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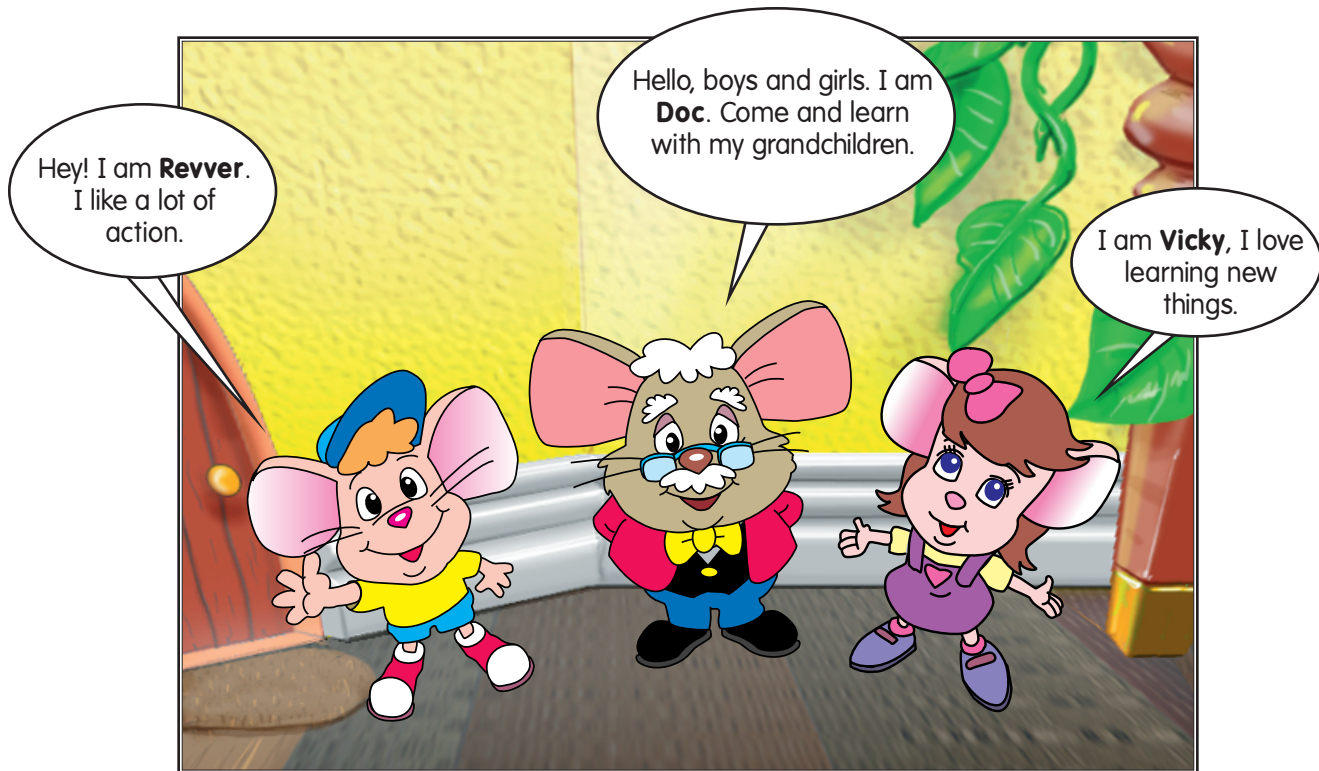
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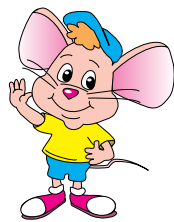
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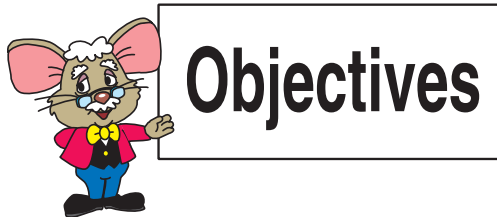
When you do actions with me, you will learn how to write, draw, match words, read, and much more.



You and I will learn about matching words, listening, drawing, and other fun things in your lessons.

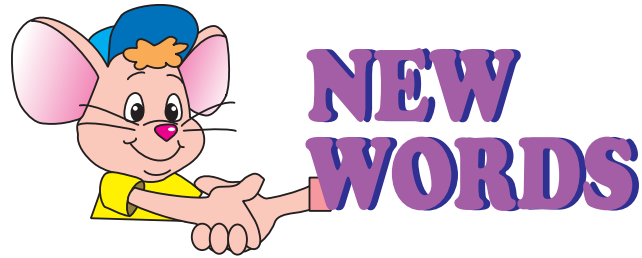
A FARMING COMMUNITY

This LIFEPAC® is about a wheat farm in Kansas. You will meet Judie and Paul who visit this farm. You will read about their trip around the state. You will learn about the early people who lived there. You will find out how a church helped a little boy. Before the visit is over, you will know much about the state of Kansas.



Read these objectives. They will tell you what you will be able to do when you have finished this LIFEPAC.

1. You will be able to tell how people raise wheat.
2. You will be able to name the six sections of Kansas and to tell in what way each one is special.
3. You will be able to tell how the early settlers lived.
4. You will be able to locate Kansas on the map.
5. You will be able to tell how a church helped a boy.
6. You will be able to locate the center of the parts of the United States that touch.



bale. To tie up in bundles.

capital (cap i tal). The city in which the work of a state is done.

chalk. A soft, white stone.

clay. Earth that can be shaped when wet.

coal. A hard, black substance that can burn.

collection (col lec tion). A group of things.

combine (com bine). A machine that cuts and threshes grain and other crops.

crutch. A support to help a person walk.

disk. A farm tool used to break up plowed ground.

elevator (el e va tor). A building for storing grain.

evaporate (e vap o rate). To remove the water from something.

geographical (ge o graph i cal). About the surface of a country.

grandparents (grand par ents). Both grandmother and grandfather.

grind. To crush into powder.

hail. Frozen drops of water.

harrow (har row). A farm tool used to smooth out plowed ground.

harvest (har vest). To gather the ripe grain.

hunch. A hump.

invasion (in va sion). An entering by force.

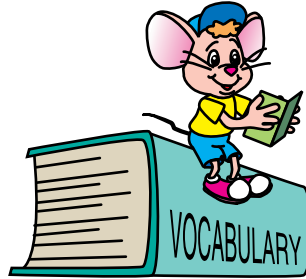
kirk. A Scottish word meaning church.

library (li brar y). A building with books to use.
mission (mis sion). A place where God's Word is told to people.
monster (mon ster). A large make-believe animal.
operation (op er a tion). The surgical repair made by a doctor.
petroglyph (pet ro glyph). A picture word found on a rock.
pew. A seat in a church.
pioneer (pi o neer). An early settler.
prairie (prair ie). A flat, grassy land.
preserve (pre serve). A place to keep animals safe.
President (pres i dent). The leader of a country.
range. Grassland used to feed cattle.
scroll. A roll of parchment or paper.
section (sec tion). A part of something.
shark. A large ocean fish.
silo (si lo). A tall round building in which green food for animals is stored.
sod. Earth and grass together.
strip mining (strip min ing). The digging of coal from the top of the ground.
successful (suc cess ful). Winning.
tablet (tab let). A flat piece of stone or clay used to write on.
thresh. To take the seeds off the grain stems.
wheat. A grain used for flour.

These words will appear in **boldface** (darker print) the first time they are used.

I. FLYING INTO KANSAS

Are you ready to travel along with Judie and Paul? They have been flying from Maine today. They are almost ready to land in Kansas. Fasten your seat belt!



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