

The Meaning of Christmas Decorations

Evergreen Tree

The evergreen tree points to Heaven.
Its needles remain green all year,
a symbol of God's gift of eternal LIFE,
and a reminder of Jesus' living presence.
(1 John 5:11-12)

Stars

Star ornaments and decorations symbolize
the star of Bethlehem. (Matthew 2:1-10)

Angels

Angels announced Jesus' birth to
Mary, Joseph, and the shepherds. (Luke 1 & 2)

Lights & Candles

Jesus said He was the "Light of the world." (John 9:5)

Red Decorations

Red symbolizes God's LOVE and
the love of Jesus who died for us on the cross.
(Mark 8:31)

Gold Decorations

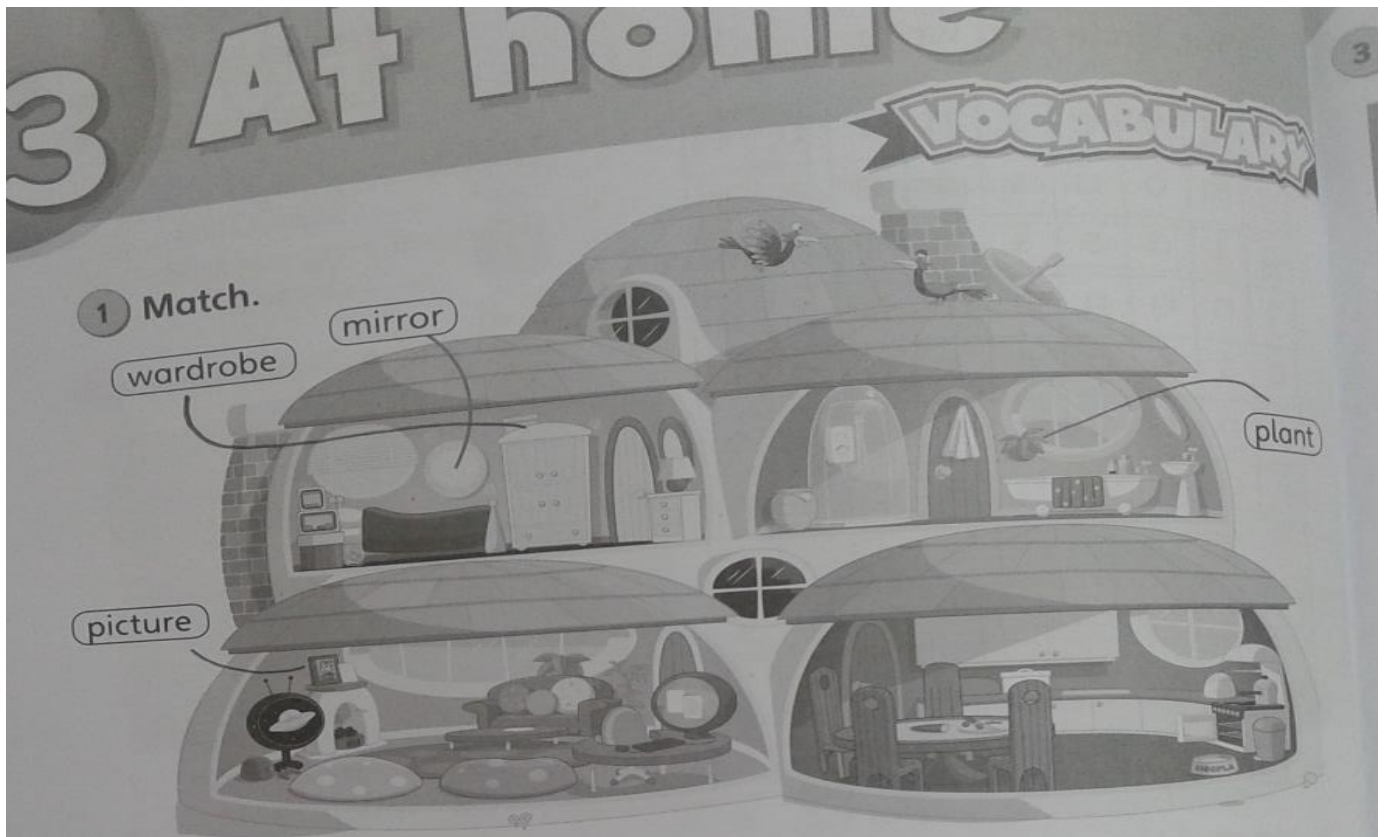
Gold symbolizes the Kingship of Jesus.
(Revelations 1:5)

Gifts under Tree

Gifts remind us of the gifts of the Wise Men,
and of the greatest gift of all—Jesus.
(Matthew 2:1-12)



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1 Match.

wardrobe

mirror

plant

picture

2 Look at Activity 1 again and write.

above behind in ~~in front of~~ next to (x2) on opposite under

- 1 The sofa was in front of the plant.
- 2 The sofa was behind the small table.
- 3 The pictures were next to the TV.
- 4 The bath was under the window.
- 5 The mirror was above the sink.
- 6 The wardrobe was next to the bed.
- 7 The chairs were opposite the cooker.

3 Look and write T = True or F = False.

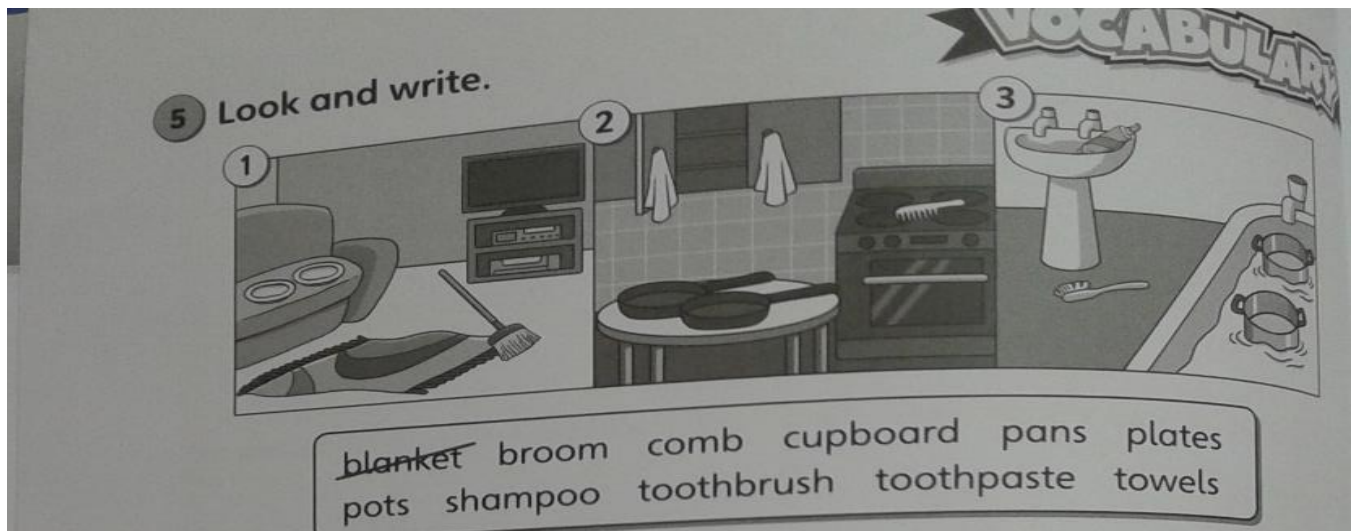
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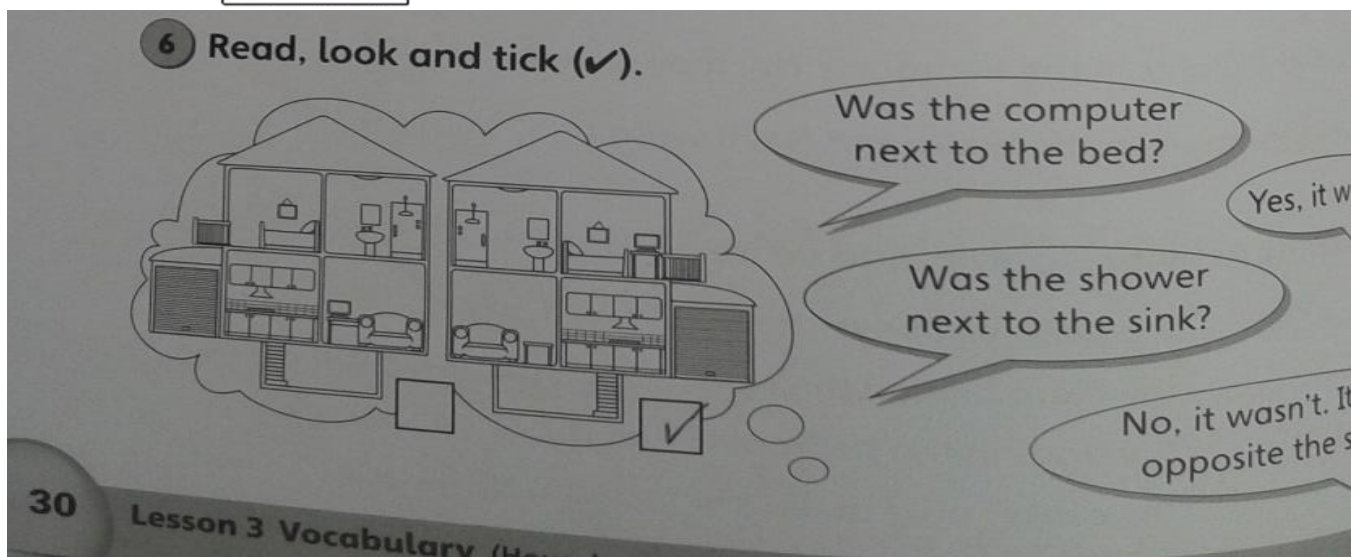
- 1 There were two pictures in the bedroom.
- 2 There was a plant in the kitchen.
- 3 Was the parrot in the kitchen? Yes, it was.
- 4 There was a cooker in the kitchen.
- 5 Were the pictures in the living room? Yes, they were.
- 6 Were the plants in the bedroom? No, they weren't.
- 7 Was the mouse in the bedroom? No, it wasn't.

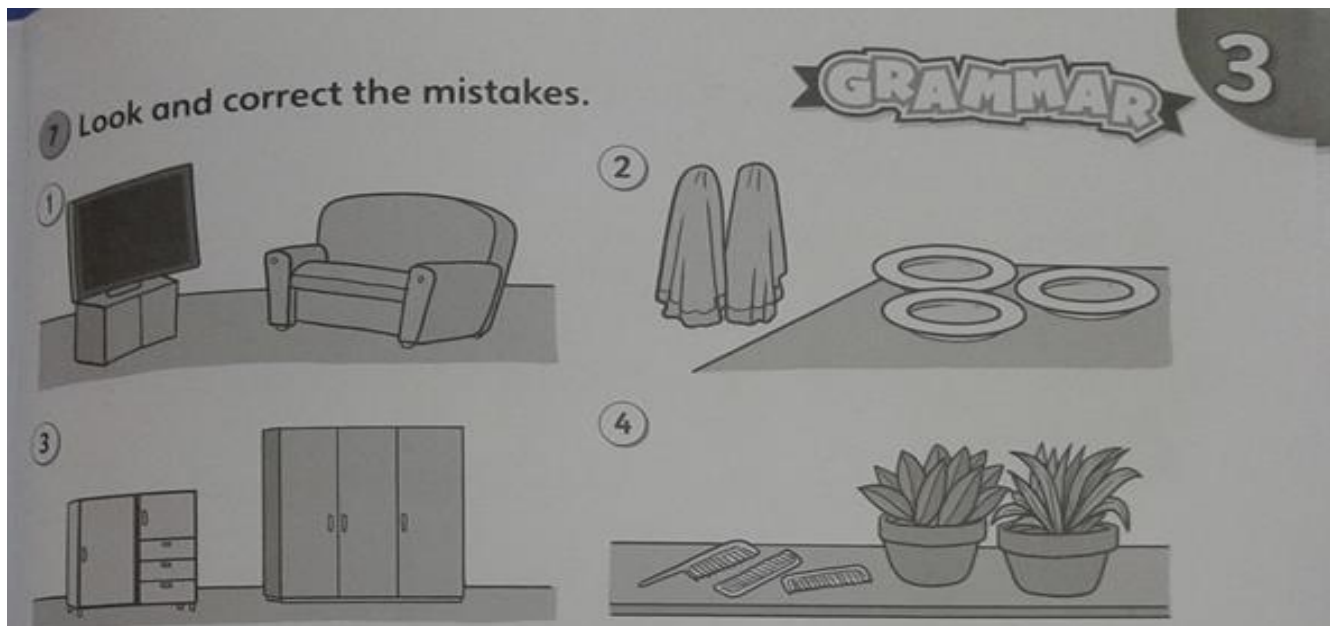
4 Look at Activity 3 again and write.

- 1 Were the pictures above the bed? Yes, they were.
- 2 Was the plant behind the sofa? No, it wasn't.
- 3 Were the frogs in the bedroom? No, they weren't.
- 4 Was the cooker next to the sink? Yes, it was.



1. Was the in front of the sofa? Yes, it was.
Were the behind the sofa? No, they weren't. They were on the sofa.
Was the opposite the TV? No, it wasn't.
2. Was the on the cooker? Yes, it was.
Were the under the table? No, they weren't. They were on the table.
Were the on the cupboard? Yes, they were.
3. Were the in the bath? Yes, they were.
Was the in the sink? Yes, it was.
Was the next to the bath? Yes, it was.





- 1 There was a computer and a sofa in the living room. TV
- 2 There were two towels and three pans in the kitchen. plates
- 3 There was a cupboard and a broom in the garage. wardrobe
- 4 There were three pictures and two plants in the basement. combs

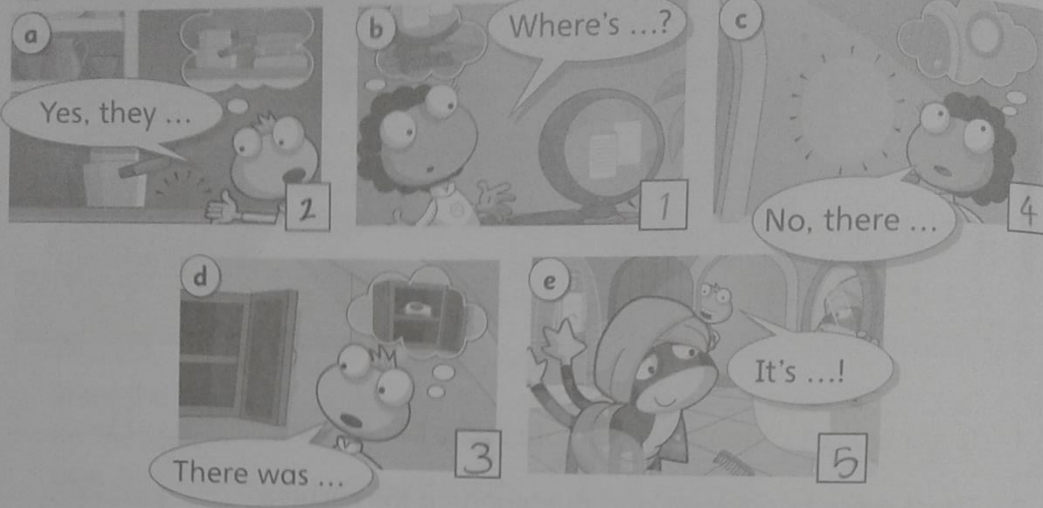
8 Look at Activity 7 again and write.

- 1 What was there in the living room?
There wasn't a computer. There was a TV.
- 2 What were there in the kitchen?
There weren't three pans. There were three plates.
- 3 What was there in the garage?
There wasn't a broom. There was a wardrobe.
- 4 What were there in the basement?
There weren't three pictures. There were three combs.

9 Read the story again. Who was in the shower?

It's Hoopla

10 Number the pictures in order.



11 Read and write T = True or F = False.

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| 1 There was a comb in front of the computer. | <input type="checkbox"/> T | 2 There were two towels in the kitchen. | <input type="checkbox"/> F |
| 3 There was some shampoo in the living room. | <input type="checkbox"/> F | 4 Hoopla was in the shower. | <input type="checkbox"/> T |

12 Read and answer.

- What was there in the living room? a lamp ✗ a comb ✓
There wasn't a lamp in the living room. There was a comb.
- What was there in the kitchen? three towels ✓ two pots ✗
There were three towels. There weren't two pots.
- What was there in the bedroom? a toothbrush ✗ some shampoo ✓
There wasn't a toothbrush. There was some shampoo.
- What was there in the cupboard? some toothpaste ✓ a plant ✗
There was some toothpaste. There wasn't a plant.