



# Bugbug's Library Workbook



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## Level 3A *Planes of the Past*



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**Worksheet 1**  
**Vocabulary: Flying**

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Fill in the blanks with using the following words.

**take off**

**land**

**plane**

**Airport**

**pilot**

**safety**

**seatbelts**

1. Meg wants to be a \_\_\_\_\_ and fly a \_\_\_\_\_.
2. Bugbug is so excited because the plane is about to \_\_\_\_\_ and leave Hong Kong.
3. The plane is going to \_\_\_\_\_ at the Hong Kong International \_\_\_\_\_.
4. For passengers' \_\_\_\_\_, they must fasten their \_\_\_\_\_.

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**Worksheet 2**  
**Speaking: Picture Description**

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Look at the picture and answer the following questions.



- Where are the children and the bookworms?
- What is the weather like?
- What are they all looking at?
- Why do you think they are all looking at it? Are they surprised or excited to see it?



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**Worksheet 3**  
**Grammar: Simple Present Tense Statements**

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Choose words from the box below to fill in the blanks. Use the correct form of the verb. Each word can only be used once.

**not land**                      **not think**                      **not hurt**  
**not agree**                      **fly**                                      **want**

The children and the bookworms sit in the park and look at planes.

Jack 1. \_\_\_\_\_ girls can fly planes. Meg

2. \_\_\_\_\_ with him. She 3. \_\_\_\_\_ to be

a pilot when she grows up. The children go to the past in the time

machine. A man flies a plane, but it 4. \_\_\_\_\_

carefully. Luckily, the man 5. \_\_\_\_\_. Then, the

children and the bookworms get in the time machine again. They

see lots of planes. The pilots of these planes are all women.

Meg 6. \_\_\_\_\_ the time machine home.



### Worksheet 4

## Reading Skills: Reading Comprehension and Giving Answers

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### Part 1

Read the sentences below and circle the correct answers.

1. Meg wanted to be a pilot.

**True**

**False**

2. Jack thought that there were many girl pilots in the past

**True**

**False**

3. Jack's father was a scientist.

**True**

**False**

4. The man in the past thought flying planes was easy.

**True**

**False**

5. The woman pilot wore a helmet.

**True**

**False**

6. The woman pilot's plane crashed.

**True**

**False**



## Part 2

Read the story again and answer the questions in no more than three words.

1. What did the children and the bookworms watch in the park?

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2. What did Nick think Meg wanted to be?

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3. What colour was the time machine?

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4. Where did the time machine land first?

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5. What was the small plane from the past made of?

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6. Who flew the time machine home in the end?

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**Worksheet 5**  
**Writing Skills: Planes of the Future**

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You got a time machine for your birthday! What year do you want to go to in the future and why? Write two to three sentences.

\_\_\_\_\_

because \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_.

You went to the future and saw lots of cool things! Now, you want to create a futuristic (with very new technology) plane for your 'future friends'!

Write a short paragraph about:

- What your plane looks like
- What your plane can do
- Where you can go with your plane

You can use the words below:

**big loud machine fast bright colourful bottom top**





### **My Futuristic Plane**

A large rectangular area with rounded corners and a thin green border, containing ten horizontal lines for writing.



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**Worksheet 6**  
**My Community: Amelia Earhart**

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There are lots of great female pilots in history. One of them is Amelia Earhart. Let's read the short passage about her below.

**Amelia Earhart**

Amelia Earhart was born in 1897 in the United States. When she was around 18, she worked at a Canadian military hospital and became friends with some pilots. She became interested in flying.

After that, Earhart studied at Columbia University, then the University of Southern California. She had flying lessons with a female pilot, Neta Snook. When she was 25, Earhart bought her first plane. She was the first woman to fly up to 14,000 feet in the air.

In 1928, a publisher, George Putnam, invited Earhart to fly across the Atlantic Ocean by plane. Earhart succeeded as a passenger, and she became very famous. In 1932, Earhart flew across the Atlantic Ocean alone, as the pilot. She was the first woman to do that in history.



Now that you know a bit about Amelia Earhart's life, look at the sentences below. Write 'T' in the boxes next to the sentences that are true. Write 'F' in the boxes next to the sentences that are false.

1. Amelia Earhart was born in Canada.
2. A female pilot, Neta Snook, taught Amelia Earhart how to fly a plane.
3. Amelia Earhart bought a plane when she was 25 years old.
4. Amelia Earhart was the pilot when she flew across the Atlantic Ocean the first time.
5. In 1932, George Putnam and Amelia Earhart flew across the Atlantic Ocean together.

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**Worksheet 7**  
**Empathy Nurturing: Listening Carefully**

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When you are on a plane, you should listen carefully to what the pilot and the flight attendants say. This keeps you safe during the flight.

Imagine that you are on a plane now. Listen to what the pilot, Captain Wong, says and choose what you should do.

1.



**Put your bag under your seat.**

What should you do?

- A. Put my bag under my seat.
- B. Put my bag on my lap.
- C. Put my bag in the passage way.

Answer:

2.



**Keep your seatbelts fastened during the flight.**

What should you do?

- A. Take off my seatbelts when no flight attendants are around.
- B. Take off my seatbelts in the middle of the flight.
- C. Take off my seatbelts only after the plane has landed.

Answer:

3.



**Don't eat or drink during the take-off.**

What should you do?

- A. Put away my drink before the take-off.
- B. Order a drink during the take-off.
- C. Eat a cookie during the take-off.

Answer:

**Worksheet 8**  
**Problem Solving: Creative Problem Solving**

Jack laughed at Meg and said girls can't be pilots. What can Meg do to prove that he is wrong?



What can she do to prove that girls can be pilots?

<b>If she has a time machine:</b>	She can _____ _____
<b>If she has a computer:</b>	She can _____ _____



**Worksheet 9**  
**Creativity Unleashing: Dream Destination**

The pilot in the story offers to give you a plane ride to anywhere in the world. Where would you choose to go?



Write about your dream destination. Why do you want to go there? What can you see or do there? Who will you go with?

I will choose to go to \_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

**Worksheet 10**  
**Critical Thinking: Logic and Inference**

Jack's time machine travels at a speed of 75 trillion kilometres per minute. It takes 20 minutes to travel from the present to the past. How many trillion kilometres are there between the present and the past?



There are \_\_\_\_\_ trillion kilometres  
between the present and the past.





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