

What would you see at a circus?



At a Circus you would see a giant tent called the **Big Top**. Inside you will find lots of seats facing the **Circus Ring**.



At a Circus you would see a **Ring Master**.

He wears a top hat and tells you who is going to perform next.



At a Circus you would see **Acrobats**. They perform from swings high up in the air. This can be very scary to watch.



At a Circus you would see **Clowns**. They are men and women dressed up. They do funny things and fall over a lot!



At a Circus you might see **Animals**.

Acrobats sometimes perform on the backs of galloping ponies.



At a Circus you might see a **Human Cannonball**. This is a man who is fired from a cannon and lands in a net.

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Section A

Circle the best word to match the writing.

Inside the Big Top are lots of seats facing the

1 **circle.** **middle.** **ring.** **show.**

The ring master wears a

2 **scarf.** **cloak.** **top hat.** **flat cap.**

He tells you who is going to

3 **appear.** **perform.** **sing.** **dance.**

It can be very scary to watch the

4 **acrobats.** **clowns.** **animals.**

The Human Cannonball is fired from a

5 **gun** **cannon** **spring** **catapult**

and lands in a net.

Section B

1. The acrobats perform from high...

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slides

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roundabouts

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swings

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see-saws

2. Clowns try to make people...

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cry

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weep

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sleep

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laugh

3. Acrobats sometimes perform on the backs of...

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tigers

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ponies

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seals

4. What is a 'Big Top'?

Section C

Write or draw about a 'Big Top'.