



SMART JUNIORS 3

My School Life: A Journey Through
Knowledge and Discovery

Lesson 27
Read for Detail



- Listen and review the article we learned last time.

▶ My School Life: A Journey Through Knowledge and Discovery

The school doors swung open, and I felt a rush of excitement. This was my chance to explore and learn new things! Welcome to my school journey.



LISTEN AND REVIEW

▶ School was more than just a place to learn. It was a treasure full of opportunities, a place where I could unlock the **mysteries** of the world around me. Math became a fascinating puzzle, science was a place of endless possibilities, and history was a collection of captivating stories. The teachers made every lesson exciting and fun.



▶ Beyond the classroom, school offered lots of **extracurricular** activities that allowed me to explore my interests and passions. From sports teams to drama clubs, there was something for everyone. It was in these activities that I found my love for music and performing, which not only nurtured my creativity but also boosted my confidence.

LISTEN AND REVIEW



▶ Of course, school wasn't without its challenges. There were tests that made my palms sweat and projects that seemed impossible. Yet, every **hurdle** was an opportunity for growth and self-discovery. And through it all, I had the support of my friends, who were there to share in the successes and the failures.

▶ As I **approach** graduation, I can't help but look back on my school journey with **gratitude**. It was a time of learning, making lifelong friendships, and creating **cherished** memories. As I prepare for the next chapter, I'm excited and ready, thanks to my school journey. Cheers to my school life!



- **Read paragraph 1 and answer:**

What does the underlined sentence mean?

- A** the beginning of a new and exciting chapter in the writer's educational journey
- B** the typical school routine of a student
- C** the writer's fast-paced school life

Paragraph 1

The school doors swung open, and I felt a rush of excitement. This was my chance to explore and learn new things! Welcome to my school journey.

- **Read paragraph 2 and complete the statements below.**

1. _____ was like an exciting puzzle.
2. Science was _____.
3. _____ was filled with engaging stories.

Paragraph 2

School was more than just a place to learn. It was a treasure full of opportunities, a place where I could unlock the mysteries of the world around me. Math became a fascinating puzzle, science was a place of endless possibilities, and history was a collection of captivating stories. The teachers made every lesson exciting and fun.

- **Read paragraph 3 and tell whether the statements are True or False.**

- _____ 1. The author found school activities that interested her.
- _____ 2. School offered a limited number of extracurricular activities.
- _____ 3. The author's love for music and performing developed after she graduated.

Paragraph 3

Beyond the classroom, school offered lots of extracurricular activities that allowed me to explore my interests and passions. From sports teams to drama clubs, there was something for everyone. It was in these activities that I found my love for music and performing, which not only nurtured my creativity but also boosted my confidence.

READ BETWEEN THE LINES

Paragraph 4

As I approach graduation, I can't help but look back _____¹_____.

It was a time of learning, making lifelong friendships, _____²_____.

As I prepare for the next chapter, _____³_____. Cheers to my school life!

Three phrases have been removed from paragraph 4. Choose the correct phrase to fill in each gap.

A and creating cherished memories.

B I'm excited and ready, thanks to my school journey.

C school offered more than just learning

D on my school journey with gratitude.

READ FOR DETAIL

Useful Expressions

School **was more than just** a place to learn. **It was** a treasure full of opportunities, ...

Let me try!

_____ is
more than just _____.
It is _____.

Useful Expressions

Beyond the classroom, school **offered** lots of extracurricular activities that allowed me to explore my interests and passions.

Let me try!

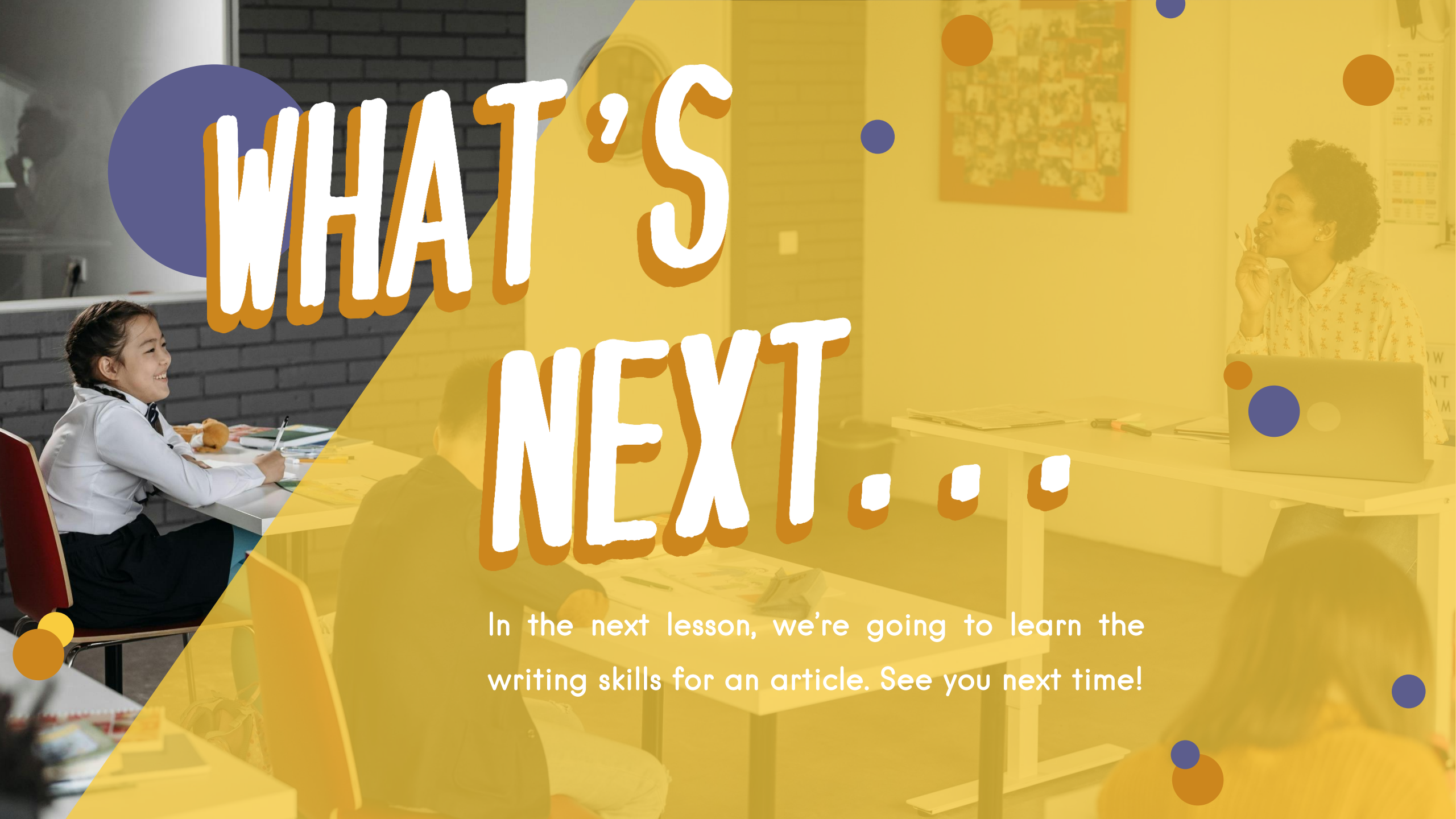
Beyond _____,
_____ offers _____.
_____.



- **Complete the summary of the article.**

This article provides a reflection on the author's **jo**_____ through school. It describes how she formed friendships, discovered new subjects, and found her passion through **extra**_____ activities. The article mentions the **chal**_____ the writer faced, like tests and projects, but emphasizes how those **hur**_____ led to growth. It ends with a sense of **gra**_____ for the overall school experience and excitement for the next chapter.





WHAT'S NEXT...

In the next lesson, we're going to learn the writing skills for an article. See you next time!