Rummage Sale Time

Pre-reading

Questions:

• Do you go to rummage sales?
  o If yes, what do you like about them? What do you look for?
  o If no, what do you know about them?

Definitions:

• T-shirt – a collarless shirt with short sleeves

• Rummage sale – a sale of used clothes and household items

Reading

Warm days are here! It is time for shorts and t-shirts. Beth looks at her sons. They have grown over the cold months. They will need larger clothes for the summer.

Where can you find good deals on clothes? Beth knows! She has good luck at rummage sales. She can find nice things at low prices.

Beth looks in the newspaper. She sees many sales selling kid’s clothes this Friday. She plans on going to them. She goes to six sales. She buys shorts and t-shirts for both of her sons. She finds shoes for each boy too. The price is right.

Beth spends only ten dollars on each boy.

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Understanding

1. What do Beth’s sons need? __________________________ ____________________
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2. Why do they need new clothes?______________________________
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3. Where will Beth buy them? __________________________ ____________________
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4. What does Beth buy for her sons? ___________________ ______________________
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5. How much does she spend? ___________________________ ___________________
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Writing

Choice A: Retell the story in your own words.

Choice B: Write about how you save money on clothes.

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