

Lesson 35 Underline the correct form of *be* in each sentence.

1. I (am/are) so excited about visiting Grandma Esther in Georgia.
2. My family visits her every summer when school (is/are) finished.
3. During my last visit, a quilting bee (was/were) held at her house.
4. Grandma Esther's friends (was/were) at the bee.
5. They (was/were) all happy to see me and show me their quilts.
6. I (was/were) invited to drink lemonade and to watch the women quilt.
7. Grandma pointed to a yellow square that (was/were) at the center of her quilt.
8. She told me that it (was/were) from a dress that my mother wore when she was my age.
9. It (is/are) interesting to think about how long Grandma saved that dress.
10. This year, I (am/are) bringing scraps of material so I can start my own quilt.

Lesson 36 Underline the correct form of each verb in parentheses.

1. Many types of produce (grow/grows) in my uncle's garden.
2. Green bean vines (climb/climbs) up the back fence.
3. Two varieties of squash (thrive/thrives) in the corner.
4. Three rows of corn (grow/grows) as tall as my uncle.
5. Sometimes they (make/makes) a good hiding place when we play hide-and-seek.
6. Five big watermelons (rest/rests) on the ground.
7. A patch of wildflowers (brighten/brightens) the whole garden.
8. Shiny purple eggplants (glisten/glistens) in the sunlight.
9. Round heads of cabbage (grow/grows) next to the tomatoes.
10. Vegetables from the garden (taste/tastes) terrific!