

# SC-Alt 2019

## Cognitive Lab

### Item Scripts

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Literature: Below Form (The Shopping Trip)

**Stimulus:**

Mom and Joey went to the store to buy some milk.

**Item 1:**

Who went with Mom?

**Options:**

A. Dad

B. Joey

**Item 2:** Where did they go?

**Options:**

A. to the store

B. to the park

**Item 3:**

What did they want to buy?

**Options:**

A. juice

B. milk

C. soup

## Literature: Low Form (The Shopping Trip)

### Stimulus:

Joey had cereal for breakfast. His mom poured the last of the milk on his cereal. After breakfast, Mom and Joey went to the store to buy more milk.

### Item 1:

Who went with Mom?

#### Options:

- A. Dad
- B. Joey

### Item 2:

Where did they go?

#### Options:

- A. to the store
- B. to the park

### Item 3:

Why did they buy more milk?

#### Options:

- A. Joey had finished the milk at breakfast.
- B. Joey liked to go to the store.
- C. Joey wanted to eat cereal for lunch.

### Item 4:

Why did they use up all the milk?

#### Options:

- A. Mom gave it to the cat.
- B. Mom spilled it on the table.
- C. Mom poured it on Joey's cereal.

## Literature: Approaching Form (The Shopping Trip)

### Stimulus:

Joey had cereal for breakfast. His mom poured the last of the milk on his cereal. Mom threw out the empty milk container.

After breakfast, Mom told Joey that they would have to go to the store to buy more milk. Next, Mom checked to see if she had enough money in her purse. Then, Mom got out the car keys.

### Item 1:

Who went with Mom?

#### Options:

- A. Dad
- B. Joey

### Item 2:

Where did they go?

#### Options:

- A. to the store
- B. to the park

### Item 3:

Why did they buy more milk?

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- C. Mom poured it on Joey's cereal.

**Item 5:**

What did Mom do first after breakfast?

**Options:**

- A. She told Joey they had to go to the store.
- B. She got the car keys out of her purse.
- C. She checked to make sure she had money.

**Item 6:**

What did Mom do after she made sure she had money?

**Options:**

- A. She gave Joey cereal for breakfast.
- B. She got the car keys out of her purse.
- C. She threw out the empty milk container.

## Literature: Meets Form (The Shopping Trip)

### Stimulus:

“What do you want for breakfast, Joey?” asked Mom. “Cereal,” said Joey. Mom poured the last of the milk on Joey’s cereal. “Uh-oh!” said Mom. “Now we don’t have any more milk. We will have to go to the store to buy some more.”

After breakfast, Mom checked to see if she had enough money in her purse and then she got out the car keys. “Let’s go,” said Mom. Mom helped Joey into his car seat and then Mom got into the car. Off they went to the store.

At the store, Joey pointed to the sign that said “MILK.” “Mmmm, milk,” said Joey. Mom bought some milk. Soon, Mom and Joey were on their way home with the milk. “I am having cereal and milk for breakfast tomorrow!” said Joey.

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Who went with Mom?

#### Options:

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**Item 7:**

What did Mom do before she got into the car?

**Options:**

- A. She paid for the milk at the store.
- B. She told Joey to find the milk.
- C. She put Joey into his car seat.

**Item 8:**

How did Mom feel when she said “Uh-oh!”?

**Options:**

- A. sad because there was no more milk
- B. angry because she used up all the milk
- C. glad because they would have to go out

**Item 9:**

How did Joey feel at the end of the story?

**Options:**

- A. sad
- B. tired
- C. happy



Info: Below Form (Water)

**Stimulus:**

Water is important to all of us. We drink water. We wash with water. We cook with water. And in the summer when it is hot, we even play and swim in water!

**Item 1:**

What is important to all of us?

**Options:**

A. summer

B. water

**Item 2:**

Why is water important?

**Options:**

A. We use it for many things.

B. We must look carefully to find it.

**Item 3:**

What can we do with water?

**Options:**

A. read

B. wash

## Info: Approaching Form (Water)

### **Stimulus:**

Water is important to all of us. We drink water. We wash with water. We cook with water. And in the summer when it is hot, we even play and swim in water to cool off! We use water every day. Even our pets and our plants need water. We give our pets water to drink every day. We give our plants water when the soil they are in is dry.

### **Item 1:**

What is the text about?

#### **Options:**

- A. why water is important
- B. things to do in the summer
- C. how to take care of our pets

### **Item 2:**

What fun thing can we do in water in the summer?

#### **Options:**

- A. wash
- B. swim
- C. cook

**Item 3:** What needs water?

#### **Options:**

- A. our toys
- B. our books
- C. our plants

## Info: Meets Form (Water)

### Stimulus:

Water is important to all of us. We drink water. We wash with water. We cook with water. And in the summer when it is hot, we even play and swim in water to cool off! We use water every day. Our pets and our plants need water too. We give our pets water to drink every day. We give our plants water when the soil they are in is dry.

Because we use water every day, we need a lot of water. Where can we find water? We find water in our houses and in school when we turn on the faucet. But where else can we find water? We can find water in lakes, rivers, and streams. We can also find water in the ocean and in bays, but we cannot drink the water from the ocean or from bays. The water there is salty, and we can only drink freshwater. Freshwater is water that does not have salt in it.

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- C. how to take care of our pets

### Item 2:

What fun thing can we do in water in the summer?

#### Options:

- A. wash
- B. swim
- C. cook

### Item 3:

What needs water?

#### Options:

- A. our toys
- B. our books
- C. our plants

**Item 4:**

Where is one place where we can find fresh water?

**Options:**

- A. a bay
- B. a river
- C. an ocean

**Item 5:**

Where does the water come from that we use every day?

**Options:**

- A. a lake
- B. a faucet
- C. an ocean

