

Your adult field guide



The goal: Help a learner state how two things are alike or different, compare the same feature, and point to supporting details.

READY WHEN...	YOU WILL NEED...
Reads short sentences with help; knows same/different; can record a phrase or dictate.	US Letter paper, pencil, two everyday objects; scissors only for the optional game. Adult cuts.

A flexible route

Start with p. 3. Work through one mission over several short sittings. Read passages aloud if decoding gets in the way. Keep pp. 26-30 with the adult. Use p. 25 to record support, not speed.

Coach: Ask, "Which detail proves that?" If the child guesses, reread both cards and name the feature together. If writing is tiring, accept an oral answer and record the words.

Scope: A focused Grade 2 supplement, not a complete reading curriculum. It does not teach phonics, formal essay writing or comparisons of different cultural story versions.



ARIEL REMINDS

Compare the same feature: shape with shape, action with action.

FANTASTICAMOS**MISSION 1 / GUIDED PRACTICE****Sort the seed-box clues****Box A**

Box A is round. It has a lid. It holds bean seeds.

Box B

Box B is square. It has a lid. It holds pea seeds.

Write A only, Both or B only beside each clue.

CLUE	WHERE DOES IT BELONG?
01. round	
02. has a lid	
03. pea seeds	
04. bean seeds	
05. square	
06. holds seeds	

**ALICE ASKS**

For Both, touch one proving detail in each card.

FANTASTICAMOS

MISSION 1 / INDEPENDENT PRACTICE

Trail-bag Venn diagram



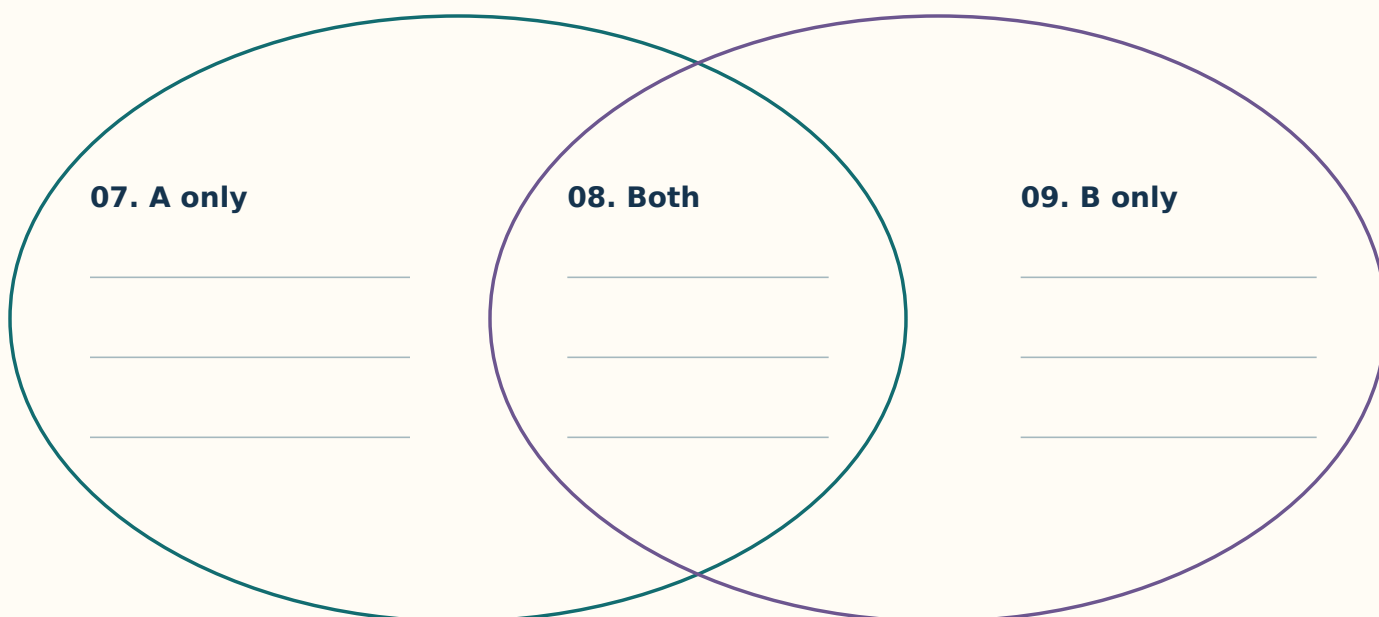
Bag A

Bag A is striped. It has two pockets and a zip. It holds a map.

Bag B

Bag B is plain. It has one pocket and a zip. It holds a map.

Write two details in each region. The overlap is for Both.



Use the cards as evidence. Short phrases are fine.



ARIEL REMINDS

A detail belongs in the overlap only when it fits both bags.

FANTASTICAMOS

MISSION 4 / DESIGN BRIDGE

Build a comparison sentence



WATCH A WORKED EXAMPLE

ON THE TWINLEAF TRAIL

Design Bridge

Build a sentence.
Explain the connection.



FEATURE	CART A	CART B
Wheels	four	four
Handle	long	short

Use BOTH for a shared detail.

Both carts have four wheels.

Use BUT to connect a difference.

Cart A has a long handle, but Cart B has a short handle.

Sentence-builder steps

1. Name the two subjects.
2. Keep the feature the same.
3. Use accurate details from both cards.
4. Read the sentence. Does it make sense?



DESIGN BRIDGE TOOL

A comparison explains a connection. It does more than list facts.

FANTASTICAMOS
CUT-APART GAME / ADULT CUTTING

Wagon clue cards



12 cards: two descriptions, nine numbered clues and one reminder.

WAGON A Wagon A has four wheels and a handle. It carries seedlings. It has a cloth roof, two boxes and a bell. It has no flag.	WAGON B Wagon B has four wheels and a handle. It carries seedlings. It has no roof, one box and a flag. It has no bell.	REMEMBER A only / Both / B only. Read both cards. Point to proof. Check G1-G9 on p. 30.
G4 has a cloth roof	G7 has no roof	G1 has four wheels
G8 has one box	G2 has a handle	G5 has two boxes
G3 carries seedlings	G9 has a flag	G6 has a bell



WAGON GAME

Describe the wagon in its card. Decorative art is not game evidence.



Your sample field guide

Five selected workbook pages + this answer/use guide

Try the adult guide (p. 2), seed-box sort (p. 6), trail-bag Venn (p. 7), sentence lesson (p. 17) and low-ink wagon cards (p. 23). Original page numbers are intentionally nonconsecutive.

SEED-BOX SORT / ANSWERS

01 A only; 02 Both; 03 B only;
04 A only; 05 B only; 06 Both.

TRAIL-BAG VENN / ANSWERS

07 Bag A only: striped, two pockets.
08 Both: zip, hold a map.
09 Bag B only: plain, one pocket.

Wagon game: G4/G5/G6 = A only; G1/G2/G3 = Both; G7/G8/G9 = B only. Sort on a table if you do not have the full reusable mat.

The full pack has 30 unique pages in matching color and low-ink editions: four missions, practice, review, a game, project, progress page and complete answers. This six-page sample is not the full product.



PRINT & TRY THE SAMPLE

US Letter, Actual Size / 100%. Adult cuts cards. Personal household evaluation only; do not resell.