



# Adding -s and -es

## The Rest of the Holiday



Let's practise Sam's Sounds and Sight Words!



Today, we are learning to read and spell words that end in  
-s and -es.



Let's practise reading some of this week's focus words and sight words.

skirts

buses

raincoats

boxes

hairbrushes

wishes

bracelets

scissors

glasses

castle





Now, let's write them with the magic pencil...



skirts

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raincoats

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bracelets

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glasses

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buses

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boxes

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wishes

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SCISSORS

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castle

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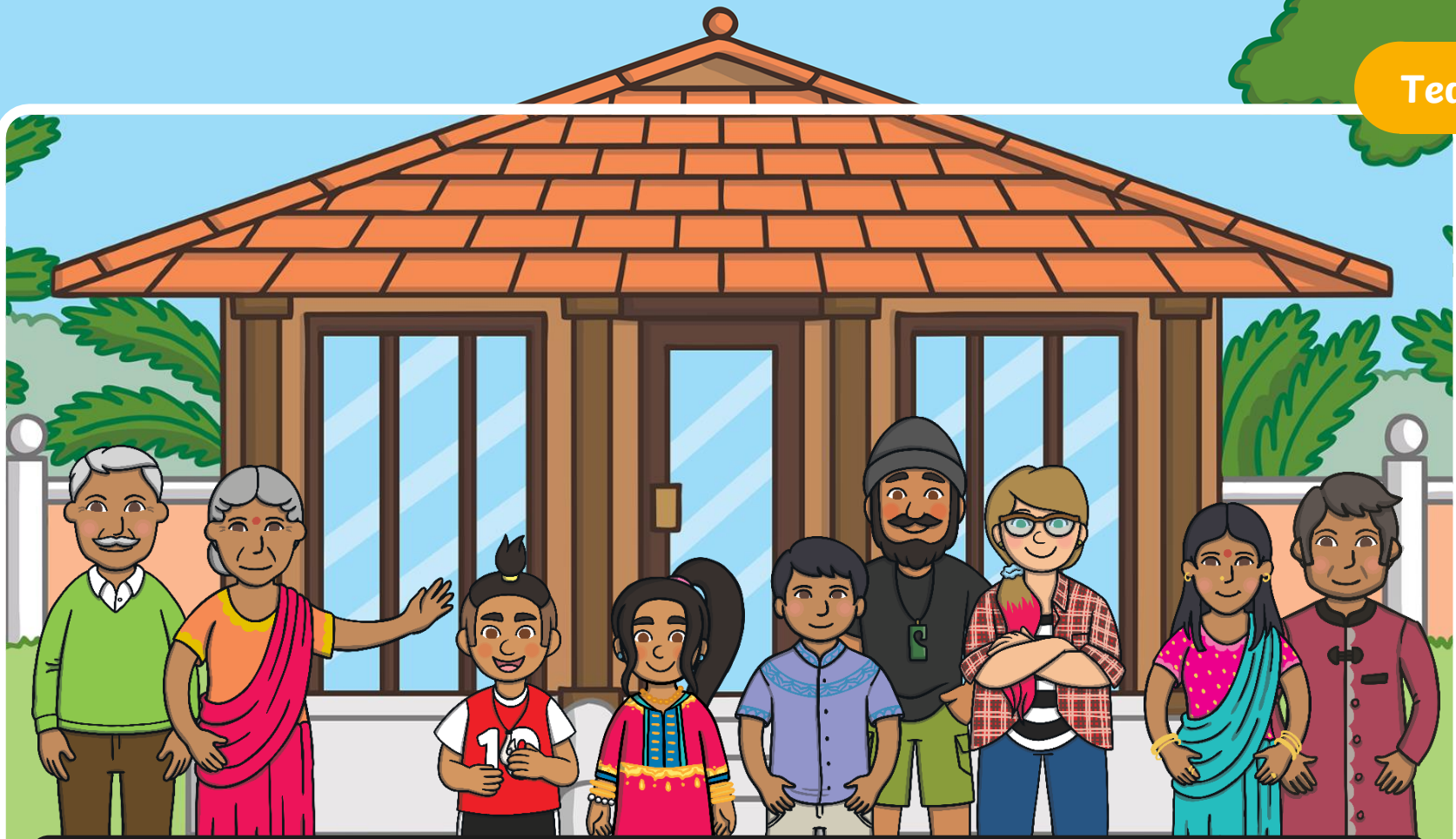




Ben, Sam and their family spent the rest of their holiday exploring Kanpur. One day, they visited the mighty Ganges River, which Ben and Sam had learnt about. Ben enjoyed telling them all about it in the car. "It is a holy river for Hindus," said Ben.



They were lifting it high into the air and letting it fall back into the river. "That is a way of showing respect to the gods," explained Ankit.



After they had spent a while at the river, Grandma Dadi had an idea. “Come with me. I have something special to show you.” They walked away from the river and eventually stopped outside a small house. “This is where I grew up,” she said. Ben and Sam looked at each other in amazement.

# Grandpa Dada's Photo

Grandpa Dada pulls out an old photo of him as a child.  
Let's write a sentence together to match the picture.







Grandpa Dada was given some red socks.

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# Grandma Dadi's Photo Album

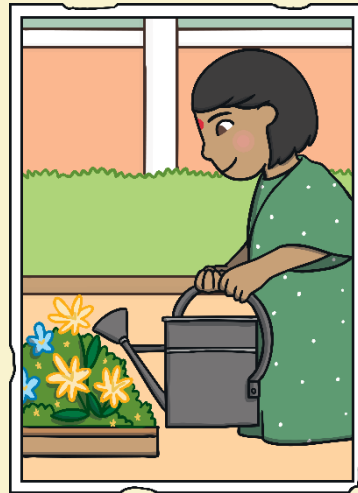
Grandma Dadi pulls out an old photo album to see how much her home has changed. Click through each page in the book.  
Can you write a sentence to go with each photo?



This is a great whiteboard activity. 



**Click me for Ben's teaching tips!**

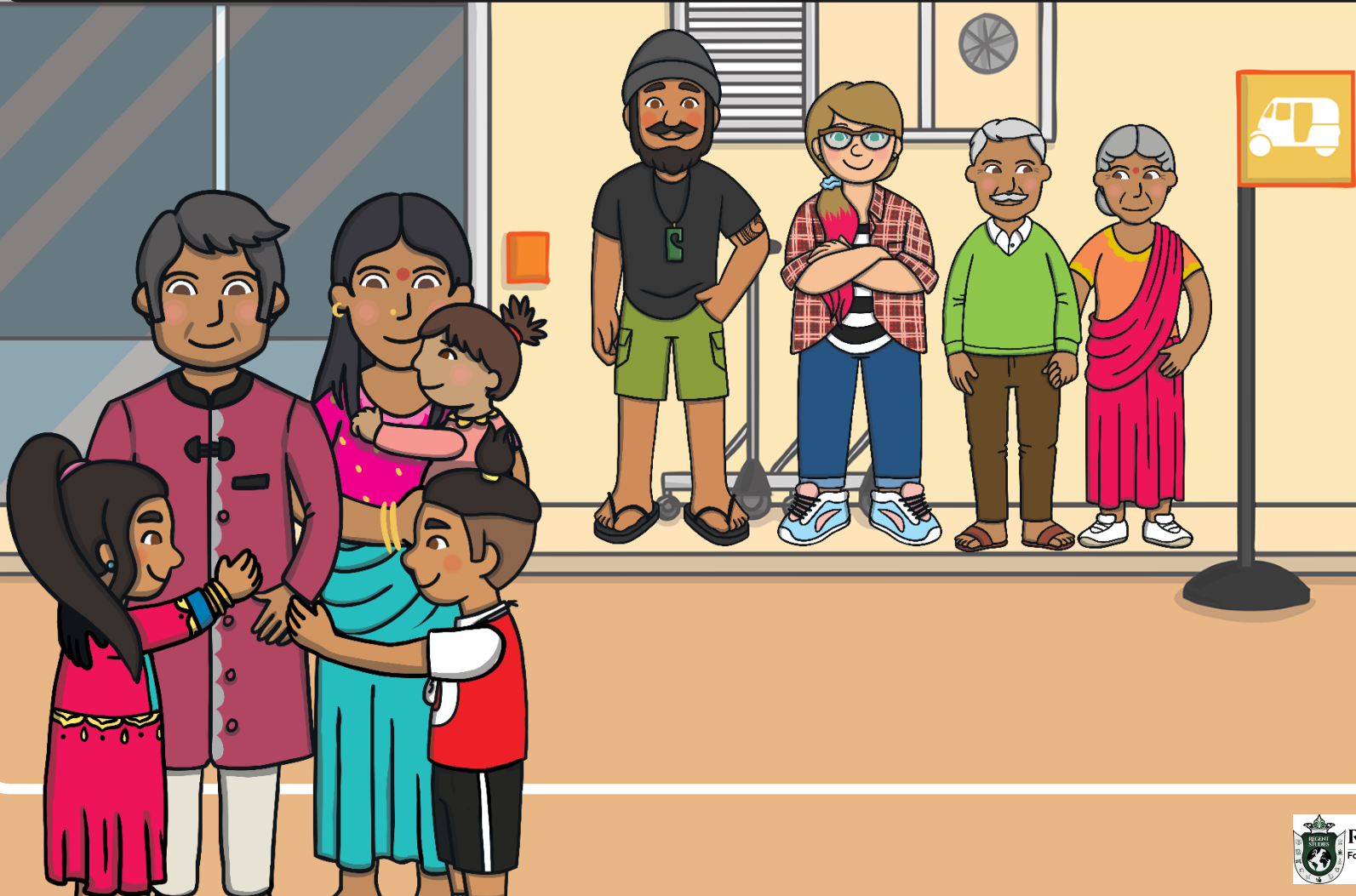


She watered  
the plants.

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It was soon time for Ben and Sam's family to return to New Zealand. Everyone was very sad to say goodbye but they promised to write letters and send pictures to keep in touch.





On the way home, Ben and Sam started to get bored. "I found this beautiful book in the market. I thought you might want to use it to write a holiday journal. Then you won't forget what you have done," said Mum.

"Yes, please!" said Ben and Sam together.



# A Trip to Kanpur



A 'Let's Read Together!' Book

Dad got us some tickets to go and visit our friends in Kanpur. We were so happy and excited to get on the plane.



We took an auto-rickshaw to our friend's house. We were very pleased to see Aditi, Ravi, Ankit and baby Diya. Ankit could not wait to show us some of his home town.



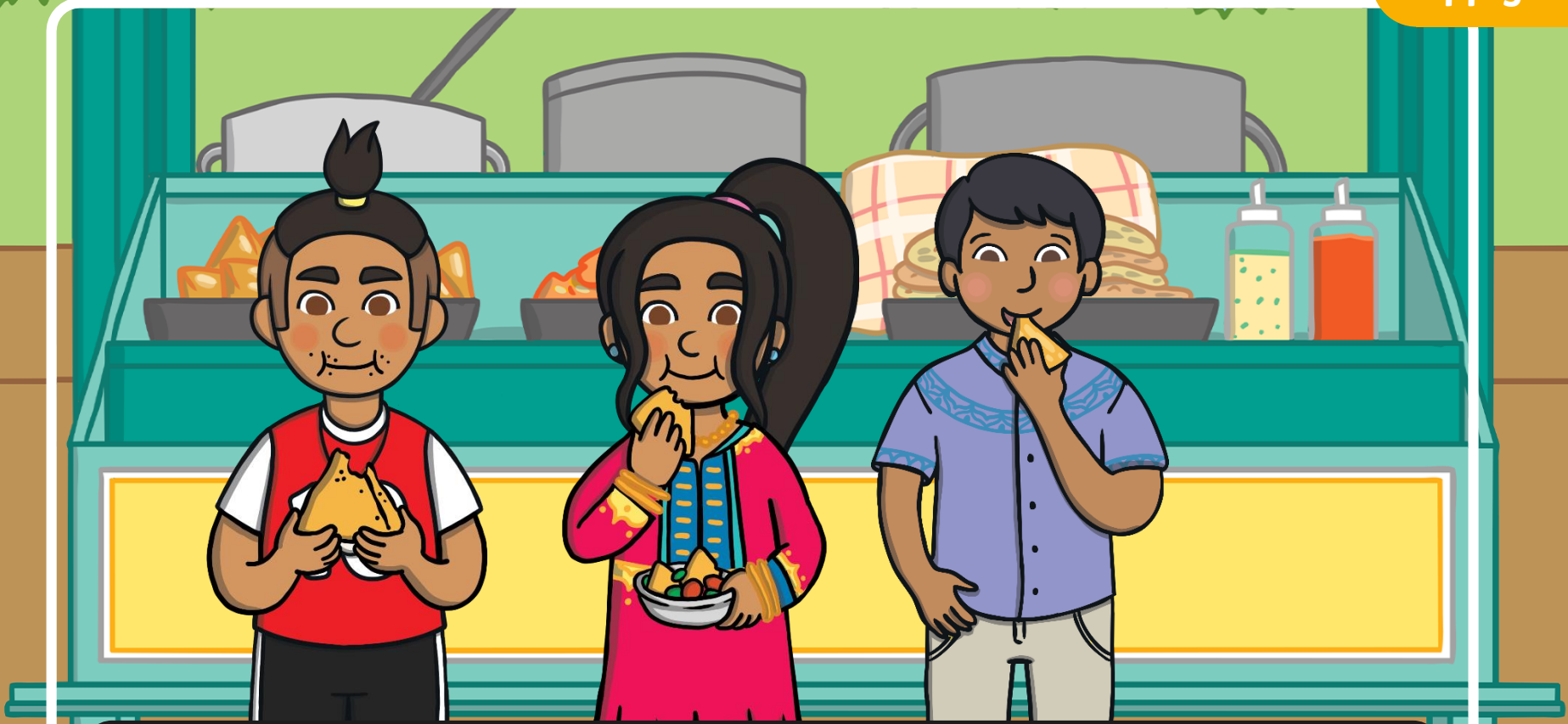


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Ankit took us on some buses around Kanpur to see the sights. First, we went to the markets to get Sam some new dresses and bracelets.





Then we went to see a holy place where we saw shrines to some of the gods. When we came out, we ate something spicy called a samosa.



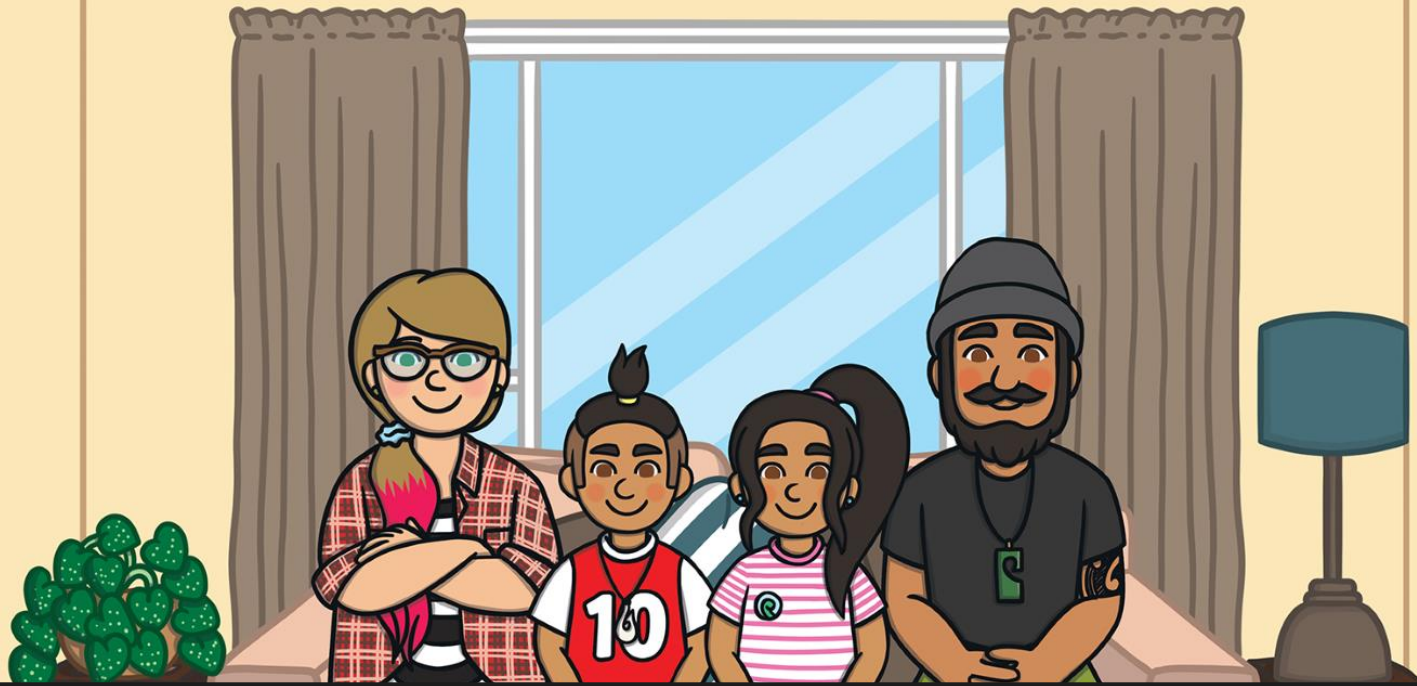
When we went back home, we played with baby Diya and Grandpa Dada told us stories.





On our last day, we went to see the river and Grandma Dadi took us to the little house where she grew up. We will miss our friends but we will send letters and photos to them.





That night, Ben and Sam were talking to Mum and Dad. “Do you think we’ll be able to go back to Kanpur soon?” asked Sam. “Hmm, it is a very long way to go,” replied Mum. When Mum and Dad had left the room, Sam gave Ben a nudge. “We could always use the Magic Map...” she said with a grin.

**Today, we have read  
a book together.**



