

Chapter 1

A truck without a driver.

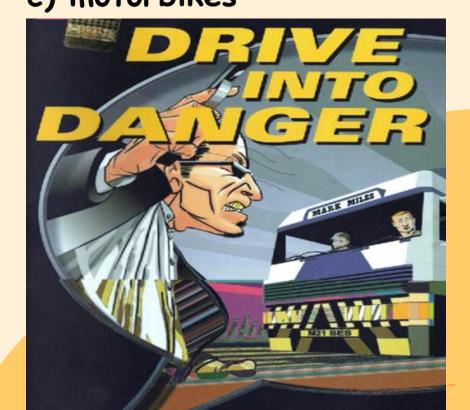
1- Look ate the picture on the cover of the book.

Which word is important for the story?

a) truck

b) planes

c) motorbikes

















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Before Reading

- 1. Where are the men?
- 2. How many people do you see in the picture?
- 3. What are they doing?
- 4. What's wrong with the man's arm?









Mark Miles and his son Andy are having a bad morning.

'Where's Gary?' says Mark.

"He isn't usually late. The truck is ready. Everybody's waiting."

Then Gary Slater comes to the office. "He is ill. I've got a bad arm, Mr. Miles." says Gary. "I'm very sorry, but I can't drive today."





- Who is Mark waiting for?
- · Why is Gary late?
 - · Can Gary drive? And why?







Just then, Kim Parker arrives. She is a student. Her father is one of Mark's drivers. She is working in Mark's office in her holiday.

"Good morning, Mr.Miles." says Kim.
"What can I do first?"





"Can you drive a truck?" says Mark with a little laugh.

"I've got tables in Faversham and coffee in Lyon and no driver."

"Yes I can drive a truck." says Kim
"I've got a licence."





- Who is Kim Parker?
- What does Kim's father do?
 - What is Kim doing?



"Wonderful!" says Mark. He is looking happier.

"Have you got a passport?"
"Of course, it's at home."
Suddenly Mark is much happier.

"Ok. Can you take a truck to France?
Here is some French money and
these are all the papers- read them
carefully."





Has Kim got a passport?







"can I go too, Dad?" asks Andy.
"I can't drive a truck,
but I can drive a car and read
a map and I can speak French.
Perhaps I can help Kim."







"And you want to go to France. I know! Ok, you two. Run home and get your passports, your overnight bags and some sandwiches.

There are sleeping bags in the truck, and a mobile phone too. When you come back, go and look at the map with Gary. He drives to France every week. He can tell you about it."



- Who wants to go with Kim?
- What can Andy do?
- · What do they need to get from home?
- · What are in the truck?







- 1- Kim and Andy are....
- a) brother and sister
- b) friends
- c) classmates







2- Are these sentences true or false?

Gary is always late for work.



Kim is a student.



· Andy is Mark's son



3-Here are some short sentences, make longer sentences with and , but or because.

Gary Slater can't drive a truck because he has a bad arm.

I can't drive a truck but I can drive a car.

There are sleeping bags in the truck and a mobile phone too.

What are they saying? Share your answers in a group.







Role play the dialogues of chapter 1 in groups of 4.

It's show time!

Mark Miles







