

Monday

Read or listen to the story.

Then complete today's task

English Task: Persuasive writing

Today we are thinking about this part of the story.



Flopsy, Mopsy, and Cotton-tail, who were good little bunnies, went down the lane to gather blackberries:

But Peter, who was very naughty, ran away to Mr. McGregor's garden, and under the gate!



English Task: Advice

Imagine you are Peter's sisters. What might they say to Peter to **persuade** him not to go to Mr. McGregor's garden?



Mother said...

You should...

You might...

If you... you will...

dangerous	father	pie
worried	blackberries	garden
Mr. McGregor	please	trusted



Tuesday

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English Task: Character description

Today we are going to write a character description of Peter Rabbit.

First we are going to describe his **personality**. That is what his character is like on the inside.

Then we will describe his **appearance**. That is what he looks like on the outside.



Miss Loton has written a description of Mr. McGregor. Can you see the difference between 'personality' and 'appearance'?

Mr. McGregor

Personality

Mr. McGregor is a superb gardener! He enjoys planting vegetables in the spring time and eating the pies that Mrs. McGregor makes for him. He doesn't like it when rabbits sneak into his garden and eat his plants.

Appearance

He has a long, white beard and a red nose. He wears an old, brown waistcoat with shiny, silver buttons. He also has round glasses.



English Task: Character Description

Write some sentences to describe Peter's personality.

Personality

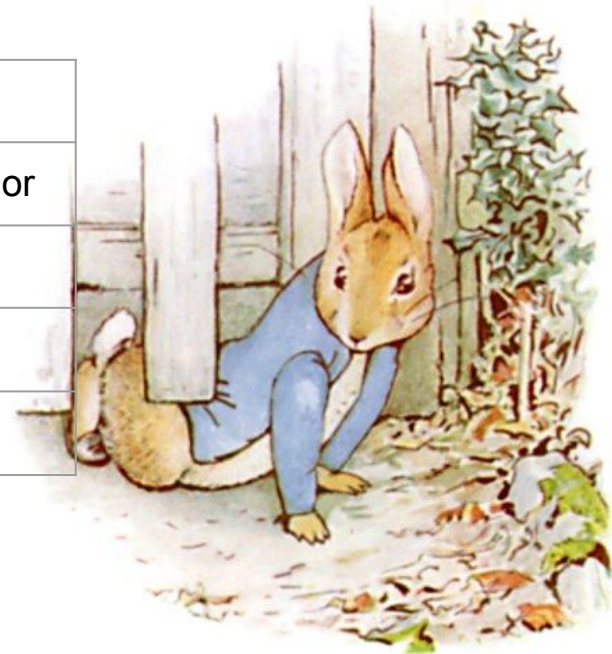
Peter is a rabbit

He always

He never

Peter likes.... but he doesn't like....

adjectives	verbs	nouns
crafty	sneaks	Mr. McGregor
mischievous	explores	cats
naughty	listens	vegetables
sneaky	eating	



English Task: Character Description

Write some sentences to describe Peter's appearance.

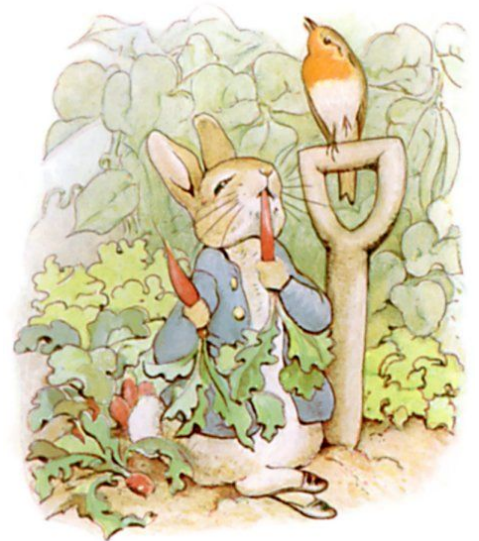
Appearance

Peter has

He wears with

He also has.

adjectives	nouns
long	ears
pointy	tail
blue	jacket
brass	buttons
brass	shoes
white	shoes



Wednesday

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English Task: Wanted Poster

Mr. McGregor is furious with Peter! He would like to catch him.



Can you make an eye-catching poster with illustrations to ask other people to look out for him? Use your sentences from yesterday's task which describe Peter to help you.

Title Ideas

WANTED

Have you seen this mischievous rabbit?

Sentence Starter Ideas

Keep your eyes peeled for a ... rabbit.

He is

He is wearing

If you see him, be sure to

If you find him, call

Thursday

Re-read or listen to the story. Pay attention to the things in Mr. McGregor's garden. Then complete today's task.

English Task: Commas in a list

Commas are used to separate items in a list. They go between every item except the last one. Put '**and**' between the last two items in your list.

e.g.

Mrs. Rabbit's children are Flopsy, Mopsy, Cotton-tail **and** Peter.

At the baker's, Mrs. Rabbit bought five currant buns, a loaf of brown bread **and** a some crusty rolls.

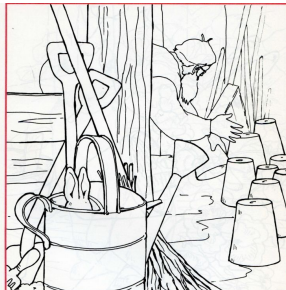
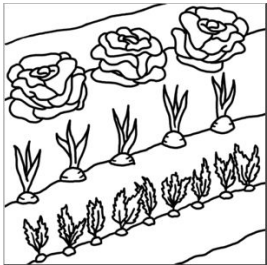


English Task: Commas in a list

1. Draw and label a picture of some of the vegetables in Mr. McGregor's garden. Write a sentence about it using commas to separate the items.
2. Draw and label a picture of Mr. McGregor's tool shed. Write a sentence about it using commas to separate the items.



In Mr McGregor's _____ there were _____, _____, _____ and _____.



vegetables		tools	
cabbages	peas	rake	watering can
lettuces	radishes	sieve	seeds
carrots	potatoes	flower pot	spade

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English Task: Persuasive writing

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This means that Peter didn't think he would be able to get out of the net and escape Mr McGregor. Peter stopped trying to get out of the net.

Peter gave himself up for lost, and shed big tears; but his sobs were overheard by some friendly sparrows, who flew to him in great excitement, and implored him to exert himself.

This means Peter was crying noisily.

A sparrow is a type of bird.



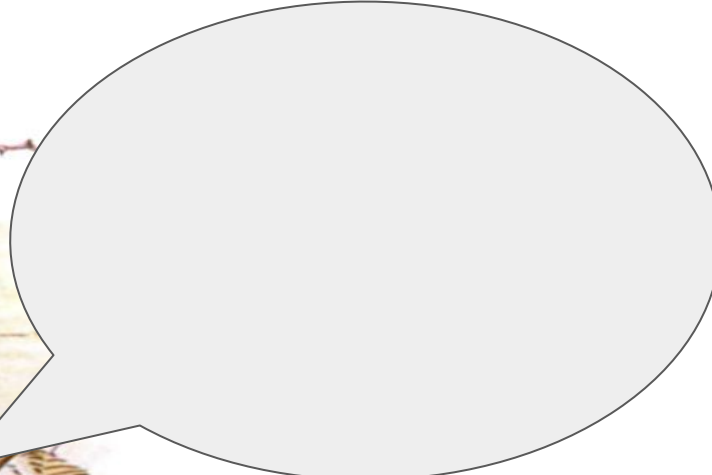
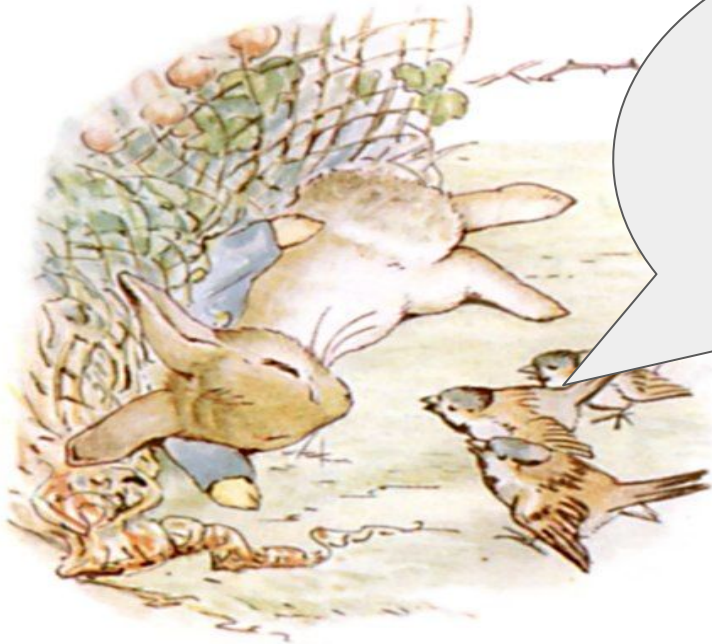
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implored means asked

If you exert yourself you use all your energy and try your best.

English Task: Advice

Imagine you are the sparrows. What might they say to Peter to **persuade** him not to persevere?



You should...

You must...

If you.. you will...

Don't...

Try to be...

Please stop...

strong	escape	energy
believe	sobbing	clever
give up	persevere	strength