

Fifteen-Minute Activities (20)

20.1. Imagine you go out for dinner. You would do a number of things. Read the list of actions below. Put them into the correct order. The first one has been done for you.

have dessert	
give the waiter a tip	
look at the menu	
decide to go out for a meal	1
ask for the bill	
order the meal	
sit down	
have the main course	
go to the restaurant	
have the starter	
book a table	
leave the restaurant	
pay the bill	



20.2. Change into the Past tense:

claimed

A young man in a French town ~~claims~~ he is better at household chores than his wife. So she says good-bye to him. He has to take care of things on his own. He learns to iron, cook, clean and wash. One day he wants to get rid of a particularly problematic stain on his clothes. He remembers that his mother has told him that gasoline cleans exceptionally well. So, he pours gasoline instead of washing powder into the washing machine. Then he goes shopping. Half an hour later he returns. His apartment has disappeared. A spark in the machine has caused an explosion which has burnt down the whole apartment. The stain has also gone.

20.3. Answer the questions:

Which word means <i>very big</i> ?	expensive	slender	rare	huge
Which of these is fastest?	turtle	caterpillar	lightning	bumble-bee
What is an attorney?	a pillar	a beggar	a liar	a lawyer
The opposite of <i>far</i> is	never	near	neat	nor
Which word means the same as <i>brutal</i> ?	missing	cheeky	sad	cruel
<i>Wallpaper</i> is to <i>wall</i> as <i>carpet</i> is to	floor	ceiling	door	window
Which has feathers?	a rat	a kitten	a puppy	a turkey
Which means <i>to go away</i> ?	to fall	to push	to disappear	to fly
The opposite of <i>to whisper</i> is	to cough	to sneeze	to weep	to shout
Which of these is black?	blood	tennis ball	potatoes	coal
Which is not water?	lake	sea	river	rock
Which word means the same as <i>job</i> ?	colour	profession	hobby	jail
<i>Lamb</i> is to <i>sheep</i> as <i>foal</i> is to	cow	horse	pig	rabbit
Which word means <i>a building</i> ?	equipment	device	submarine	skyscraper
What is the opposite of <i>easy</i> ?	sad	running	heavy	difficult
Which of these does not have wings?	an aeroplane	a bird	a rat	an entrance
Which of these sells envelopes?	a stationer	a paperback	a cardboard	a grocer