

A Camping Trip



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Theme	Holidays
Subtheme	Holiday fun
Text type	Report
Book band	This text can be used alongside levelled readers in the red book band.
Sight words	that, there, some, like
New words	camping, trip, bring, sleeping bag, tent, red, in, having, van, ice-pops, swimming pool, best, enormous, cool
Story comprehension	<p>Ask your child the following questions.</p> <p>Before reading:</p> <p>This is an information book. What do we usually find in information books? Look at the title of this book. What do you think it will be about? (predicting) Look at the photograph on the title page. What can you see?</p> <p>During reading:</p> <p>What can you bring on a camping trip? (See pages 4–5.) What are the kids doing in the big tent? (See pages 6–7.) What are the kids eating? (See pages 8–9.)</p> <p>After reading:</p> <p>Where can you sleep on a camping trip? (summarising) What did the kids do at the campsite? (summarising) Do you think it is better to go camping in summer or in winter? Why do you think this?</p>
Phonics focus	<p>Go to page 3. Ask your child to find the word ending with the /ng/ sound. Ask them if they can think of any other words ending with the /ng/ sound. Go to page 7. Ask your child to find two words beginning with the /th/ sound. Ask them if they can think of any other words beginning with the /th/ sound.</p>





Let's go on a camping trip!



sleeping bag

You can bring a sleeping bag.



You can bring a tent.



Look at that big tent.



That is an enormous tent!



There are some kids in there.
They are having fun!



Look at the kids.
They have ice-pops.



van

Look at that big van.
The kids like it.

swimming pool



Look at the kids in the swimming pool.



They like having fun in the pool.
You can have fun in the pool too!



Camping trips are the best!