



A day at the carnival



It's carnival day.  
*Hooray!*  
shouts Little Mouse.  
*Hooray!*  
shouts Littler  
Mouse.  
*Hooray!*  
shouts Tiny Mouse.



They plan to ride  
every ride!  
“But don't lose  
me!”  
Tiny Mouse tells his  
brothers.



They race each other on toy cars.



They go up and down on the merry-go-round.



They ride the winding caterpillar coaster.



They take a spin on the Ferris wheel.



The brothers walk to  
the balloon cart...



...and they each  
buy a balloon.  
*One balloon, two  
balloons...*



“Wait, where is Tiny Mouse?”



Little Mouse and Littler Mouse run to the toy cars.  
Tiny Mouse isn't there.



They run to the merry-go-round.  
Tiny Mouse isn't there.



They run to the caterpillar coaster.  
Tiny Mouse isn't there, either.



They run to the  
Ferris wheel.  
Thank goodness!  
There is Tiny  
Mouse!



The Little Mice each  
buy a glass of  
sugarcane juice.  
*One glass, two  
glasses, three  
glasses!*



What a fantastic day at the carnival.  
*Hooray, Hooray, Hooray!*



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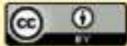


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Match the pictures with the words:



**Balloons**



**Ferris  
wheel**



**Merry-go-round**



**Bumper car**

**Color this scene from the story:**



**Color this character:**



**Color this character.**



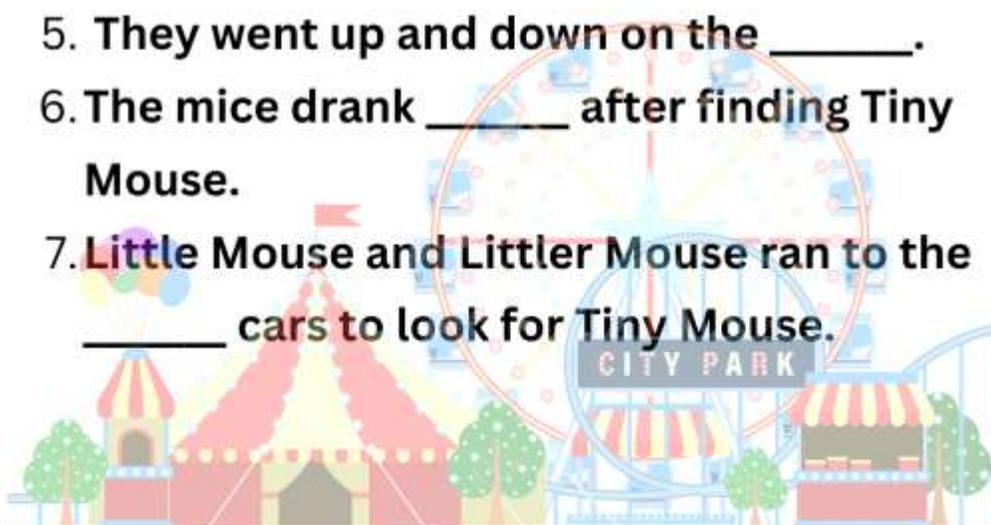
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Read the sentences below and fill in the blanks using the words from the word bank at the bottom of the page. Each word can be used only once.

1. Tiny Mouse got lost at the \_\_\_\_\_.
2. The brothers found Tiny Mouse at the \_\_\_\_\_.
3. The mice shouted "Hooray!" when they arrived at the \_\_\_\_\_.
4. The mice raced each other on toy \_\_\_\_\_.
5. They went up and down on the \_\_\_\_\_.
6. The mice drank \_\_\_\_\_ after finding Tiny Mouse.
7. Little Mouse and Littler Mouse ran to the \_\_\_\_\_ cars to look for Tiny Mouse.



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|------------------|----------------|---------------|
| • ferris wheel   | • carnival     | • juice       |
| • merry-go-round | • balloon cart | • bumper cars |

## Make your own sentence:



Use each word from the list below in a sentence.

Write your sentences in the space provided.

- Carnival \_\_\_\_\_
- Ride \_\_\_\_\_
- Ferris wheel \_\_\_\_\_
- Balloon \_\_\_\_\_
- Juice \_\_\_\_\_
- Fun \_\_\_\_\_
- Merry-go-round \_\_\_\_\_



## ***Teacher Comprehension Questions for "A Day at the Carnival"***

### ***Characters and Setting:***

- 1. Who are the three main characters in the story?*
- 2. Where does the story take place?*
- 3. What is the first ride that the mice enjoy at the carnival?*

### ***Plot and Sequence:***

- 1. What do the mice plan to do at the carnival?*
- 2. List the rides and activities the mice enjoy in the order they do them.*
- 3. Describe what happens when Tiny Mouse goes missing.*

### ***Problem and Solution:***

- 1. What problem do Little Mouse and Littler Mouse face at the carnival?*
- 2. How do Little Mouse and Littler Mouse try to find Tiny Mouse?*
- 3. Where do they finally find Tiny Mouse, and how do they feel when they find him?*

### ***Emotions and Reactions:***

- 1. How do the mice feel when they first arrive at the carnival?*
- 2. How do Little Mouse and Littler Mouse feel when they realize Tiny Mouse is missing?*
- 3. What is Tiny Mouse doing when his brothers find him?*

***Vocabulary and Language:***

1. *What does the word "carnival" mean in the context of the story?*
2. *Explain the meaning of "merry-go-round" and "Ferris wheel."*
3. *What does Tiny Mouse tell his brothers at the beginning about staying together?*