# **NLG NEWS**

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Amusement parks are places that many people like to go in the summertime. These parks have lots of **fun** things to do!

There are many **rides**, or sometimes they are called **amusements**, and **games** that people can play! **Amusement parks** are a great place to go with **family** and **friends**. One

that is close to NLG is **Canobie Lake Park** in Salem, NH.



Some **rides** at amusement parks include: **roller coasters**, **a ferris wheel**, and **bumper cars**. Some rides go **fast** and others go **slow**. Since **amusement parks** are usually crowded, we may have to **wait in line** 



before it is our turn to ride.

If you are **afraid** of heights, or **don't like** to go fast on rides, there are other fun things to do, like play **games**! If you win a **game**, you might get a **prize**!

We can also have **snacks** at an **amusement park**, like **funnel cake** or **soft pretzels**. Be careful not to eat too much before getting on a **fast** ride, or you might feel sick!

There are lots of things for everyone to enjoy at an **amusement park!** 

Have you ever been to Canobie Lake or another amusement park?

## **Comprehension Mad Libs**

Use the News story to fill in the blanks to correctly answer the comprehension questions. If able, the member can also fill in the Mad Libs spots!

•	Amusement parks are a good place to go with a	and
	Who?	
•	is a kind of snack we can have at amusement park What?	<s.< td=""></s.<>
•	Some people may be afraid of which may decide rides they like.	the
•	An is somewhere we can go to ride rides or plan games Where?	У
•	Two rides we see at amusement parks are and what?	Ł
•	If you win a game, you could get a <sup>What?</sup>	

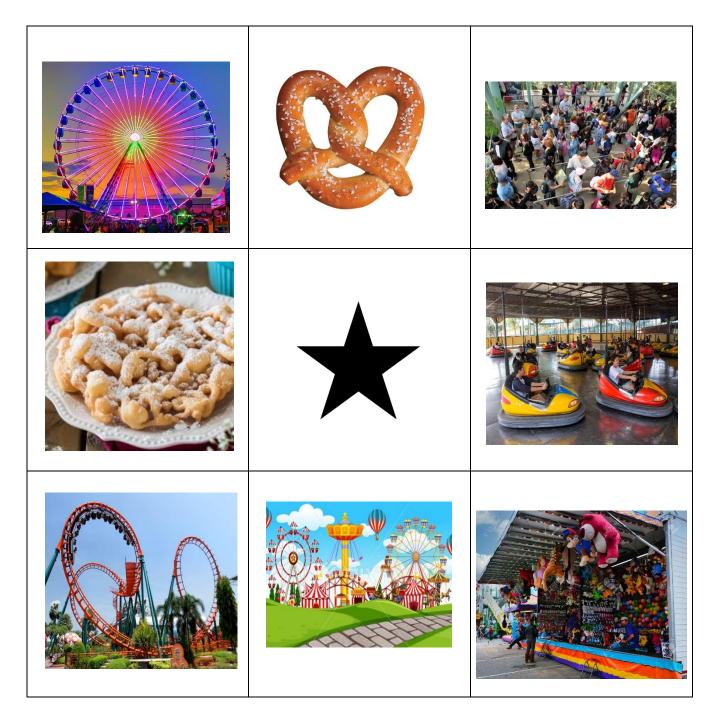
### Word Bank (use some of these terms to complete the red blanks):

Roller coasters	Prize	Family	Amusement
			Park
Heights	Friends	Ferris Wheel	Funnel cake

Amusement Park
Roller coaster
Ferris Wheel
Bumper Cars
Funnel cake
Soft pretzel
Games
Waiting in line

## It's not on the board

## **BINGO!**



# Categories

**Instructions**: Have each member draw a line to match the question with the corresponding picture. If drawing a line is difficult, feel free to encourage members to point to the corresponding picture.













## Things that are FAST

# Things that are SLOW

## Concepts

Activity: Discuss the pictures on the page and ask members to select the corresponding answers to the questions that explore basic concepts.



Which person is YOUNGER? 1 2

Do you think the ride is going FAST or SLOW?

How many kids do you see? 4 3 7



Do you think they're having fun? YES NO Are there A LOT or only a FEW colors of cups? What are they doing with the balls? Blowing Tossing Hitting

## **Answering Wh- Questions**

**Instructions**: Show a member the picture and talk about what you see. Ask them the corresponding whquestions, looking for an appropriate answer.



Who is screaming the loudest?\_\_\_\_\_

What are they doing?

Where are they?

When do we go to an amusement park?

How do they feel?

## What would you do?

**Directions**: State the problem and present both solutions verbally. Circle or select the solution that makes the most sense.

Problem	Solution 1	Solution 2
I don't want to wait in	Get upset and not wait	Wait patiently with others who
line for a ride I should		are waiting
I don't like heights	Ride it anyway	Play a game instead!
and am nervous to		
ride the roller coaster		
I should		
I feel sick after a ride	Rest and drink water	Keep riding the ride
I should		
I dropped my french	Eat them off the floor	Explain what happened, ask for new fries
fries on the ground I should		new fries

## **Conversation Starters:**

The staff can assist members in having a conversation about the topic. These questions are intended to initiate the conversation, please elaborate to support on topic responses.

#### Have you ever been to an amusement park? Which one?

### What did you do there? Who did you go with?

### Do you like roller coasters? What is your favorite ride?

Do you sometimes get afraid of heights?

Does your family like amusement parks?