

Play Script: Setting the Stage

Worksheet 6

Every play has to have a setting. The settings are usually described in the screen direction. Read each of the following selections and write out what type of setting would be work the best.

1. Two friends on a treasure hunt.

2. Eating dinner with the family.

3. Playing outside.

4. A Sunday drive.

5. Playing a game.

6. Going to the beach.

Answer Sheet (Answers will vary)

1. Two friends on a treasure hunt.

Friends are searching the jungle, looking under leaves and pushing back limbs to find something that is hidden. The friends are happy and smiling as the sun peeks through the trees.

2. Eating dinner with the family.

A large family with seven people sit around a huge table. The table is covered with food, including turkey, rolls, and lots of sides. Everyone is noisily talking. This is in a house.

3. Playing outside.

Three friends are in a yard with a house in the background. It is sunny and the grass is green. A swing set with swings and a slide is to the right.

4. A Sunday drive.

A family of four is in a car with the father driving and the children in the back. The radio is playing loudly and the kids sing along. The mother is smiling staring out the window. The road is straight and flat with nothing around.

5. Playing a game.

Four friend sit on their knees around a coffee table. A board game is laid out with lots of small piece on the board. Everyone is smiling or laughing. One player is taking their turn.

6. Going to the beach.

The ocean is glistening with the waves crashing onto the white sand. Two girls lay on the beach on bright colored towels in bathing suits. The sun is bright and shining.