Sounds at the Park

Read a park story and notice the sounds of c and g.

2.LF.10.j "Decode and encode words with the hard and soft sounds of c and g, in context and in isolation."

NAME _____ DATE _____

1 READ AND MARK

Read it twice

YOUR JOB Underline words with a hard c sound, circle words with a soft c sound, write 1 above words with a hard g sound, and write 2 above words with a soft g sound.

Mia's Park Visit

1. On Saturday, Mia went to the park with her dad. A goat stood by a fence near a field. Mia held a cup of food. The goat took a bite, then gave a happy little hop.

2. Next, Mia saw a giant goose by a small pond. A gate kept it away from the path. Mia saw a duck swim past a green log. She watched its path until it hid in the reeds.

3. At lunch, Mia sat on the grass and ate a rice cake. A girl named Gina sat nearby with her family. Mia waved to Gina. They shared a silly dance before Mia and her dad went home.

2 ANSWER WITH EVIDENCE

Use the passage

1. In paragraph 1, write the word with a soft c sound and the word with a hard c sound.

2. In paragraph 2, write the word with a soft g sound and one word with a hard g sound.

3. In paragraph 3, write one word with a hard c sound and one word with a soft c sound.

3 YOUR TURN

Your own words

Write two sentences about a visit to a park. Use a word with a hard c sound and a word with a soft g sound, and underline both words.

ANSWER KEY

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PART 1 · READ AND MARK

Underline words with a hard c sound, circle words with a soft c sound, write 1 above words with a hard g sound, and write 2 above words with a soft g sound. Accept any marking that follows this job and points at the right text.

PART 2 · ANSWERS

#	QUESTION	ANSWER
1	In paragraph 1, write the word with a soft c sound and the word with a hard c sound.	**Soft c: fence. Hard c: cup.**
2	In paragraph 2, write the word with a soft g sound and one word with a hard g sound.	**Soft g: giant. Hard g: goose, gate, green, or log.**
3	In paragraph 3, write one word with a hard c sound and one word with a soft c sound.	**Hard c: cake. Soft c: rice or dance.**

PART 3 · YOUR TURN (SAMPLE ANSWER)

I visited a park and saw a crow near a tree. A gentle dog walked by me.

For the marking job, accept duck as a hard c word because its ck makes the /k/ sound. For Your Turn, check for two sentences about a park visit with a correctly underlined hard c word and soft g word.