

Read & Solve

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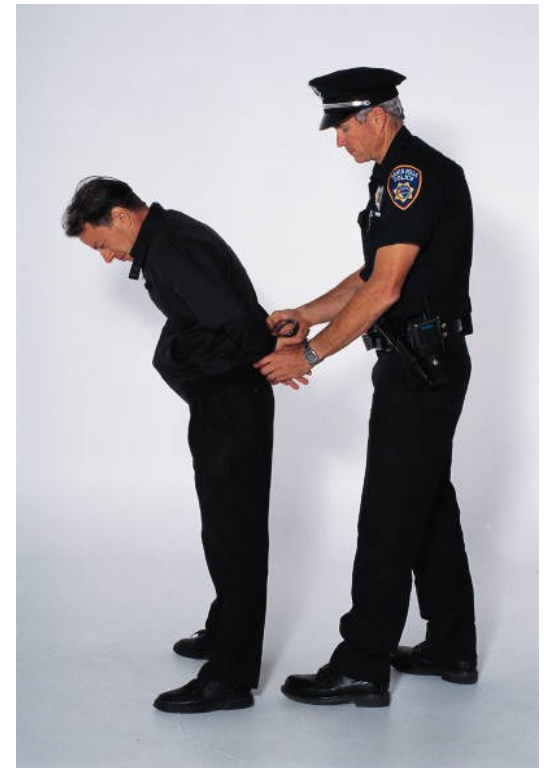
Read the passage to your child about a Fire Fighter and Police Officer. Then, help build your child's comprehension skills by reading the questions and having them tell you the answers on the next page.

Passage to read to child:



This is a fire fighter. He puts out fires. He helps save people from fires. He wears a fire suit and drives a big, red fire truck. He uses a water hose to spray water on the fire to put it out. Fire fighters are heroes.

This is a police officer. He helps people. He protects us from bad guys. We have to obey the laws. If we do not obey the laws, the police officers will correct us and may give us a ticket. Police officers carry weapons, hand cuffs, and a flash light to protect themselves. They drive a police car with sirens. Police officers are good guys that keep us safe from harmful situations.



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Looking at the picture and referring back to the passage you just read, help your child answer the following comprehension questions. This activity is to prepare your child for Kindergarten and reading.

Questions to ask to child:



- What is this a picture of?
- What does a fire fighter do for us?
- Name one way the fire fighter helps us?
- Can you tell me what a fire truck sounds like?
- What does the fire fighter use to put out fires?



- What is this a picture of?
- How do police officers help us?
- Name one item that a police officer carries with him to help keep him safe?
- What does the police officer drive?
- Why do we need police officers?