



## MILK

### The Milk Trip

Today is a special day! Our class is going on a **school trip**. We are visiting a **dairy farm**. Many kids in our class have never seen a real cow! I am so excited. Our teacher says we will learn about **milk**.

We arrive at the farm. It is a big, green place. We see many cows in the **field**. They are eating grass. The farmer, Mr. Brown, meets us. He has a friendly smile. He says, "Welcome to our farm!"

First, Mr. Brown takes us to a big building. This is where they **milk** the cows. We see many cows standing in lines. They have big, full **udders**. Mr. Brown shows us the milking machines. They are gentle and quiet. The machines take the milk from the cows. The milk goes through clear tubes. It looks so white and fresh!

After milking, the milk goes into a very big, cold **tank**. This tank keeps the milk fresh. A big truck comes to the farm. It has a special cold tank on its back. The truck **collects** the milk from the farm tank. The milk is now ready for its journey!

The truck takes the milk to a **factory**. At the factory, the milk is cleaned and made safe to drink. This is called **pasteurization**. Then, machines put the milk into **bottles** or cartons. Now the milk is ready for people to buy.

From the factory, the milk goes to the **supermarket**. We see the milk in the big, cold fridge at the store. Mom always buys milk here. We take it home. Then we drink it with our breakfast or in our cereal. This is "From Farm to Table!"

I learned so much today. Milk is not just from the supermarket. It comes from happy cows on a farm. It takes a journey to get to our table. Milk is amazing!

### Part 1: Put the Events in Order!

Read the sentences below. They are not in the correct order.

Write the numbers **1 to 8** to show the correct order of events from the story.

- \_\_\_ A big truck collects the milk from the farm.
- \_\_\_ Our class visits a dairy farm.
- \_\_\_ Machines put the milk into bottles.
- \_\_\_ The class learns about milk.
- \_\_\_ The milk goes to a factory.
- \_\_\_ The milk goes into a big, cold tank.
- \_\_\_ People buy milk at the supermarket.
- \_\_\_ Mr. Brown shows the milking machines.



## Teacher's Key

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2. The class learns about milk.
3. Mr. Brown shows the milking machines.
4. The milk goes into a big, cold tank.
5. A big truck collects the milk from the farm.
6. The milk goes to a factory.
7. Machines put the milk into bottles.
8. People buy milk at the supermarket.