

Unit 1: Jobs and Occupations

Lesson 3: Reading

Read the following text about Fire.

Answer the questions that follow.

Fire keeps us warm and gives us light.



The sun is a giant fire far out in space.

We use fire to cook.

We use fire to keep us warm.

Fireworks make fire to entertain us.

But fire can be dangerous ...
That's why people are trained to be firefighters.
Firefighters put out fires all over the world.



UK

USA

Brazil

Kenya

India

China

Australia

Japan

Firefighters use jet skis to put out fires on small boats. Jet skis work in shallow water.



Big oil tanker fires need fire boats with powerful hoses.

Fires spread quickly through forests. Helicopters water-bomb forest fires.

Helicopters must fly in low.



The forests will grow again.

In the future, giant airships, robots and fast fire-cars might help to put out fires.



Water from airships could put out forest fires.

This robot could fight oil well fires.



This French fire-car might speed through the city streets.

Task 1. Complete the sentences by using words from the text.

1. The sun is a _____ fire out in space.
2. We light a fire to keep ourselves _____.
3. A person who is trained to fight fires is called a _____.
4. Jet skis are used to put out fires in _____ water.
5. In the future _____ could be used to put our forest fires.

Task 2. Join each picture to its caption.



A fire boat putting out a fire on a big oil tanker.



A modern fire-car which drives at highspeed.



Fire is used to keep us warm and cook our meals.



One interesting fact about fire is: