Sequence

Directions: Read the story. Then read each question about the story. Choose the best answer to the question. Mark the space for the answer you have chosen.

Galaxy One Takes Off

Cody and Nathan wanted to build a spaceship, so they read about what spaceships look like.

First, they gathered cardboard boxes. Then they got tape, scissors, and string. They tied the boxes together with string. They cut holes for windows. Cody's dad gave them wires and switches to make the engine. They decided to name their spaceship the *Galaxy One*.

Soon it was time to try out the spaceship. Suddenly, Cody's dad heard an engine roar and smelled some smoke. All he saw was a hole in the ground. He looked up to the sky. *Galaxy One* was rising high above the treetops! He thought he was dreaming.

- 1. Before they made the spaceship, Cody and Nathan
 - cut holes in the boxes.
 - named the spaceship.
 - found an engine for the spaceship.
 - read about spaceships.

- 2. The first thing the boys did when they built the spaceship was to
 - paint a name on the spaceship.
 - find cardboard boxes.
 - decide on a name for the spaceship.
 - cut holes for the windows.
- 3. The boys used the scissors to
 - make the engine.
 - paint the name on the spaceship.
 - tie the boxes together.
 - cut holes for the windows.
- **4.** After Cody's dad saw a hole in the ground, he
 - looked up to the sky.
 - gave the boys some wires and switches.
 - heard the engine roar.
 - smelled some smoke.
- **5.** Which two clue words in the second paragraph help show the sequence of events?
 - got, cut
 - first, decided
 - then, cut
 - first, then



Notes for Home: Your child read a story and answered questions about the order in which things happened. *Home Activity:* Help your child write the order of steps taken to make a favorite sandwich or snack. Then talk about the why doing each step in order is important.