

My Home Booklet

My Home Booklet has been designed to enhance home-school connections, by keeping parents informed about what their children have been learning in their English lessons at school.

After completing each unit of *Kid's Box New Generation* at school, pupils can take their *My Home Booklet* home, to show their parents what that they have been learning in class. Each of the 12 units in *My Home Booklet* contains the following activities:

Activity 1 practises the main vocabulary from the unit, and **Activity 2** practises the main grammar. Pupils should try to complete each activity independently, but can ask their parents for help where necessary.

Activities 3 and 4 review the story and song from the unit. Children complete listening and literary comprehension activities and act out the songs and stories. Learners can access all the stories and songs on the digital ebook or via Practice Extra on the Cambridge One learning environment.

Activity 5 provides an opportunity for children to use the language they have learned in a creative task. They draw and write about something that relates to their own lives. After completing the task, they compare ideas with their families or caregivers.

In some units, **Activity 5** is a game to play together. To play Snap, make a series of cards with pictures and words on them. To play the game with two players, divide the cards into two piles and take turns to turn cards over. If the cards match, say "Snap" and collect the cards.

Activity 6 is a self-evaluation activity. Parents and caregivers look at the pictures with their children and read out the 'I can...' statements from the bottom of the page, explaining the meaning where necessary. Children should think about whether that statement is true for them, and colour the smiley face if it is.

The **Picture dictionary** should be used to revise the course vocabulary. Translating the words into their home language helps learners practise multi-lingual skills and engages family members who may not have a high level of English.

Answer key

Unit 1 – Hello again! (page 6)

- 1 The objects should be coloured according to the description.
- 2 Who's he? This is my brother. He's two.
Who's she? This is my sister. She's six.
- 4 3, 4, 1, 2, 6, 5

Unit 2 – Back to school (page 8)

- 1 13 – thirteen – rubbers, 20 – twenty – rulers, 15 – fifteen – desks, 19 – nineteen – cupboards, 18 – eighteen – bookcases
- 2 2 There are, 3 There isn't, 4 There is, 5 There aren't
- 3 cupboard, ruler, bookcase, teacher

Unit 3 – Play time! (page 10)

- 1 2 kites, 3 camera, 4 lorry, 5 watch, 6 robots
- 2 2 is, this, It's Stella's. 3 are, these, They're Stella's. 4 is, this, It's Simon's.
- 4 4, 6, 5, 1, 2, 3

Unit 4 – At home (page 12)

- 1 2 phone, 3 lamp, 4 mat, 5 mirror, 6 sofa
- 2 mine; mine, yours; yours, mine
- 3 mine; Simon's, his; Suzy's, hers; Grandpa's

Unit 5 – Meet my family (page 14)

- 1 cousin, mum, dad, grandpa, grandma
- 2 2 he, He's flying a kite. 3 she, She's running. 4 she, She's jumping.
- 4 3, 1, 5, 6, 2, 4

Unit 6 – Dinner time (page 16)

- 1 chicken 1, milk 1, juice 2, bread 1, chips 2
- 2 1 please, you; 2 Can, have, fruit, apple, Here, are
- 3 milk, egg, chips, cake, chicken, rice

Unit 7 – At the farm (page 18)

- 1 sheep 2, duck 3; lizard 1, goat 4, spider 6
- 4 5, 6, 3, 4, 1, 2

Unit 8 – My town (page 20)

- 1 park, street; flat, shop, café
- 2 2 The toy shop is between the café and the flats.
3 The café is next to the park.
4 The orange car is behind the flats.
5 The yellow car is in front of the hospital.
- 3 pencil, between; pencil, behind; book, in front of; book, under

Unit 9 – Our clothes (page 22)

- 1 jeans, glasses, dress, handbag, hats
- 2 2 Yes, they have. 3 No, he hasn't. 4 No, they haven't.
5 Yes, she has.
- 4 5, 4, 6, 3, 2, 1

Unit 10 – Our hobbies (page 24)

- 1 She's painting. (2), They're playing hockey. (1), He's playing baseball. (5), They're playing table tennis. (3)
- 3 driving; flying kites, flying in a plane; taking photos, cleaning shoes

Unit 11 – My birthday (page 26)

- 1 2 sausage, 3 burger, 4 lemonade, 5 oranges, 6 watermelon
- 2 1 like, Yes, please. I love burgers! 2 have, Here you are. 3 you,
No, thank you. 4 Would, like, Yes, please. Milk, please.
- 4 5, 2, 3, 1, 6, 4

Unit 12 – On holiday! (page 28)

- 1 beach, sand, sun, shell, sea
- 2 2 They don't want an ice cream. 3 They want to sleep.
4 He doesn't want the shell.
- 3 shells, sea, sand, sun, beach