

Year 2 Homework 10.5.19 : Read the text then answer the questions.

Challenge : How many words can you read in 1 minute? It is expected that Year 2 children read around 90 words in a minute of a (familiar/previously read) text.

Victorian Toys

10 Just over one hundred years ago, in the Victorian times,
19 children had fewer toys than children have today and
29 there were no computer games or mobile phones to play
38 with. Most Victorian toys were made from wood, paper
48 or metal – there were no plastic toys. Families with less
59 money would have to make their own toys to play with
69 and these often included dolls made out of clothes pegs
77 and paper windmills. Children would save up what
86 little pocket money they did have to treat themselves
95 to marbles, spinning tops, skipping ropes or kites from
103 a 'penny stall' in the market. Rather than
109 playing with toys, lots of children
113 played games outside with
115 their friends.



Quick Questions



1. What three materials were most Victorian toys made out of?



2. Number these statements from 1 to 3 to show the order they appear in the text.

_____ There were no computer games.

_____ Lots of children played outside.

_____ Families would make their own toys.



3. Why were the toys from the market a way for children to 'treat themselves'?



4. '*from a penny stall...*'





















In this sentence, what is a 'penny stall'?

Spellings : Use last week's spellings and write them in rainbow writing.

Year 1 Homework 10.5.19 : Add sound buttons to the real and nonsense words, segment (sound out) and blend them back together to read the word.

Sound button examples.

Real Words	
chill	blank
start	scribe
best	phone
grit	rusty
shin	dentist
gang	starling
week	day
hooks	slide
strap	newt
trains	finger

Nonsense Alien Words	
steck 	bim 
hild 	vap 
quemp 	spron 
geck 	blurst 
ulf 	voo 
chom 	snemp 
tord 	fape 
thazz 	jound 
blan 	stroft 
tox 	terg 

ronkey 

hair

slime

sunset

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