

Little Lily carefully looked up and put her head through the ground. She found herself in a garden. She saw pretty flowers around her. She heard the children say, "Wow! The lily is here. Now we know that spring has come!"
 Little Lily was happy!

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Comprehension

Write T for True or F for False.

1. Little pink Lily lived under the ground.

T 1

2. Rain tapped on the window.

T 2

3. Lily let Rain in.

T 3

4. After a while, some children wanted to come in.

F 4

5. The wind knocked at the door.

F 5

6. Finally, Lily let Rain and Sunshine come in.

T 6

Answer these questions.

1. Who tapped on the door? Rain

2. Who tinkled at the door? Sunshine

3. Where did Rain and Sunshine take little Lily?
 Right up to the top of the ground.

4. Where did little Lily find herself? in a garden

5. What did little Lily see around her? saw pretty flowers



Who said this? Write their names.

1. "No, you cannot come in."

2. "Peep through that big hole."

3. "Wow! The lily is here."

Little pink Lily
Rain and Sunshine
Children | 45

Vocabulary

E. Write the group names for these words.
Choose from the box.

4 clothes 2 seasons 3 vehicles 1 flowers



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|-----------|-----------|---------|---------|-----------------|
| 1. lily | sunflower | jasmine | rose | <u>Flowers</u> |
| 2. summer | winter | autumn | spring | <u>Seasons</u> |
| 3. car | bike | bicycle | scooter | <u>Vehicles</u> |
| 4. skirt | shirt | socks | sari | <u>Clothes</u> |

F. Complete the table.

	word	er word	est word
1.	soft	<u>softer</u>	<u>softest</u>
2.	kind	<u>kinde</u>	kindest
3.	<u>Pretty</u>	prettier	prettiest
4.	happy	<u>happier</u>	happiest
5.	dark	darker	<u>darkest</u>

Writing

G. Little Lily tells her friend Rose about how she came up in the garden. Complete these sentences. Use words from the box.

H.W

Rain peeped house Sunshine tap
knocked hands tinkle garden

I was in my house under the ground. Suddenly, I heard a tap on the door. It was Rain. It wanted to come inside. Then, I heard a tinkle. It was Sunshine. After a while, both Rain and Sunshine knocked on the door. Then, I let them in. Rain and Sunshine held my hands and took me to the top of the ground. I peeped through a big hole and found myself in a beautiful garden.

Fun to Do

H. Look at the pictures of some flowers. Read their names. Tell your partner what you call them in your mother tongue.



marigold



jasmine



hibiscus



rose



frangipani (champa)



sunflower