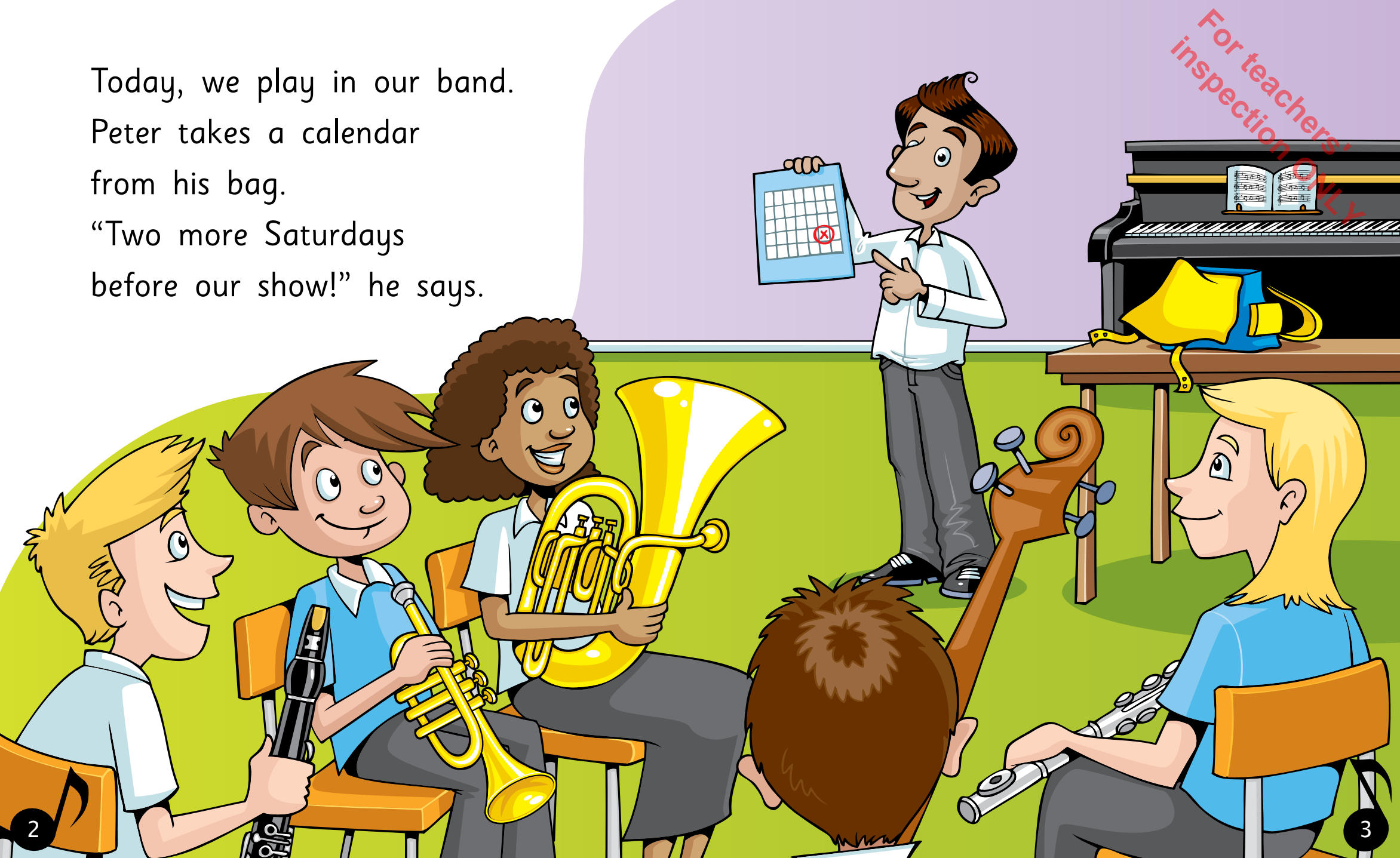
Counting Down



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Today, we play in our band.
Peter takes a calendar
from his bag.
"Two more Saturdays
before our show!" he says.



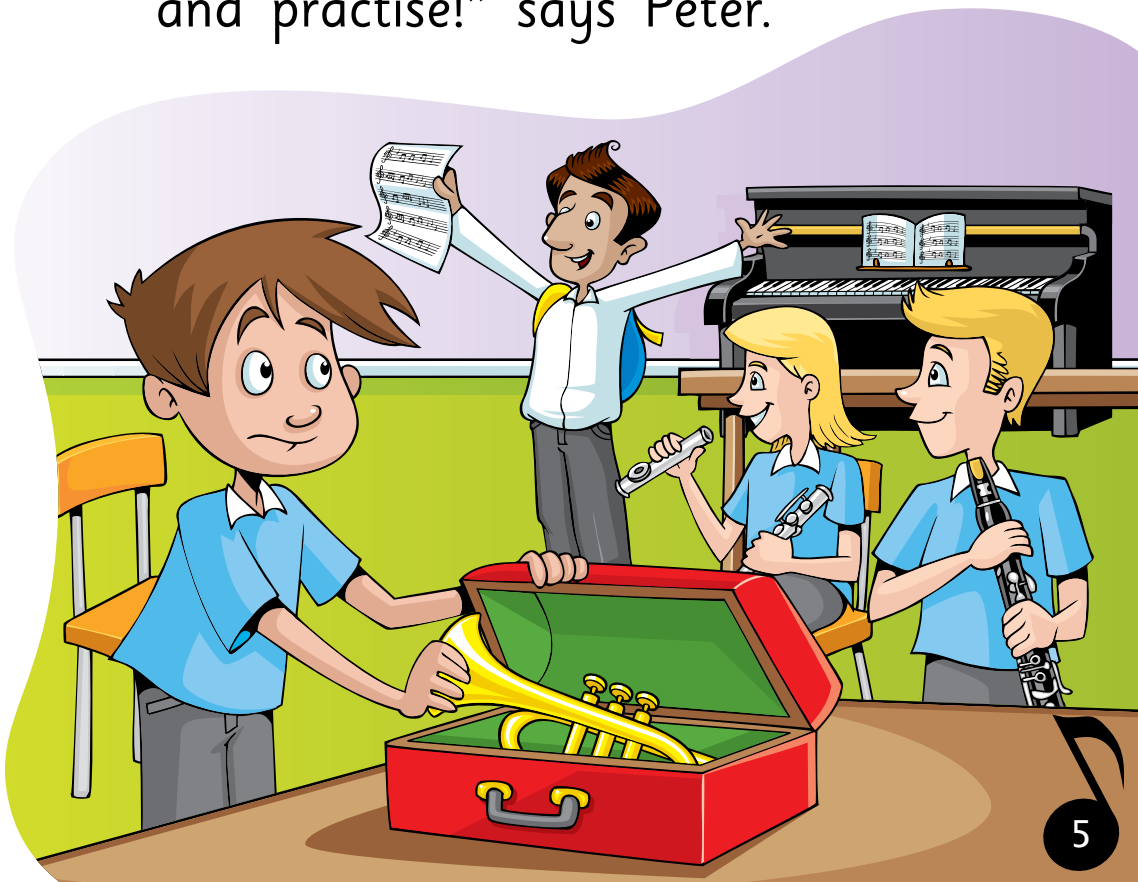
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Next Saturday, Peter taps me on the shoulder.
"Marcus, you can play a solo in our show," he says.



Today is the final Saturday before the show.
We play all our songs.

"Take your music home and practise!" says Peter.



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Today is Sunday.
I take my trumpet to my room.
"Barp-barp-be-barp!"

The cat jumps out the window.



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