

# Tara's Birthday



- 1 present
- 2 gift wrap
- 3 ribbon
- 4 lemonade
- 5 birthday card
- 6 candle
- 7 sweets
- 8 cake

**1** Listen and repeat.

**2** Read and complete. Then listen and check.

It's Tara's birthday. There's a big cake \_\_\_\_\_ on the table. There are lots of su \_\_\_\_\_ too. There are ten cu \_\_\_\_\_ s on the cake. Tara has eight bu \_\_\_\_\_ cu \_\_\_\_\_ s. She's opening her pr \_\_\_\_\_ s. There's green gu \_\_\_\_\_ wu \_\_\_\_\_ on the table. The cat is playing with a red ru \_\_\_\_\_ . Todd is drinking le \_\_\_\_\_ .

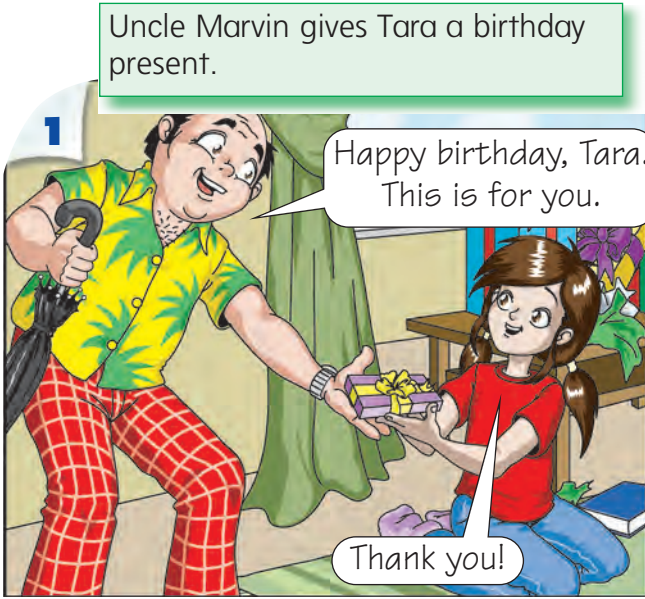


What's Tara doing?

She's opening her presents.



**1** Listen and read the story. Then act it out.



**2** Complete the sentences.

~~carrying~~ looking using sitting wearing

- 1 Uncle Marvin is carrying an umbrella.
- 2 The cat is \_\_\_\_\_ on the table.
- 3 Tara is \_\_\_\_\_ a red T-shirt.
- 4 Tara and Uncle Marvin are \_\_\_\_\_ at the fish.
- 5 Tara is \_\_\_\_\_ her remote control.

Complete the phrases from the story.



1 Listen and sing.

2 Read the song. Then number the pictures.

# The Birthday Rap

Can you wrap a present? (1)

Can you tie a bow? (2)

Can you blow up ten balloons (3)

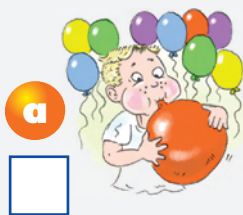
And hang them in a row? (4)

Can you count the candles? (5)

Seven, eight, nine, ten.

Can you make a birthday card (6)

And sign it with your pen? (7)



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I can swim but I can't play the guitar

I can play the guitar but I can't swim.

3 Talk about you.

4 Complete the sentences.

dance    play the guitar    ~~dive~~    ride a bike  
sing    ~~swim~~    ride a horse    play the violin

1 He can swim but he can't dive.

2 She \_\_\_\_\_ but she \_\_\_\_\_.

3 He \_\_\_\_\_ but he \_\_\_\_\_.

4 She \_\_\_\_\_ but she \_\_\_\_\_.

# Smart Alex



## 1 Look and complete. Then listen and check.

Hello! My name's Sara. I'm nine years old and I live in Mexico City. My mum is from the United States of America. She has fair hair and blue eyes. My brothers' names are Ben and Sam. Ben has blonde hair and Sam has \_\_\_\_\_ hair. My \_\_\_\_\_ has brown hair and brown eyes. My \_\_\_\_\_'s name is Sheri. She's a baby. Can you see my \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ ?

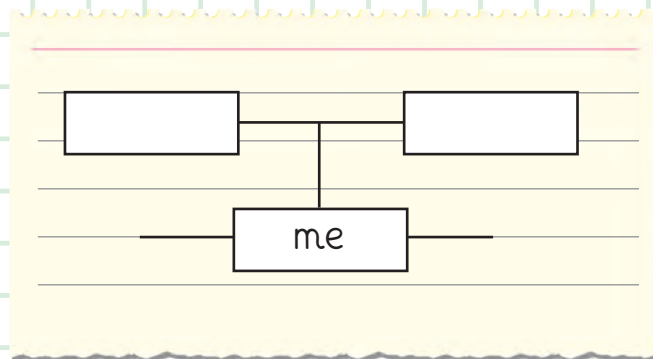


## 2 Read. Then complete Sara's family tree.

cousin    grandma    uncle  
 mum    brother    ~~cousin~~  
 grandpa    dad    aunty  
 grandpa    grandma    sister  
 brother

My mum's brother is my uncle. My dad doesn't have a brother. He has a sister and she's my aunty. My aunty has two children. They're my cousins. I have two grandmas and two grandpas.

## 3 Draw your family tree.



**1** Listen and choose.

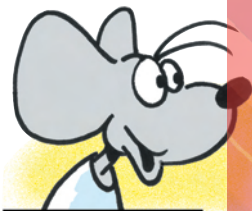


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|----------|---|-----|----|
| <b>1</b> | Can he play the guitar?                     | yes | no |
| <b>2</b> | Can he sing?                                | yes | no |
| <b>3</b> | Can he whistle with his fingers?            | yes | no |
| <b>4</b> | Can he close his eyes and stand on one leg? | yes | no |

**2** Write about Stan.

Stan can ... but he can't ...

**3** Ask and answer. Then complete the chart.



Are you playing the piano?  
  
 No, I'm not.  
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Is your friend ...	yes	no	
... playing the piano?			
... playing the guitar?			
... riding a bike?			
... swimming?			

**4** Now write about your friend.

My friend is ...



**1** Read and answer.



- 1** When is Jack's party? On 15th September.
- 2** Where is Peggy's party? \_\_\_\_\_
- 3** When is Peggy's party? \_\_\_\_\_
- 4** Where is Jack's party? \_\_\_\_\_



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**2** You're planning a party. Answer the questions.

- 1** What day is your party? \_\_\_\_\_
- 2** What time does your party start? \_\_\_\_\_
- 3** Where is your party? \_\_\_\_\_

**3** Make an invitation for your party.

Please come to my ...

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# Your page

**1** Write.

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1 c a l c u l a t o r

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**2** Write *I can ... but I can't ...*

- 1 I can swim. I can't ride a bike. I can swim but I can't ride a bike.
- 2 I can close one eye. I can't whistle. \_\_\_\_\_
- 3 I can play the guitar. I can't play the violin. \_\_\_\_\_
- 4 I can run fast. I can't play tennis. \_\_\_\_\_

**3** Complete the conversation.

Oh look!

It's magic.



This is for you.

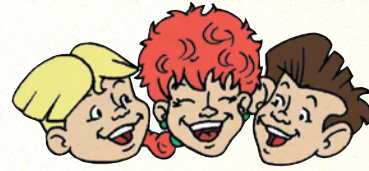
Thank you.

\_\_\_\_\_

That's amazing!

1 Listen and read the story.

# The Blips



The Blips are having a party. It's Jenny's birthday. "Happy birthday, Jenny!" Brad says. There are sweets, cake and lemonade. Then Jenny sees Tom. He's carrying a big present. It's for Jenny.



Jenny opens her present. "A clock! That's wonderful!" she says. But it's big and she can't lift it. "We can help you," Brad and Tom say.



Brad loves the summer holidays. "It's fantastic!" he says, "No children. No teachers." But then Jenny hears something. "Oh no!" she says.



Suddenly the door opens. "They're back!" says Jenny.

2 Number the events of the story.

- a Jenny hears something
- b Tom has a big present for Jenny.
- c The door opens.
- d Jenny opens her present.

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