



Fact and opinion

Reading Comprehension Worksheet

Practice

A parent or tutor should read to the student and help the student to record their answers.

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If something is *true*, or it *really happened*, it is a **fact**.

If something is *what someone thinks or believes*, it is an **opinion**.

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Listen to the story. Think about what parts are **fact** and what parts are **opinion**.

Fay's dad got a new job. They moved to a new house in a new town. Fay likes the new house. She thinks it is nice. Her room has a window that looks out on the back yard. The bed and dresser from her old house are in her new room. All of her toys are in her new room, too. She likes her new room. She hopes she will like her new school.

Circle the word "fact" if it is *true* or it *really happened* in the story. Circle the word "opinion" if it is *what someone thinks or believes*.

1. The bed and dresser from Fay's old house are in her room in the new house. fact opinion
2. Fay thinks her new house is nice. fact opinion

Listen to the story. Think about what parts are **fact** and what parts are **opinion**.

Danny's mom works in a bank downtown. The bank has a big lobby with comfortable chairs. It has shiny floors and tall windows. Danny thinks his mom is lucky to work in such a nice place. Sometimes Danny gets to go with his dad to pick Danny's mom up from work. They wait in the lobby until she is ready to leave.

Listen to these parts of the story.

Circle the word "fact" if it is *true* or it *really happened* in the story.

Circle the word "opinion" if it is *what someone thinks or believes*.

3. Danny thinks his mom is lucky to work in the bank. fact opinion
4. The bank lobby has shiny floors and tall windows. fact opinion

Listen to the story. Think about what parts are **fact** and what parts are **opinion**.

Sonja's grandma is teaching her to knit. Grandma is showing Sonja how to loop the yarn over the needles in a certain way to make nice things. Sonja is making a winter scarf. She isn't sure she will ever be good at knitting. But she likes spending time with her grandma.

Listen to these parts of the story.

Circle the word "fact" if it is *true* or it *really happened* in the story.

Circle the word "opinion" if it is *what someone thinks or believes*.

5. Sonja isn't sure she will ever be good at knitting. fact opinion
6. Sonja is making a winter scarf. fact opinion
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7. What is one other **fact** from the story about Sonja?

Answer Key

1. fact
2. opinion
3. opinion
4. fact
5. opinion
6. fact
7. Accept any reasonable response.