What your child learned in class

Words
Clothes: dress, socks, T-shirt, trousers, shorts, shoes, coat, hat, cardigan, tracksuit

Grammar
This is her/his T-shirt. Are these his socks?
Yes, they are. No, they aren’t.

Phonics
The alphabet (letter names and their sequence):
a b c d e f g h i j k l m n o p q r s t u v w x y z

Whose dress is that?
Talk about clothes. Get different clothes belonging to different people in the family (or ask your child to help sort out the washing).
Point to the clothes. Ask and answer questions about who they belong to, using Class Book pages 52 and 53 to help you. Remember to ask questions that are wrong. Use a name + ‘s.

Ask
Is this Rosy’s dress?
Are these her socks?
Are they yellow?

Child answers
Yes, it is.
No, they’re not.
Yes, they are. Rosy’s socks are yellow.

Your child can teach you the names of the clothes.

What are these in English?
They’re trousers.

Find out! What other clothes do you wear? What are they in English?
7 Are these his trousers?

Read and Act
Look at Class Book page 56. Read the story. Act out the story (parent and child). Can you change the words to include your child’s favourite clothes and colour? Read and act out the story again. Can you do it without looking? Find an audience (other members of the family) and put on a ‘show’.

The alphabet game
Print out the grid on the following page. Cut up the letters, spread them out on a table and mix them up. Ask your child to put the letters in the right order, saying the letter names as they do it. Look at Class Book page 55 and play the phonics song on the Student MultiROM (Track 26).
Keep the letters for use in Unit 15 and to play other alphabet games. E.g. Mix up the letters and share them among the players. Take it in turns to put down 1, 2, or 3 letters at a time. The person who puts down ‘z’ loses the game.

I can…

😊 I can name 6 items of clothes in English.
😊 I can talk about clothes with my family in English.
😊 I can remember the order of the alphabet.

Karaoke sing-along, stories and phonics practice at www.oup.com/elt/familyandfriends
**Materials for ‘The alphabet game’**

Print and cut up the letters

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