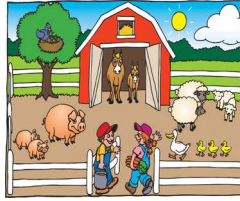


Lesson #8

RL.1.3 1. Where does the story take place?



city



farm



beach



jungle

RL.1.1 2. Circle the things Max and Dan do.



climb trees



feed pigs

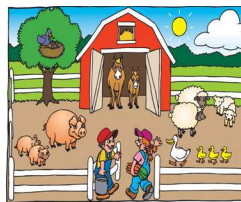


ride horses



fish

RL.1.1 3. Where does Max live?



farm



city

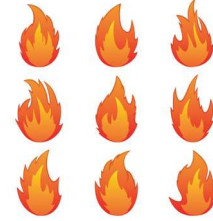
RL.1.1 4. What does Max think fireflies are?



flashlights



stars



fire

RL.1.1 5. How do fireflies talk to each other?

- A) They flap their wings.
- B) They flash light.
- C) They sing.

RF.1.2.A 6. Circle any word that has the **short u** sound.

Dan runs up to the car.