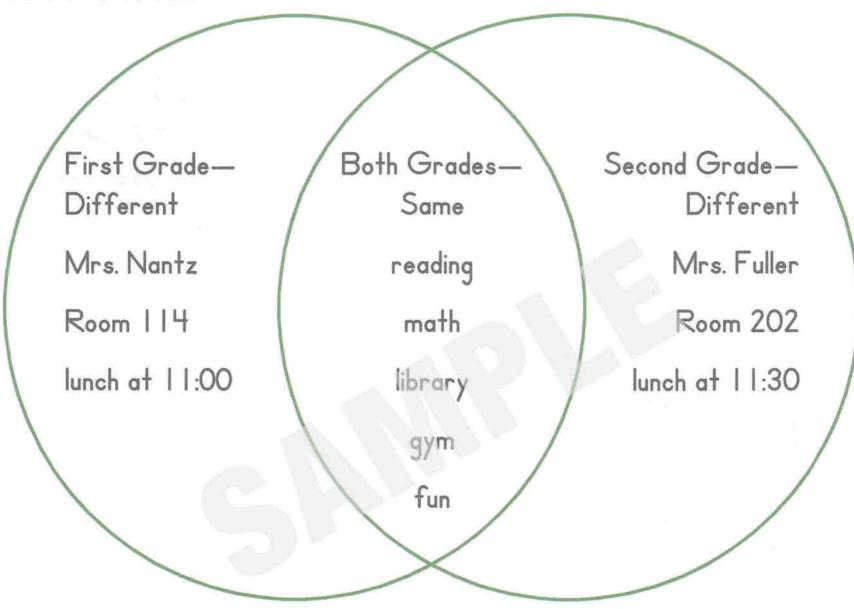
Lesson 5 Alike and Different

Cayla is in second grade. In some ways, second grade is the same as first grade. In other ways, it is different. Cayla drew a chart and wrote down her ideas.



After she made her chart, Cayla wrote some sentences about first and second grade.

In first grade, I had Mrs. Nantz in Room 114.

Now, I have Mrs. Fuller in Room 202.

This year, lunch is later than last year.

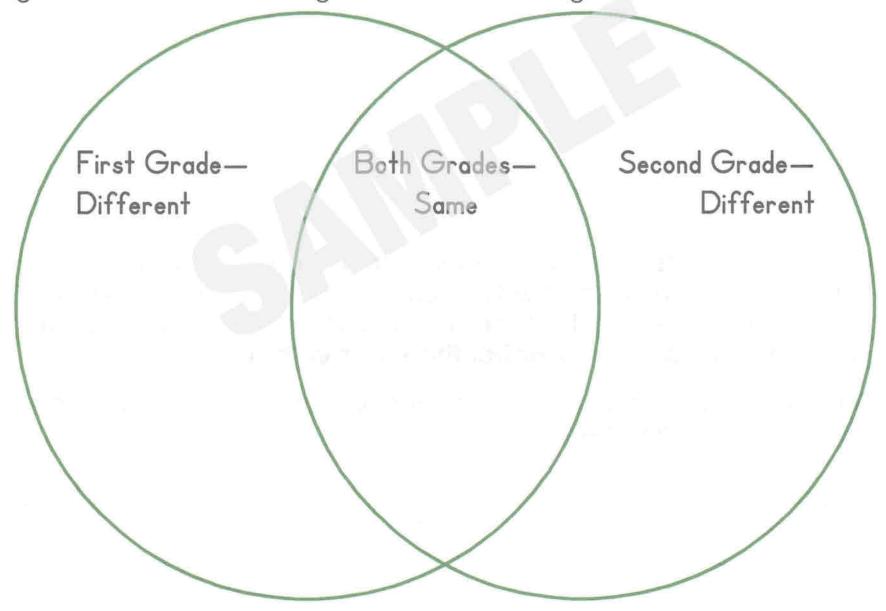
Most of the classes are the same.

First grade was fun and so is second grade.

Lesson 5 Alike and Different

Think back to last year. What did you do in first grade? What did you learn? Write down everything you can remember.

Now, think about what is happening in second grade. How is second grade different from first grade? How are the grades the same?



Ask a friend who is your age to think about first and second grade. Does he or she have another idea to add?

Lesson 5 Alike and Different

Now, write some sentences that compare first grade and second grade. Use the ideas you wrote in the chart on page 55. Look at your sentences again. Does each one begin with a capital letter? Does each one end with a period? Did you use good words to describe how something looked, sounded, or felt? Did you use any comparing words, such as better than or later than? Ask a friend or adult to read your sentences and ask you a question. Answer the question here.