

Walk the dog

Three times a day we go for a walk.
In the morning Rick takes me out for the first time.
He needs the dog-lead.
I like running away to meet my friends.
We go down the street.
There is a piece of grass where I can make wee-wee and a small heap.

When Mary comes home for lunch
we go for a second long walk.
She takes me to the lake.
In summer Mary throws a ball.
But I don't swim! I hate water!
That is why we lose all the balls.
When it's good weather Mary jumps
into the lake. She is a good ball finder and
brings it back to me. Good girl!



In the evening we all go for our third walk.
In the dark I can smell a lot of things.
At the corner of the garden there is the wee-wee of Barker.
Barker barks all the time and is the neighbours' dog.
Next to the book shop there is the pet shop.
I love the smell of dog food.
All my friends leave a message at the door.
It takes a long time to read them all.
Rick, don't pull me!
There is a note from Ruby.
In a bush I find a bone. Quick!
Now, we must go home!
I want to hide my bone so that I can eat it tomorrow.
"Rick, stop! Why is Gilbert pulling?", Mary asks.
"Oh, no, not again a bone! Spit it out, boy!", says Rick.
How do you know I have a bone?
Take your hand out of my mouth!
Rrrrrrr! I can bite!
"You naughty dog! Don't you bite my hand!"
Ouch! Rick, you slapped my nose.
I am so surprised that I let the bone fall down.
I don't like you any more, Rick – let us say until you give me my dinner.



Vocabulary:

walk the dog – Gassi gehen
neighbour – der Nachbar
dog-lead – die Hundeleine
message, note – die Nachricht
wee-wee – Pipi

quick – schnell
small heap – das Häufchen
until – bis
lake – der See
naughty – böse, frech

lose – verlieren
slap – schlagen
bark – bellen

1. What a chaos!

Number the sentences!

- ☐ I make wee-wee and a small heap.
- ☐ In the dark I can smell a lot of things.
- ☐ Rick slaps me and I let the bone fall down.
- ☐ In the morning Rick takes me out.
- ☐ At lunchtime we go for a long walk.
- ☐ We go down the street.
- ☐ Mary takes me to the lake.
- ☐ In the evening we all go for a third walk.
- ☐ I find a bone.



2. Hidden words

Write the words correctly!



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At the doctor's

I'm so tired today. My eyes are small. They hurt. I have a headache.
I don't want to get up. Leave me alone in my basket.

Mary comes and pats me.

"Hey, socks, what's wrong with you?" – I feel bad!

"Your nose is warm and dry. Are you ill?" – I don't know.

"Drink some water." – No, thank you.

"Look, here is a dog biscuit." – No, thank you.

"Oh, boy, you don't drink and you do not even eat.

You must be ill. We must go to Doctor Bear."

Oh, no! This man is terrible.

But I am too weak to run away.



Mary puts me into the car and takes me to the doctor's house.

It's a big white house in town.

It smells interesting in front of the door.

Many poor cats and dogs like me are here.

Doctor Bear has got a big waiting-room.

Two women with a black cat and a fat pug-dog wait.

We are third after them.

We must wait for an hour.



It's half past four. Now Doctor Bear has got time.

I don't like his smell. He smells like medicine.

He looks into my eyes.

"It's an inflammation of the eyes.

Mrs Adams, you must put one or two drops
into each eye three times a day for one week."

Oh, my God! He wants to kill me!

Hey, what are you doing? What's in this little bottle?

It's so cold in my eyes! Who switched off the light?

Oh, help! I am blind! It's burning!

"You must take drops, old boy!"

What is it? And I am not your old boy, old doctor!



Vocabulary:

headache – Kopfschmerzen

Leave me alone! – Lass mich in Ruhe!

waiting-room – das Wartezimmer

pat – streicheln

pug-dog – der Mops

dry – trocken

inflammation – die Entzündung

even – sogar

drops – die Tropfen

terrible – furchtbar

switch off the light – das Licht ausknipsen

weak – schwach

burn – brennen

interesting – interessant

each – jede, jeder, jedes

3. What's wrong with you, poor Gilbert?

Give the right answers!

1. Do you have a headache? – *Yes, I have.*
2. Do you have an earache? – *No, I haven't.*
3. Do you have a warm and dry nose? – _____
4. Do you have a toothache? – _____
5. Do you have an inflammation of the ears? – _____
6. Do you have small eyes? – _____
7. Do you have an inflammation of your eyes? – _____
8. Do you have a good medicine? – _____
9. Do you have pills? – _____






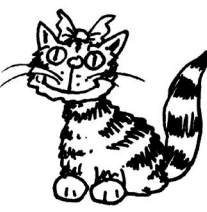
4. In Doctor Bear's waiting-room

Find out the name of the animal!

One animal in Doctor Bear's waiting-room has a broken leg.

It's name: _____

1. Ronny has a temperature.
2. The animal between Mrs Stephens' cat and Barker is Mrs West's animal.
3. Mr Smith's animal has toothache.
4. The cat on the left is Mizzi.
5. Elisa is Mrs Stephens' cat.
6. The animal with the cold is next to the animal with toothache.
7. Mr Myers animal is next to the animal with a temperature.

				
name of the animal				
owner				
illness				

Vocabulary:

toothache – Zahnschmerzen, cold – die Erkältung

At the doctor's

1. Right or wrong?

Find out the right sentences! The letters make the solution.

- Gilbert is happy today.
- Gilbert's eyes are small.
- Gilbert has a headache.
- Gilbert's nose is cold and dry.
- Mary says: "I think you are ill."
- Gilbert eats a lot of dog biscuits.
- Gilbert does not drink.
- They must go to Doctor Bear.
- Mary puts Gilbert into the car.
- The doctor's house is red.
- There is a big waiting-room.
- They must wait for two hours.
- Doctor Bear smells like medicine.
- Gilbert must take drops.
- Gilbert has an inflammation of the eyes.
- The drops are in a schoolbag.
- The drops are cold in his eyes.

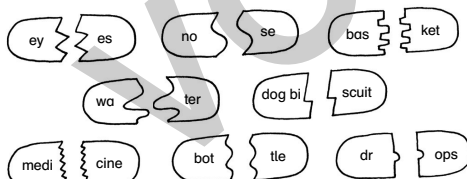
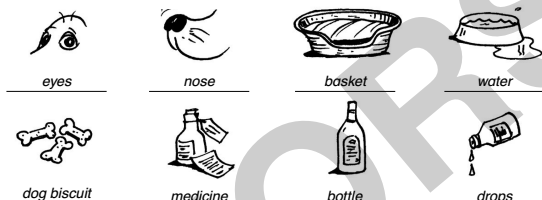
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Solution: T H A T I S R I G H T !

2. Puzzle

Put the words together!



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At the doctor's

3. What's wrong with you, poor Gilbert?

Give the right answers!

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- Do you have an earache? – No, I haven't.
- Do you have a warm and dry nose? – Yes, I have.
- Do you have a toothache? – No, I haven't.
- Do you have an inflammation of the ears? – No, I haven't.
- Do you have small eyes? – Yes, I have.
- Do you have an inflammation of your eyes? – Yes, I have.
- Do you have a good medicine? – Yes, I have.
- Do you have pills? – No, I haven't.



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It's name: Elisa

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- Elisa is Mrs Stephens' cat.
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name of the animal	Mizzi	Barker	Ronny	Elisa
owner	Mr Smith	Mr Myers	Mrs West	Mrs Stephens
illness	toothache	cold	temperature	broken leg

Vocabulary:
toothache – Zahnschmerzen, cold – die Erkältung

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