

*Note to teachers: This is not a straight forward exercise; our intention is to encourage conversation about the book.*



1. Do you think a football was a suitable present for Troy?
2. Where would you choose to go for an outing?
3. How would you choose to travel?
4. Why do you think some people enjoy playing in bumper cars?
5. Are there any prizes on the shooting stall that you like?
6. Why do you think one 'big dipper' was called 'the corkscrew'?
7. Do you like watching clowns? Why?
8. What flavour ice-cream would you choose?
9. Make a list of the Regular Past Tense verbs you can find in the story?
10. Now write the Present Tense for each verb. The first one is done for you:

Present Tense

Regular Past Tense

is kicking

kicked