

A postcard from the farm

Reading · Lectura en inglés británico (postal): Una postal desde la granja

Dear Ben,

Greetings from my grandparents' farm! I'm having a great time. The farm is small, but there are lots of animals: two cows, a horse, five goats and twelve hens.

Every day, I get up at seven o'clock. Before breakfast, Grandpa and I feed the hens and look for eggs. The hens hide their eggs in funny places: under the hay, behind the door and in an old boot!

In the afternoon, I help Grandma in the vegetable garden. We pick tomatoes. I can ride the horse now, but only with Grandpa next to me.

Right now, I'm sitting under a big tree, and two goats are looking at me. I think they want my apple!

See you on Monday!

Love,

Ximena



Word bank · Vocabulario

greetings from: saludos desde

grandparents: abuelos

I'm having a great time:
me lo estoy pasando muy bien

goat: cabra

hen: gallina

feed: dar de comer

hide: esconder

hay: heno

vegetable garden: huerto

pick: recoger (fruta o verdura)

ride: montar (a caballo)

right now: ahora mismo

True or false?

Lee cada frase y decide si es verdadera o falsa.

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☐ T ☐ F

2. There are five horses on the farm.

☐ T ☐ F

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3. Ximena gets up at seven o'clock.

☐ T ☐ F

4. Ximena can ride the horse alone.

☐ T ☐ F

Read and choose.

Lee y elige la respuesta correcta.

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a) five b) two c) twelve

2. Before breakfast, Ximena and Grandpa ...

a) feed the hens b) pick tomatoes c) ride the horse

3. Where is Ximena right now?

a) In the vegetable garden b) Under a big tree c) Behind the door

Answer the questions.

Responde a las preguntas con una frase corta.

1. Who does Ximena help in the afternoon?

2. What do Ximena and Grandma pick?

3. What does Ximena think the goats want?

4. How many goats are there on the farm?

Your turn: write a postcard.

Ahora tú: escribe una postal. La respuesta es libre; la solución solo da un ejemplo.

1. Imagine you are on a farm. Write a short postcard to a friend. Say where you are and what you are doing right now.

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2. What do you do every day before breakfast? Write one sentence.

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Respuesta libre. Ejemplo: Dear Sara, I'm on a farm with my family. It's great! Right now, I'm feeding the goats. See you soon! Love, Leo

2. What do you do every day before breakfast? Write one sentence.

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Respuesta libre. Ejemplo: Every day, I wash my face and get dressed before breakfast.