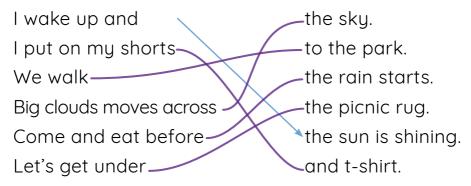
## **Exercises for Story A**

#### 1. Match the start and end of the sentences.



#### 2. Can you put these words in the right order?

- a. up / shining / I / the / wake / is / and / sun I wake up and the sun is shining
- b. shorts / X / on / t-shirts / my / put / and <u>I put on my shorts and t-shirt</u>.
- c. welk / We / perk / to / the / with We walk to the party with Jimbo.
- d. clouds / sky / Big / move / the / across Big clouds move across the sky.
- e. rain / eat / starts / the / and / before / Come Come and eat before the rain starts.
- f. under / rug / Let's / pienic / the / get Let's get under the picnic rug.

#### **Exercises for Story B**

1. Put these words in the correct sentence.

birds pienic minute start rain eat ready sky shelter runs back run
a. Dad makes a <u>picnic</u>. Mum gets Aisha <u>ready</u>.
b. Jimbo <u>runs</u> after the <u>birds</u>.
c. Come and <u>eat</u> before the <u>rain</u> comes.
d. Big raindrops <u>start</u> to fall from the <u>sky</u>.
e. Quick, let's <u>run</u> to the <u>shelter</u>.
f. The sun will come <u>back</u> in a <u>minute</u>.

# 2. True (T) or false (F)? Correct the sentences that are false. Copy all the sentences.

- a. We get up and the sun is not shining. *F* We get up and the sun *is* shining.
- b. I get the ball and we walk to the park.  $\underline{\mathcal{T}}$
- c. Big <u>birds</u> move across the sky. <u>*F* Big clouds move across the sky.</u>
- d. Dad makes a picnic and Mum gets Aisha ready.
- e. Let's get under the picnic <u>table</u>. <u>*F Let's get under the picnic rug.*</u>
- f. We watch the rain. We listen to the <u>music</u>.
  <u>*F* We watch the rain. We listen to the thunder</u>.

3. Pronunciation

Mark the syllables then underline the stressed syllable in these words.

<u>shi</u>/ning <u>beau</u>/ti/ful be/<u>fore</u> <u>thun</u>/der <u>pic</u>/nic ac/<u>ross</u> <u>cov</u>/er <u>sun</u>/ny e/<u>nough</u> de/<u>grees</u>

- 4. Mark the stressed words and the links\*. Practise saying them.
  - a. I wake up and the sun is shining.
  - b. What a beautiful day!
  - c. It's 26 degrees and sunny.
  - d. Big clouds move across the sky.
  - e. Come and eat before the rain comes.
  - f. Let's get under the picnic rug.
- 5. Listen to the story: urbanlyrebirds.com/resources/singwithmestories Read it with a friend. Practice the stress in the words and sentences.
- 6. Let's chat
  - Do you like picnics? What do you eat at picnics?
  - Where do you go for picnics?
  - Do you play ball games? Which games do you like?
  - What season do you like best?
  - Do you like this story? Why? Why not?

\*Linking joins two words together. Here we link when the first word ends in a consonant sound and the next word starts with a vowel sound.

## Word find

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# Find the words below. Look up<sup> $\uparrow$ </sup>, down $\downarrow$ and across. ----

September	SUIT	middle	across	jn
picnic	balt	thunder	minute	wind
beautiful	enough	after	shelter	baby
lightning	bigger	listen	quick	

Write the mystery sentence from the other letters.

<u> $\underline{H}_{i}$ ,  $\underline{I'}_{\underline{m}}$  <u> $\underline{A}$  <u> $\underline{h}$  <u> $\underline{m}$  e</u> <u>d</u>.</u></u></u>