

# Sequencing

## Try it out



Use the strategies you learnt and practised in *An exciting day* to work out the sequence.

- Make sure you understand which events you need to sequence.
- Find them in the text and underline them.
- Work out how they are related.
- Check all the possible answers before making a decision.

1. Which of these things should you do straight after you have used the pliers to twist the wire underneath the boat?

- (a) Mount the tube above the candles.
- (b) Wrap the wire under and around the boat.
- (c) Check the tube is directly above the candles.
- (d) Remove the cork from the tube.

The best answer is ☐.

### Think!

Find the part of the text where the pliers are used to twist the wire underneath the boat and read on.

2. Write the directions between the ones listed below. Make sure they are in the order in which they occurred.

- Remove the cork from the metal tube.
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- Check that the water can drip out the hole in the cork.

3. What is the first thing you should do after you have collected the materials needed for the rocket boat?

- (a) Poke a hole through the cork using the nail.
- (b) Push the cork into the open end of the metal tube.
- (c) Ask an adult to help you.
- (d) Check the cork fits tightly in the tube.

4. Explain what you should do between hammering the nails into the boat and mounting the tube above the candles.

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5. What should be done directly after the boat is placed in the water?

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