

### Dr Wow

1. What was the story? Retell it in your own words.

2. **Fill in the gaps** with the words below.

Uncle Harry invented an amazing \_\_\_\_\_ machine and invited Billy to travel in it. Billy was not sure about going because he thought it might be too \_\_\_\_\_. He thought of going to see the \_\_\_\_\_ being built, but he didn't have a date. Finally he decided to visit the French \_\_\_\_\_ and found himself in old Paris. Unfortunately, the crowd thought he was a \_\_\_\_\_, and he only just got away in time. Billy decided the past was too \_\_\_\_\_, so his next trip was to Melbourne in the future. The trams were transparent and \_\_\_\_\_ because they hovered. All the people wore hats with flashing green \_\_\_\_\_. Suddenly he was grabbed by a \_\_\_\_\_. The only good Billy had out of the machine was when he travelled back in time to fix up his \_\_\_\_\_ homework.

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pyramids	Revolution	scary	spy	time

3. The following sentences from the story have been **scrambled**. Can you put them back in the **right order**? You may need to add talking marks and a full stop.

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4. Read the sentences and answer **YES** or **NO**.

Harry invented things in the basement of Billy's house. \_\_\_\_\_

Harry's time machine was called the TARDIS. \_\_\_\_\_

The time machine had two buttons on the remote control unit. \_\_\_\_\_

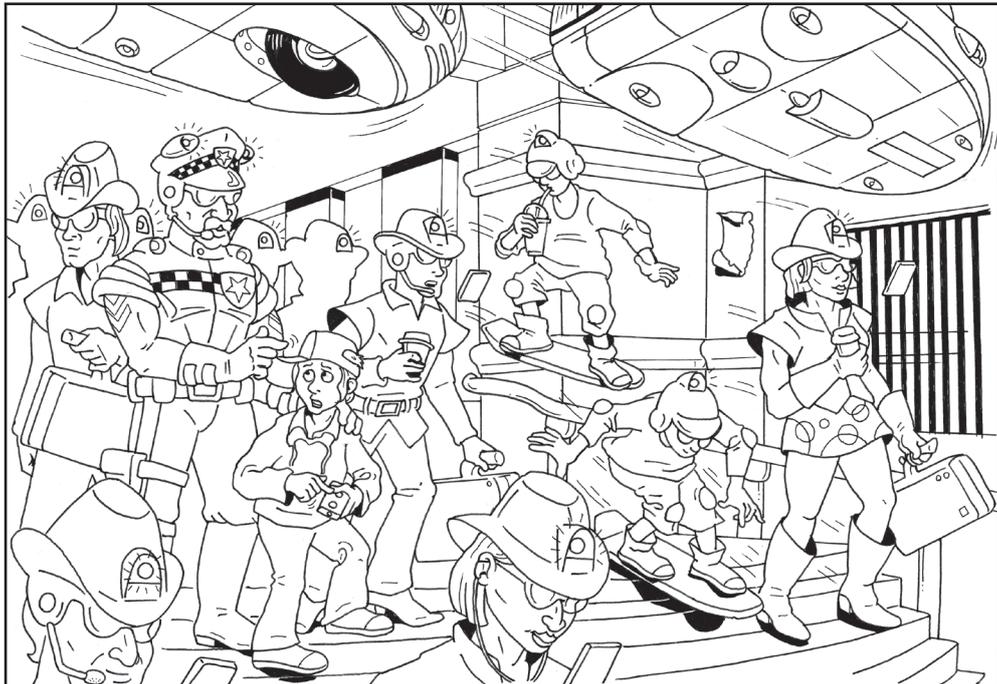
The Paris Billy saw was just what he would have expected. \_\_\_\_\_

In Paris Billy was thought to be a king. \_\_\_\_\_  
When Billy went to the Melbourne of the future, he was arrested. \_\_\_\_\_  
He was in trouble in the future because he had no job. \_\_\_\_\_  
Billy used the machine to go back and fix his homework. \_\_\_\_\_

**5. Verbs** are words that tell us about how people act, or what they do. For example in the sentence "Dad **was forced** to pay the fine" we understand that Dad had to **do** something (pay the fine). What do these verbs from the story mean?

- agree \_\_\_\_\_
- avoid \_\_\_\_\_
- disappear \_\_\_\_\_
- hover \_\_\_\_\_
- notice \_\_\_\_\_
- promise \_\_\_\_\_
- rescue \_\_\_\_\_
- select \_\_\_\_\_
- travel \_\_\_\_\_
- wonder \_\_\_\_\_

**6.** Here is a picture from the story. Write about what is **happening** in the picture?



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