

Sequence Places and Events

Boomer Goes to School - Grade 1 - Short lesson

TIME

OBJECTIVE

15 minutes Put the places Boomer goes through in the order the book gives them.

Essential question: How would you give somebody directions to that classroom?

Materials

Text to mark

PRODUCT

The route from the driveway to the back of the room, in order

• The book	• Passage 3 - seen from above, crossing the pavement to the door
• A long strip of paper per pair	
• Passage 4 - in the doorway, looking into the classroom	
• Prepared passages: Passage 3, Passage 4	

Lesson sequence

1 Collect the places - 6 min

Focus:	A list the book gives in order
Teacher model:	Read page 3 and write each place on the board as it comes.
Prepared text:	Passage 3 2 Build the strip - 9 min
Teacher direction:	In pairs, write the route in order.
Expected answer:	Inside, stairs, corner, hallway, open door, back of the room.
Prepared text:	Passage 4

Support & extension

Above: Write the route backwards, the way Boomer would go home.

Below: Put four place cards in order with the teacher, then add the rest.

Assessment

- Every place from the book, none invented
- In the book's order
- Can point at the page each place came from

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