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# YOUNG SUPERSTARS A1+

ENGLISH PRACTICE FOR HOME AND SCHOOL

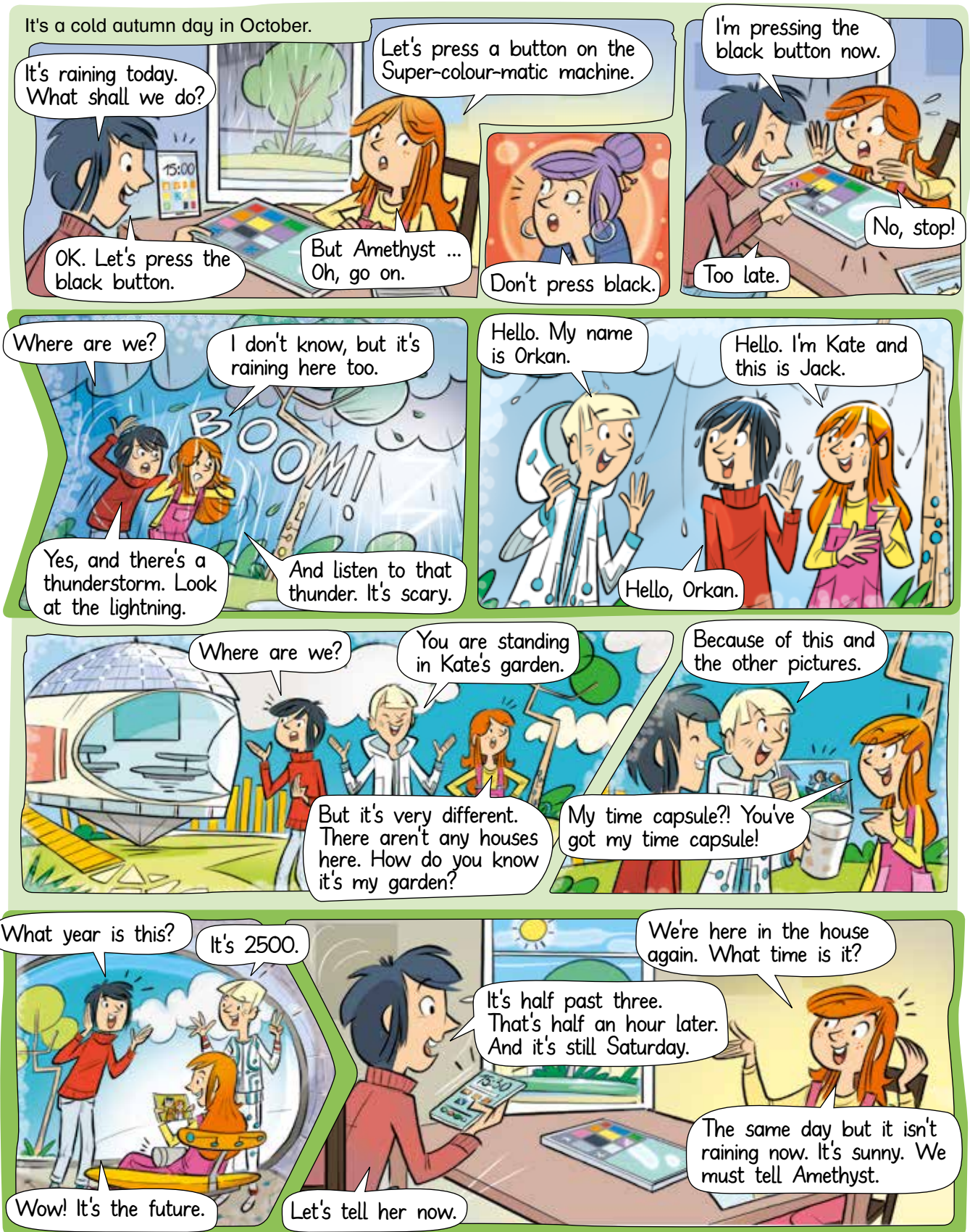
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# Weather

1  Look. Listen and read the story.

## Into the future

It's a cold autumn day in October.



It's raining today. What shall we do?

OK. Let's press the black button.

Let's press a button on the Super-colour-matic machine.

But Amethyst ... Oh, go on.

Don't press black.

I'm pressing the black button now.

No, stop!

Too late.

Where are we?

I don't know, but it's raining here too.

BOOM!

Yes, and there's a thunderstorm. Look at the lightning.

And listen to that thunder. It's scary.

Hello. My name is Orkan.

Hello. I'm Kate and this is Jack.

Hello, Orkan.

Where are we?

You are standing in Kate's garden.

Because of this and the other pictures.

But it's very different. There aren't any houses here. How do you know it's my garden?

My time capsule?! You've got my time capsule!

What year is this?

It's 2500.

Wow! It's the future.

Let's tell her now.

We're here in the house again. What time is it?

It's half past three. That's half an hour later. And it's still Saturday.

The same day but it isn't raining now. It's sunny. We must tell Amethyst.

**2** Look at the story in **1**. Read and write. There are 6 words too many.

lightning      raining      summer      boy      garden      black  
 thunder      house      red      the sun      lion      sunny

- 1 The \_\_\_\_\_ button takes them to the future.
- 2 They can see \_\_\_\_\_.
- 3 They can hear \_\_\_\_\_.
- 4 They are in Kate's \_\_\_\_\_.
- 5 They meet a \_\_\_\_\_ called Orkan.
- 6 At the end of the story, it's \_\_\_\_\_.

**3**  Listen and circle the correct picture.

1 It's  /  in France.

2 It's  /  in England.

3 Kate is  / .

4  /  is missing Amethyst.

5 Now there are  /  in the sky.

6 Sparkle is  / .

**4**  What's wrong in the picture? Look. Then listen to **3** again and write.



Kate can't see a \_\_\_\_\_.

She can see \_\_\_\_\_.





**7** Read and complete.



It **is** raining.

Amethyst **is wearing** a big purple hat.

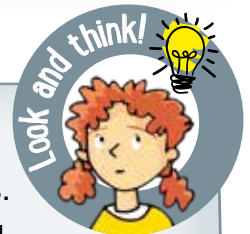
Kate and Jack **are wearing** raincoats.

Sparkle **isn't standing** outside with them.

They **aren't looking** at Sparkle.

What is Sparkle doing?

Sparkle \_\_\_\_\_  
by the fire.



**Present continuous**

I'm (= I **am**) **playing** football.

You're (= You **are**) **writing**.

She's (= She **is**) **swimming**.

It's (= It **is**) **raining**.

I'm **not** (= I **am not**) **playing** tennis.

You **aren't** (= You **are not**) **reading**.

She **isn't** (= She **is not**) **running**.

It **isn't** (= It **is not**) **snowing**.

**8** Look and write.



read a book



play the guitar

He's reading a book.

He isn't \_\_\_\_\_



ride a bike



ride a horse

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_



play football



play basketball

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_



snow



rain

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

# Weather

## 9 Read and complete the text.

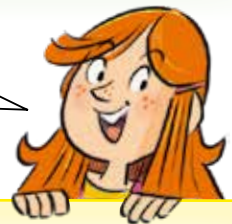


In my time capsule, I'm putting two of my favourite photos. In the first photo, it's a sunny day. It's summer. It's July. Jack and I are running along the beach at Carbis Bay in Cornwall. Mum and dad are swimming in the sea.

In the second photo, it is snowing (snow). It's winter. It's February. I'm in the garden with Amethyst and Jack. Jack is throwing snowballs at Sparkle. I \_\_\_\_\_  
 (make) a snowman. Amethyst \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_ (look) at snowflakes under her magnifying glass.

## 10 Write.

What's in your time capsule?  
 Choose two special photos. Write about them.



Here are some words to help you:

**Weather:**

sunny  
 foggy  
 snowing  
 raining  
 windy  
 hot  
 cold

**Place:**

at school  
 in the living room  
 in the garden  
 in the park  
 on the beach  
 in a boat  
 on a train

**Actions:**

riding a bike/horse  
 swimming in the sea/a lake  
 reading a comic/book  
 walking  
 playing football/tennis  
 climbing a tree/mountain  
 ice skating

skiing  
 making a snowman  
 having a party  
 eating  
 drinking

In my time capsule, I'm putting two of my favourite photos.

In the first photo, it's

\_\_\_\_\_ (weather).

It's \_\_\_\_\_ (season).

It's \_\_\_\_\_ (month).

I'm with \_\_\_\_\_.

We're \_\_\_\_\_ (place).

\_\_\_\_\_ (actions).

In the second photo, it's

\_\_\_\_\_ (weather).

It's \_\_\_\_\_ (season).

It's \_\_\_\_\_ (month).

I'm with \_\_\_\_\_.

We're \_\_\_\_\_ (place).

\_\_\_\_\_ (actions).

# CHALLENGE



## 1 Look and circle. Then write.



It's *snowing* / *raining*.  
Month: It's December.  
Season: It's \_\_\_\_\_.



It's *foggy* / *raining*.  
Month: It's October.  
Season: It's \_\_\_\_\_.



It's *foggy* / *sunny*.  
Month: It's August.  
Season: It's \_\_\_\_\_.



It's *hot* / *cold*.  
Month: It's February.  
Season: It's \_\_\_\_\_.



There's a *rainbow* / *thunderstorm*.  
Month: It's April.  
Season: It's \_\_\_\_\_.

I can talk about the weather



well



very well



super well

## 2 Read, choose and write.

raining                  sunny                  foggy                  cold  
looking at my holiday book          reading          working          cooking  
watching TV          playing football          swimming          watching a film

**You:** What's the weather like there?

**Kate:** It's hot and it's sunny. What's the weather like with you?

**You:** It's \_\_\_\_\_. What are you doing?

**Kate:** I'm reading a book and I'm waiting for Jack. What are you doing?

**You:** \_\_\_\_\_.

**Kate:** What's your mum doing?

**You:** \_\_\_\_\_.

**Kate:** What are your friends doing?

**You:** \_\_\_\_\_.

I can write and talk about  
what people are doing now



well



very well



super well