

American English

Primary Colors

Student's Book 6

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Welcome!

Review of language from American English *Primary Colors 5*

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Of course!
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B Language time

James sometimes goes to bed late.
I always play soccer at break time. What do you usually do?
It's made of wood.
Amy's dad is going to put up some shelves.
Nouns cardboard, cloth, glass, metal, paper, plastic, rubber, wood
Adjectives heavy, light, rectangular, round, square

1 Laya's first clue

must / mustn't, present conditional, ordinals, too

1A Danger!

Let's do it!
We must decide now!
Why did Gary press the Start button? To see the first message.
Nouns button, desert, rattlesnake, screen
Adjectives deep, huge
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Pronoun somewhere

1B Language time

If you walk near a bird, it flies away.
Nouns coral, fossil, layer, tracks
Adjectives afraid, aggressive, first, second ... twelfth
Verbs hurt, sting
Adverb away

1C Snakes!

What does she mean?
I know!
Alice was too frightened to move so she stood very still.
Nouns hole, map, stone
Adjectives expensive, frightened, high, loud, old, slow
Verbs climb, push, throw, touch
Adverb far away

1D Know it all! The Grand Canyon

I know!
Nouns beauty, canyon, deer, goat, lizard, raft
Adjectives exciting, special
Verbs grow, keep,
Adverb ago

2 A long way from home

Past simple, past continuous, numbers over 100

2A Lost in the mist

It's not a house!
Which way is it? It's that way!
They looked up the hill.
While they were talking, the carpet suddenly went straight up.
Nouns hill, left, mist, right, top
Adjectives dark, enormous, lost
Verbs add, control, point
Adverb perhaps

2B Language time

Where did the children fly to?
How did ...? When did ...?
What did ...?
Did James and Gary point in the same direction?
We didn't know the way to the carpet.
Nouns distance, donkey
Verb cross

2C A night in a cave

There it is!
Fantastic!
Nouns cave, light
Verbs hide, put, shout, smile, translate
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2D Know it all! The Great Wall

There it is!
Nouns body, emperor, soldier, statue, temple
Adjectives beautiful, dead, hard
Verbs build, cry, marry

REVIEW Units 1 and 2

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3 On the mountain

Future simple, first conditional

3A Crash!

Of course we are!
Do something!
When will we get there?
I think we'll land in a few minutes.
You won't feel hot there.
Nouns ice, mountain, rock, savanna, snow, speed
Verbs grab, land, slide

3B Language time

She'll take a tent because she can sleep in a tent.
I'll see / hear / feel ...
I won't see / hear / feel ...
Nouns batteries, coat, guide book, sleeping bag, stove, tent, flashlight
Verb stay

3C Don't move!

Well?
Any brilliant ideas?
Got it!
It's our only chance.
If you move, you'll fall.
Nouns chance, clue, idea, rope, silence, tale
Adjectives brilliant, scary, wet
Verb break

3D Know it all! Mount Kenya

Well?
Nouns bamboo, climate, countryside, eagle, forest, hyena, hyrax, leopard, level, lobelia

4 Water, water everywhere

Present perfect + ever, location, directions, digital times

4A Where's the carpet?

34–35

Lots of times!

Have you ever had pizza?

Nouns boot, canal, square

Adjectives amazing, excellent

Verbs float, pick up

Prepositions in front of, next to, on the left / right, opposite

4B Language time

36–37

Have you ever visited another country?

Yes, I have. No, I haven't.

Paul and I have never camped in the mountains.

Anneli has lived in another country but I haven't.

Go straight. Take the second road on the right. Turn left.

Turn right at the bank.

It's on the left.

4C Follow the seal!

38–39

You're a genius!

Excuse me!

Oh seven forty-five.

That's quarter to eight.

Nouns gondola, oar, sea, timetable

Adjectives bossy, difficult, few

Verb scream

Adverb everywhere

4D Know it all! Venice

40–41

Nouns bridge, festival, gondolier, mask, motorboat, regatta, sand

Adjectives historical, impossible, normal, unusual

Adverb instead

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42–43

5 There's something outside ...

Present perfect + just, future simple

5A Bears!

44–45

No problem!

I've just read this paper.

Nouns cookie, campsite, cloud, ground, noise, path

Verbs hang, put up, reply, wake up, whisper

Adverbs aloud, outside, still

5B Language time

46–47

Max has just fallen off his skateboard.

They've just bought some ice-creams.

She hasn't just arrived.

I'll look for a campsite.

Nouns can, garbage

Adverbs back, forward

5C Don't talk!

48–49

Hey!

There's nothing there.

Stop it, you two!

Nouns ability, side, size, squirrel

Adjective safe

Verbs shine, turn off

5D Know it all! The Rocky Mountains

50–51

Nouns canoeing, footprint, gold, landscape, mine, potato, silver, skiing, sugar, vegetable

Preposition across

6 Laya's final message

feel / look / sound like, relative clauses, review of Units 1–5

6A Where is it?

52–53

I feel sick!

It looks like a plane.

Nouns building, cockpit, crown, government, pilot, shape, tower, wing

Adjective windy

Adverbs finally, nearly

Preposition towards

6B Language time

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feel / look / smell / sound / taste like

Nouns coffee, face

Adjective next

Verbs blow, knock

Adverb almost

6C Goodbye!

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You'll see.

Congratulations!

He grabbed one of the shoes that James was wearing!

Noun string

Adjective last

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Adverb home

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Nouns bus station, cathedral, hospital, hotel, road, stay, zone

Verb join

Preposition in the middle

REVIEW Units 5 and 6

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Songs

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Welcome!

A The carpet

1 Meet some people from American English *Primary Colors 6*. What can you say about each person?

This is James.



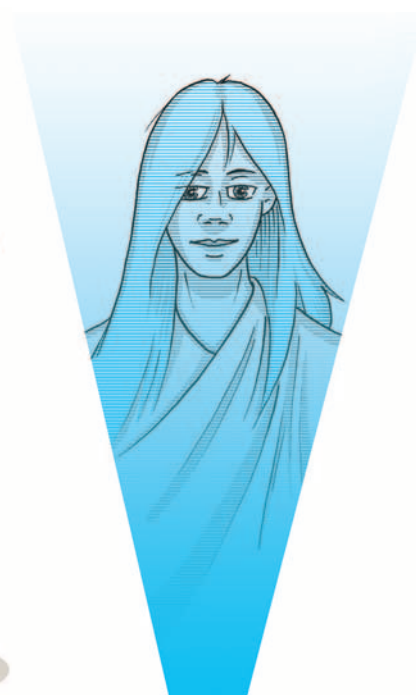
This is Alice.



This is Gary.



This is Laya.



2 Think. Say the names.

- 1 James and Alice don't know him very well.
- 2 She isn't a real person.
- 3 He moved to a new house last week, near his friend Alice.
- 4 She likes reading a lot.
- 5 He likes to laugh a lot.
- 6 He is a very serious person.

That's Gary!

- 7 She is James' friend.
- 8 She looks very different from the other three.
- 9 She has a new bike.
- 10 He played soccer today.
- 11 You can't talk to her.
- 12 He is a new boy at James and Alice's school.

3 What's new in your life? Tell the class.

I have a new bike. It's ...


I went to the movies last night. I saw ...

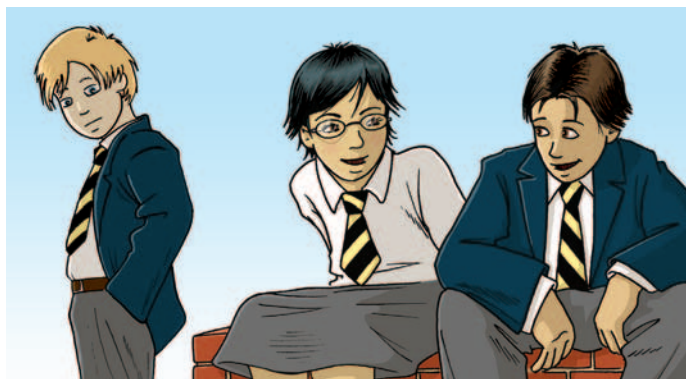
My brother ...

I moved to a new house during vacation. It's ...

My mom ...

Our cat ...

4  Read and listen. What do the children have to decide?



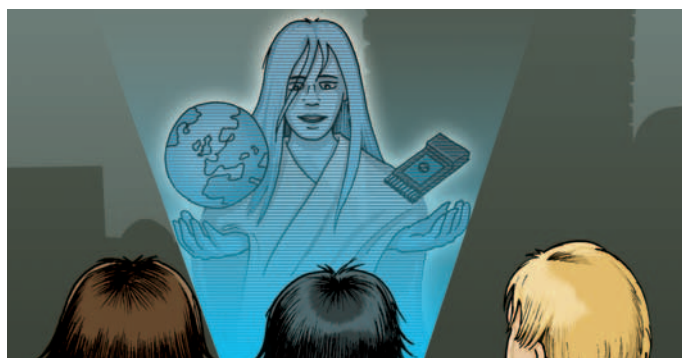
1. "Alice," said James, "there's an attic in my new house. My parents said we can use it. It's full of old things so I have to clean it first." "I can help," said Alice. Gary, a new boy at their school, was near them. "An attic with old things?" he said. "Can I help too?" "Of course," said James.



2. James, Alice and Gary went into the attic. It was very big and very dark. James found the light. There were things everywhere. Boxes, old chairs, toys, clothes ... It was difficult to move in the attic. And it was very dusty!



3. "Ah! A carpet!" said Alice. "Maybe it's a magic carpet." She put it on the ground and sat on it. Suddenly, a strange light came out of the carpet. In the light, there was a girl! "Welcome!" said the girl. "My name is Laya. I am from Planet Zoon."




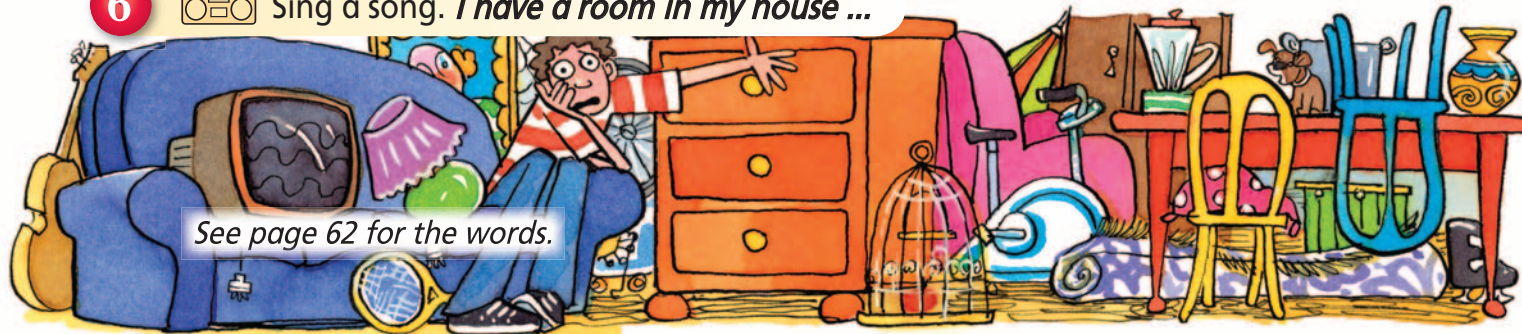
4. "This carpet can take you to my planet," continued the girl, "but first you have to read messages in code and find six special control cards. Press the Start button to start. If you fail, you cannot return home. You have ten seconds to decide! Ten, nine, eight ..." "What?" said Alice.

5 What can you see in James' attic? Look at the pictures for one minute. Close your book and write a list.

a carpet, some ...

Is it a good idea to press the button?

6  Sing a song. *I have a room in my house ...*



See page 62 for the words.



Language time

1a Read about James and Alice. What are their answers to the questions? Write "always", "usually", "sometimes" or "never".

James and Alice go to school from Monday to Friday. James walks home every day, but once a week Alice goes home in her mother's car. Alice always does her homework when she gets home, but James always has dinner first. Then, he watches his favorite TV programs before he does his homework. Alice puts her things in her school bag and then she goes to bed at a good time. James sometimes goes to bed very late. He puts his things in his school bag in the morning. Alice always comes to school on time, but James usually comes late!



	James	Alice
1 Do you walk home from school?	<u>always</u>
2 Do you eat as soon as you arrive home?
3 Do you do your homework before you watch TV?
4 Do you go to bed late?
5 Do you put your things in your bag in the evening?
6 Do you arrive at school late?

1b Work with a friend. Ask and answer.

I always play soccer at break time.

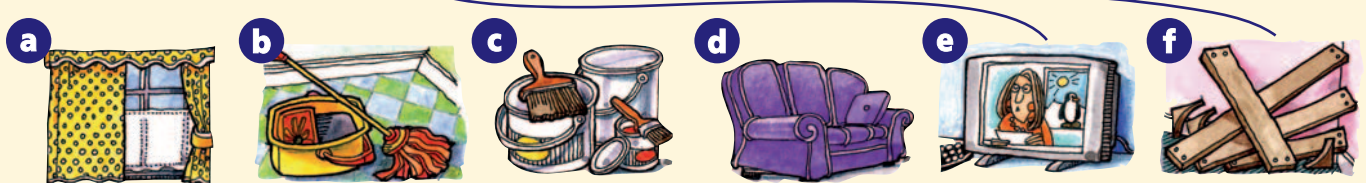
- What do you never do at home or at school?
- What do you sometimes do?
- What do you usually do?
- What do you always do?

2 Listen. Amy is talking to Max about her family's living room. Match the people and the things. What are they going to do?

Amy's dad is going to put up some shelves.

He's going to ...

- Amy's mom Amy's dad Amy's aunt Amy's brother Amy



Work with a friend. Look at the picture of James' attic. Take turns describing things for your friend to find.

Find two things that are round.

Find something made of wood.

big heavy light long rectangular round short small square tall
 black blue brown green orange pink red white yellow
 made of ... cardboard cloth glass metal paper plastic rubber wood

Match the descriptions with things in James' attic.

1

It's long and red.
 It's very big.
 It's made of wood and cloth.
 It's got four legs.

2

It's rectangular.
 It's made of glass and wood.
 It's heavy.
 It doesn't have a color.

3

It's made of glass, plastic and metal.
 It's heavy.
 It's square.
 It's white.

4

It's made of paper and cardboard.
 It's rectangular.
 It's green.

Write more descriptions for your friend to guess.

