



CHAPTERS 1, 2, 3
Writing and Creativity



1. Write a five line LIMERICK POEM.

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Look at the example below to help you remember the rhyme pattern.

(lines 1, 2, 5 rhyme, lines 3, 4 rhyme)

Write your poem about Mr. Smith or Duncan or Peter.

Man From Mars

There once was a man from Mars

Who kept his eyes in two jars

He went walking one day

And got lost on his way

And now he is selling used cars



1. What was the message Susan thought Mr. Smith was sending her?

2. When Susan found Peter reading at recess, what was the name of the book he had?

3. What type of book did Peter like best?

4. What stories are found in these books?

5. What did Susan tell Peter about Mr. Smith (p. 34)?

1) _____

2) _____

6. How do we know Peter didn't really believe Susan at first?

7. What did Peter think Susan wanted to play (p. 35)?

8. What was the plan to gather evidence?





CHAPTERS 4, 5, 6
Writing and Creativity



1. WORD SEARCH

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E Y K Y W F M S K Y W A Q E X E B Y K G
 L D F T C I G R Y V A P L P T D B U N O
 B K Y X M Y J B C O V B V I O I X I U U
 V V T W U O J F C K T I M M E K D M D D
 P G X I I A P E I L S O M E O N E T S A
 C X A Z R O Z B E C A U S E I U Y X G B
 A F L A J P T N D D N U S R K M R G G F
 S B A Z Z G I Q O K R R G V V S P T D R
 L T U J G G M F V R F A L H E C P K Y W
 Z K O I A M E C H B F X M V I O N Y O O
 V G N M T K A Z W W P P A A S N W H Q J
 T J I D A B J Z K A V M R Q T V G I O Y
 V W U C K C O V H J C B B B I I O G Q M
 Z U J T D U H W S B V V U K K N C G S C
 N U J I G H C S Z M A X D H D C G L L U
 L E L K W G U H E S Q G K P R E T T Y J

someone
grinding
laughing
stomach
imagine
convince
pretty
because
alien
dramatic

2. DEVISE A PLAN for Susan and Peter to get into Broxholm's house to gather evidence. Write 10 steps, in sequential order (1-2-3 order) of what they should do.

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- 1) _____
- 2) _____
- 3) _____
- 4) _____
- 5) _____
- 6) _____
- 7) _____
- 8) _____
- 9) _____
- 10) _____



2. Find the ADJECTIVES that describe these NOUNS.
The adjectives are found on the pages given.

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| 1) p. 38 | _____ | _____ | slime |
| 2) p. 42 | _____ | _____ | house |
| 3) p. 45 | _____ | _____ | cellar |
| 4) p. 46 | _____ | _____ | threads |
| 5) p. 47 | _____ | _____ | shampoo |
| 6) p. 47 | _____ | _____ | goo |
| 7) p. 51 | _____ | _____ | hair |
| 8) p. 51 | _____ | _____ | tingling |
| 9) p. 53 | _____ | _____ | creep |
| 10) p. 55 | _____ | _____ | danger |



3. Put in all the CORRECT PUNCTUATION and CAPITAL LETTERS.

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- 1) did you see the whole place he asked
- 2) peter you re brilliant i said
- 3) by the time thursday afternoon rolled around i was a wreck
- 4) do you think mr smith really uses excedrin asked peter
- 5) my hair started to move by itself
- 6) broxholm was back
- 7) what s he going to do with them i asked
- 8) he plans to select the best the worst and the three most average kids
- 9) i looked carefully but i couldn t tell if she was breathing
- 10) i tried them but they were all sealed shut