

SCENE 34 • NUMBER 7

La fête de la ville

Thursday evening. The festival next Saturday needs helpers, and Madeleine has the list. Can you cook? Sing? Dance? And the new house rule on the door: "No trumpet after 22:00. Except Saturday."

ANSWER KEY

LISTENING & UNDERSTANDING

L1) WHO SAYS IT: 1a, 2c, 3c

L2) WHAT DOES IT MEAN: 1c, 2c, 3c

L3) HOW DO YOU SAY IT: 1c, 2b, 3c

L4) PUT THE WORDS IN ORDER: Mais moi, je peux ! Jouer et chanter., Pas après minuit. Même pas le samedi., Il peut apprendre. C'est bon pour lui.

L5) WHAT HAPPENS FIRST: 1: 23541

Words: La fête de la ville

VOCABULARY & WRITING

W1) WHAT DOES IT MEAN?: 1c, 2c, 3a, 4b, 5a, 6b

W2) COMPLETE THE CONVERSATION: 1: Samedi, 1: liste, 1: toujours, 1: cuisiner, 1: soupe

W3) LOOK! I CAN RIDE A BIKE!: 1: sais, 2: Très, 3: Non, 4: chante

W4) COMPLETE THE CONVERSATION: 1: Samedi, 1: liste, 1: toujours, 1: cuisiner, 1: soupe

Grammar: Savoir, pouvoir, devoir, parce que

GRAMMAR

G1) NOTICE THE USEFUL PATTERN: 1) sais, 2) peux, 3) devez, 4) parce qu'

G2) CHOOSE THE FORM: 1c, 2c, 3c, 4a, 5b, 6c, 7c, 8b

G3) COMPLETE THE MESSAGES: 1: devez, 1: parce qu', 1: sait, 1: peut, 1: dois, 1: sais

G4) BUILD A SENTENCE: Je sais cuisiner un peu., Je peux payer par carte., Vous devez prendre un parapluie., Je reste à la maison parce qu'il pleut., Julien sait chanter et jouer., On peut nager en été.

G5) WHAT WOULD YOU SAY?: 1a, 2a, 3b, 4b

G6) CONNECT MESSAGES AND MEANINGS: 1a, 2d, 3h, 4b, 5g, 6c, 7f, 8e

Translation

■ Come in! Next Saturday is the town festival, and the festival needs helpers.

■ I have a list.

○ Grandma always has a list. Like Thomas!

■ Can you cook?

▲ A little. Soup and eggs.

■ And sing?

▲ No, not at all.

● But I can! Both play and sing.

○ And dance? Can you dance?

▲ Not very well.

Julien reads a new notice on the door.

● 'No trumpet after 22:00. Except Saturday.' What's this?

■ A new house rule.

● Why?

■ Because the new neighbour has to sleep.

▲ Thank you, Mrs Martin!

● And on Saturday after midnight?

■ Not after midnight. Not even on Saturday.

■ Now the jobs. Claire: cakes. Julien: the concert. Zoé sings with the children.

■ And you: the café stall. And Félix.

▲ Félix?

■ Somebody has to look after him. He really likes the stage.

○ Last year he slept on the drum!

▲ And Thomas?

■ Thomas: the dance group.

● Thomas? Dance? He can't dance!

■ He can learn. It's good for him.

○ And does he know?

■ Not yet.

She reads out the jobs. You: the café stand, and the cat's minder. "Somebody must watch him. He likes the stage." Last year he slept on the drum. And Thomas? "The dance group. It is good for him." Does he know? Not yet.