

Reading: “WHO LEFT THE MESSAGE?”



Hi, this is Emma. I'm calling to remind you about our plan to go to the zoo on Saturday at 10 AM. Don't forget to bring your camera so we can take pictures of the animals! If you can't make it, please let me know. You can call me back at 555-0123. See you soon!

Activity 1: Answer each question in a short sentence.

1. Who is leaving the message?
2. On which day is Emma planning to go to the zoo?
3. What time should they meet at the zoo?
4. What does Emma want her friend to bring?
5. What should Emma's friend do if they can't join the trip?

Activity 2: Decide if each statement is true or false based on the message from Emma.

- Emma plans to go to the zoo with her friend on Saturday morning. (True / False)
- Emma's friend should bring a camera to the zoo. (True / False)
- Emma wants her friend to call back if they can't come to the zoo. (True / False)
- Emma's phone number ends in 0123. (True / False)
- Emma's message is about a school project. (True / False)

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Activity 3: Match the statements on the left with the correct answers on the right.

Questions

Answers

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| 1. Who is calling? | a) Emma's phone number |
| 2. What day is the zoo trip planned? | b) To let Emma know |
| 3. What time will they go to the zoo? | c) To remind about zoo plan |
| 4. What should the friend do if they can't go? | d) Emma |
| 5. What is the reason for Emma's call? | e) Saturday |

Activity 4: Choose the best answer for each question.

1. Why is Emma calling?

- a) To invite her friend to a birthday party
- b) To remind her friend about their zoo trip
- c) To ask her friend to bring snacks for a picnic
- d) To check on their homework plans

2. When is the planned zoo trip?

- a) Saturday at 10 AM
- b) Sunday at 10 AM
- c) Friday at 10 AM
- d) Saturday at 1 PM

3. What does Emma suggest if her friend can't go?

- a) Tell her before the trip
- b) Meet at the zoo another time
- c) Bring someone else along
- d) Wait until the next day

4. What item does Emma remind her friend to bring?

- a) A map to find the zoo
- b) A water bottle
- c) A camera to take pictures
- d) A notebook to take notes

5. What is the last digit of Emma's phone number?

- a) 0
- b) 3
- c) 2
- d) 8