

A. There are many questions about schools! Fill in the answers, choose a), b) or c).
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1. When do schools in many countries start again?

- a) In August b) In September c) In October

2. When kids in America are five or six years old, they start ...

- a) kindergarten b) high school c) elementary school

3. The next stage in America is middle school or ...

- a) junior high b) junior low c) junior middle

4. In America, most students finish school at the age of ...

- a) 18 b) 19 c) 20

5. In England, ... school starts at the age of four.

- a) First b) middle c) primary

6. If students pass their final exams with good grades, they can go ...

- a) abroad b) to university c) home

7. In many schools in England, the pupils have to wear ...

- a) school uniforms b) a helmet c) trousers and skirts

B. Can you find these words in the puzzle? Look for forward (→) and backward (←) and up (↑) and down (↓) words.

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Words and phrases

- helmet = Helm
trousers = Hosen
skirt = Rock

1. Listen to the programme about schools in America and England. Tick all the phrases that you can hear.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> 1. Back to school | <input type="checkbox"/> 8. Back at school |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 2. five or six years old | <input type="checkbox"/> 9. six or seven years old |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 3. reading, writing and sports | <input type="checkbox"/> 10. reading, writing and maths |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 4. Students end school | <input type="checkbox"/> 11. Students finish school |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 5. The next stage | <input type="checkbox"/> 12. The last stage |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 6. another three years | <input type="checkbox"/> 13. another two years |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 7. They can go to college | <input type="checkbox"/> 14. They can go to university |

2. Listen to the song "Welcome back to school". Fill in the missing words.

Welcome back to school! A song by Roberta & Charlie

Chorus:

Good morning, boys and _____ ! Welcome back to school!

We're here to _____ so many things, and that is really _____.

Let us read a story, let's open our _____! Where is the funny story? Let us have a look!

Chorus

Let's draw a lovely picture, with colours, _____ and green. Now take your lovely _____, and post them on the screen.

Chorus

Let us move our bodies! Let us jump and _____ ! Maybe play some _____ ?

It's a lot of fun!

Chorus

Let's do some tricks with numbers: ten + _____ + two. Do you know the answer? It isn't hard for you.

Chorus

Let us write a poem with many funny _____, this is the coolest poem, that I've ever heard.

Chorus

Words and phrases

- to attend school** = die Schule besuchen
- elementary/primary school** = Volksschule
- skills** = Fertigkeiten
- compulsory** = verpflichtend
- to elect** = auswählen
- stage** = Stufe
- advanced** = fortgeschritten
- to draw** = zeichnen
- screen** = Leinwand
- poem** = Gedicht



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