

The Tent

Story By: Andrew Frinkle

Bobby got a tent for his birthday.
He wanted to set it up.
He had never put up a tent before.
There were a lot of steps to do it right.

First, he unpacked it.
Second, he unrolled the tent.
Third, he stretched out the tent.
It didn't look like much yet.
It was still flat.

Fourth, he put the poles together.
Fifth, he put the poles along the outside of the tent.
The tent was standing up now!

Sixth, he pounded in the stakes.
Seventh, he tied the lines to the stakes.
Now it would not move.

Eighth, he put the rain cover over the top.
Ninth, he unzipped the door.
Tenth, he sat down in his tent.
He was done and could enjoy his tent.



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 - D. summer time

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 - B. eight
 - C. nine
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