



## The adventures of Tom Sawyer Mark Twain

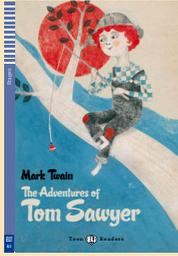
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### Activity

**There are some grammar mistakes in this section.  
Find them and correct them.**

All the people in the courtroom didn't whisper (*were whispering*). "Tom Sawyer was there! He saw what will happen!"

And Tom told the whole story. He was telling everyone about the shoe. But he told them not about Huck. Then he told them about the knife. And he told them about Injun Joe. Injun Joe looked at Tom. His face was hard and scary. Suddenly, Injun Joe will jump up. "I haven't listened to any more of this. I have you, Tom Sawyer! I'll have you!"



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### TEST YOURSELF!

#### Are these sentences True or False?

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0 Tom tells his friends it is fun to paint a fence.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
1 Tom and his friends have fun when they fight each other.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2 Becky doesn't like Tom at first.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3 Huckleberry Finn goes to school with Tom.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4 Tom knew that Injun Joe was the murderer but was too scared to say anything.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5 Tom, Joe and Huck run away. Everyone is pleased that they are dead.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6 Tom helps Injun Joe to hurt Mrs Douglas.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>



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## KEY (KET) – Speaking

**Work in pairs. You are going on a camping trip with your friends. Decide together what you need to take. Use the prompts to help you.**

food  
water  
tent  
camp  
fishing pole  
boat  
map

- what / take?
- where / go?
- what / do to have fun?
- what / do if there is a problem?



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### Focus on...

## MARK TWAIN'S PEN NAMES

Born as Samuel Langhorne Clemens, Mark Twain used various pen names before deciding on that we know today. He signed humorous and imaginative sketches as “Josh” until 1863. Besides, he used the pen name “Thomas Jefferson Snodgrass” for a series of comical letters.

He claimed that his first pen name came from his years working on Mississippi riverboats, where two fathoms (a depth indicating safe water for passage of boat) was measured. Twain is an old term for “two”. The riverboat men’s cry was “mark twain” standing for “according to the mark [on the line], [the depth is] two [fathoms]”.

Twain asserted that his famous pen name was partially copied by from Captain Isiah Sellers who used to sign the information about the Mississippi River as “MARK TWAIN”.

