

FOR SECOND GRADERS**ADONG AND HIS CARABAO**

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Adong is a little boy.
He is seven years old.
He has a big and strong carabao.
He is riding on the carabao's
back.

He is pasturing the carabao in
the field.

His carabao is eating grass.
Adong's father is plowing near
by.

Adong's father is very much
pleased.

He promises to buy Adong a
new pair of trousers for the
town fiesta.

Adong is very happy.

**QUESTIONS TO ANSWER**

1. How old is Adong?
2. What does he have?
3. What kind of carabao has

- Adong?
4. What is the carabao doing?
 5. Where is Adong's father?
 6. What is Adong's father doing?

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MATCHING SENTENCES

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Write the number of the sentence on the right before the number of the sentence on the left whose meaning means the same.

1. I am hungry.
2. Are you thirsty?
3. It is a pretty baby.
4. Ramona has a large house.
5. Let me borrow your book.
6. Pedro is stout.
7. She is very quiet in class.
8. Juan takes care of his dog.

1. That baby is lovely.
2. I want to eat.
3. Her house is big.
4. Please lend me your book.
5. Do you want to drink?
6. He is not thin.
7. He is kind to his pet.
8. She does not make noise.

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