The Big Bus

Grade 1 reading · sight word passage

Name _____ **Date** _____



Look! Here is the bus.

The bus is big and yellow.

"Come and see the bus," said Mom.

"We can go on the bus."

"You can come too, Rex!"

We can see the bus and we are glad.

Find each word in the story. Write how many times you see it.

the	and	can	come
how many?	how many?	how many?	how many?

Circle the answer.

1. What colour is the bus?

   red yellow blue

2. Who said "Come and see the bus"?

   Rex Mom the bus

Write your own sentence using the word come.

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The Big Bus — Answer Key

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1. Counts: **the = 5**, **and = 3**, **can = 3**, **come = 2**.
2. Circle 1: **yellow**
3. Circle 2: **Mom**
4. Write: any sentence using *come*. Spelling elsewhere in the sentence does not matter; the target word should be right.

> The four target words are among the most common in English, so a child who recognises them on sight reads everything else faster. Counting them matters less than noticing them: if a child finds four of the five "the"s, that is a win worth saying out loud.