

The Magic Paintbrush

Reader

Answer Key



Page 31 – Activity 1

- 1 c
- 2 d
- 3 a
- 4 b
- 5 e

Page 32 – Activity 2

- 1 forest
- 2 butterfly
- 3 prison
- 4 snake
- 5 crown

Page 33 – Activity 3

- 1 b
- 2 a
- 3 a
- 4 b

Page 34 – Activity 4

- 1 Sui-Ming sat next to a river.
- 2 Sui-Ming drew a white bird.
- 3 No, he did not want to sell wood.
- 4 Sui-Ming wanted to draw.

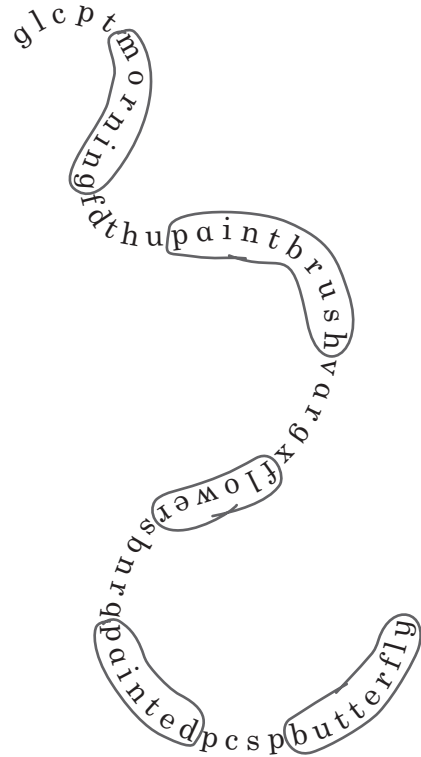
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One morning, Sui-Ming ¹**saw** students painting in a school. Sui-Ming wanted ²**to paint**, too. The teacher saw ³**his** old clothes. “You ⁴**have** no money. Now, go!” he said.

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- 1 That night, Sui-Ming **could** not sleep.
- 2 “I can’t paint,” he **thought**.
- 3 Sui-Ming **saw** an old man in his bedroom!
- 4 The old man **had** something for Sui-Ming.
- 5 In the morning, Sui-Ming **found** a paintbrush.

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- 2 The butterfly flew on his mother’s face.
- 4 Sui-Ming painted some bread.
- 1 Sui-Ming’s mother came into his bedroom.
- 5 Sui-Min’s family was not hungry now.
- 3 The paintbrush was magic!

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- 1 “Paint me a crown!” said **the emperor**.
- 2 “A crown can’t help people,” said **Sui-Ming**.
- 3 “Put him in prison!” said **the emperor**.
- 4 “Help!” said **the emperor**.

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- 1 The old man gave Sui-Ming a magic paintbrush.
- 2 No, he did not.
- 3 Because Sui-Ming did not paint the crown.

Page 41 – Activity 11

- 1 a
- 2 b
- 3 a
- 4 c

Page 42 – Activity 12

- 1 b
- 2 a
- 3 c
- 4 c

Audio script

- 1 Sui-Ming is painting a beautiful white bird.
- 2 “I must paint food for people in the village.”
- 3 Sui-Ming is in the emperor’s prison.
- 4 The emperor is wearing a hat.

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- 1 d
- 2 a
- 3 e
- 4 b
- 5 c

Page 44 – Activity 14

- 1 Sui-Ming painted water and beautiful **fish**.
- 2 The emperor told Sui-Ming to paint a big **ship**.
- 3 Sui-Ming painted a very **strong wind**, too.
- 4 The ship went **under** the water.

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Reader’s own answers

Model answers

- 1 Yes, I do.
- 2 Yes, I do.
- 3 Yes, I would. It’s fun.
- 4 I would like to paint a red bike.

Page 46 – Activity 16

- 1 in Sui-Ming’s **hands**
- 2 at **school**
- 3 in the **bedroom**
- 4 the **big ship**

Audio script

- 1 The magic paintbrush is in Sui-Ming’s hands.
- 2 The students are at school.
- 3 The flowers are in the bedroom.
- 4 The big ship is on the water.