

# UNIT 1

## Helping Housework

### Brain Starter



Listen to the talk. In which box do Ronald's things go?

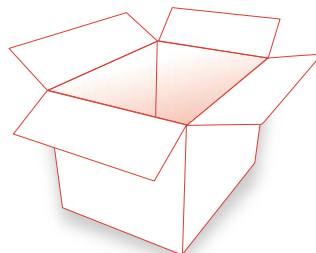
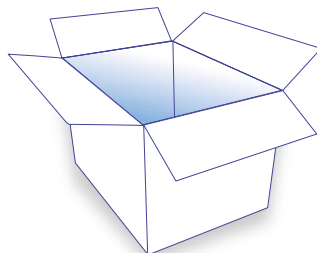
(A)



(B)



(C)



### Word Starter

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Listen and repeat.

alone

cover

floor

mess

rule

upset

# My Book Review



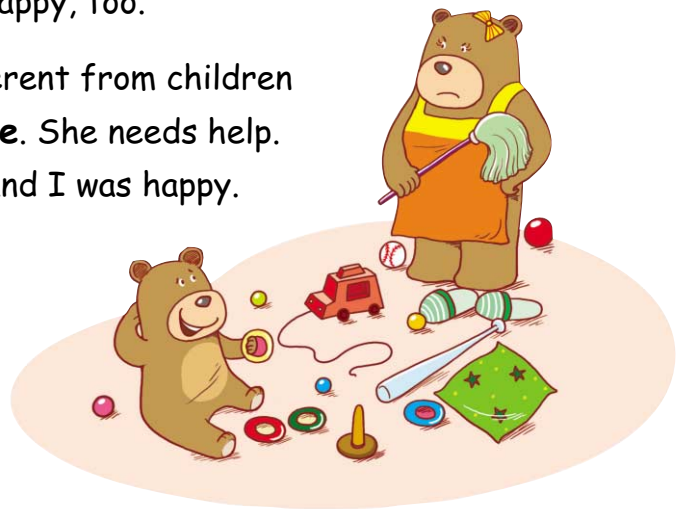
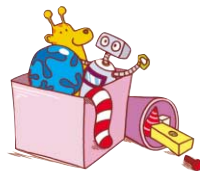
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| • <b>Name:</b> Tommy                      | • <b>Book Title:</b> Berenstain Bears and The Messy Room |
| • <b>Date:</b> May 7 <sup>th</sup> , 2009 | • <b>Writer:</b> Stan and Jan Berenstain                 |

Every day my Mom says, "**Clean** your room." I say, "Yes Mom." But I never clean it. This weekend my Mom was **upset**. She gave me a book, *The Berenstain Bears and The **Messy**\* Room*.

Brother and Sister Bear have a play room. Mama Bear always cleaned their room. But the children **soon** made **messes** again. Their toys **covered** the **floor**. Mama Bear was tired. So she made a **rule**. "Everything on the floor goes in the **trash can**." Papa Bear had a better idea. He made boxes and said, "Different toys go into different boxes." Soon, there was nothing on the floor. The room was clean! Mama Bear was happy. The children were happy, too.

The story taught me a lesson. I'm not different from children bears. Mom can't do all the housework **alone**. She needs help. So I cleaned my room. My room was clean and I was happy. My Mom was happy, too.

\*messy not clean, dirty



Match the underlined words to their meanings.

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| 1 Sally ate Tom's ice cream. Tom is <u>upset</u> now.        | • | • within a short time |
| 2 I cleaned my room. But my brother <u>soon</u> made a mess. | • | • angry, not happy    |
| 3 Don't run in the classroom. It's our <u>rule</u> .         | • | • law; guide          |



wash, shampoo and bathe → \_\_\_\_\_

# 1 What did Tommy learn from “Berenstain Bears and The Messy Room?”

We should help mother with h\_\_\_\_\_.

## 2 Write the numbers (1) ~ (4) in the right order.

\_\_\_\_\_ Children bears cleaned their room.

(1) \_\_\_\_\_ Mama bear cleaned the play room.

\_\_\_\_\_ Papa bears made a rule.

\_\_\_\_\_ Children bears made messes again.

## 3 Choose the right one to make a sentence.

(1) Tommy always ... ☐ cleaned his room. ☐ made messes of his room.

(2) Tommy thinks Mom ... ☐ needs help. ☐ can do everything alone.



## 4 This is Jane’s book review about *Berenstain Bears and The Messy Room*. Fill in the blanks with the right words from the box.

make messes

clean their room

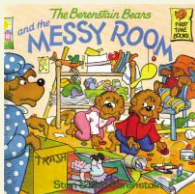
housework

made a rule

### My Book Review

**Name:** Jane

**Date:** May 7<sup>th</sup>, 2009



I read *Berenstain Bears and The Messy Room*. The bear family has a problem. (1) The children bears \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_. Mama Bear was tired of that.

(2) So Papa Bear \_\_\_\_\_.

I don’t understand the children bears. (3) How didn’t the children bears \_\_\_\_\_

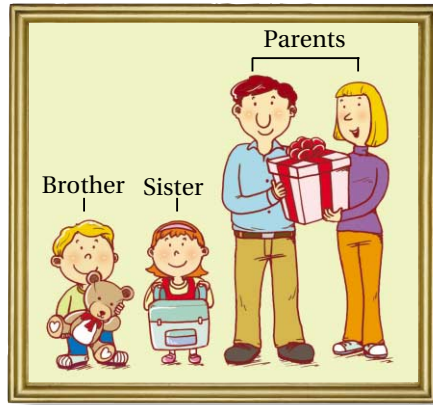
\_\_\_\_\_, and play outside all day long? I always clean my room. I

always help my Mom. (4) Mom cannot do all \_\_\_\_\_ alone.

# Try It!

## SPEAK Up

Practice the talk with your partner. Use the words in the box.



### Grammar Break!

I	my	me	mine
you	your	you	yours
she	her	her	hers
he	his	him	his
it	its	it	
we	our	us	ours
you	your	you	yours
they	their	them	theirs

Who is he?

He is my brother.

His teddy bear looks nice.

Oh! I gave it to him.

## WRITE Up

This is sister bear's diary. Fill in the blanks with the right words.

Dear Diary,

May 12<sup>th</sup>, 2009

I had a busy day today. We have a play room in our house. It is always dirty. (1) This morning, we decided to clean \_\_\_\_\_ (it).

(2) First, \_\_\_\_\_ (we) cleaned the floor. There were many toys on the floor. (3) We put \_\_\_\_\_ (they) in the boxes. There was a lot of trash.

(4) We put \_\_\_\_\_ (it) in the trash can.

Then, the room was clean. We were tired but happy. Mom came into our room.

(5) \_\_\_\_\_ (she) was happy. Dad was happy, too. (6) He said, "You helped \_\_\_\_\_ (she). Good job!" We were all happy.