



S Cambridge YLE: Starters Reading & Writing

1 1 boy, 2 ball, 3 banana, 4 bird, 5 boat, 6 branches, 7 bite, 8 baby, 9 behind, 10 birthday

2 *Possible answers:*

The old man and woman live by the river.
Children come and play in the river.
The old woman sees a peach in the river.
She is washing clothes in the river.
The old man is in the kitchen.
The baby is in the peach.
The ogres live in the castle / on the island.
Momotaro walks to the mountain.
There is a monkey in a tree.
The friends go across the sea.
The bird flies in front of the boat.
Momotaro and his friends wait behind a rock.
The bird makes a noise and flies in the sky.
Momotaro and his friends jump on the ogres.
The ogres run out of the castle.
The ogres fall into the sea.
The king falls to his knees in front of Momotaro.
The treasure is in the castle.

3 *Students' own answers.*

4 A sad, B big, strong, C old, D bad, E long, F loud, G happy

5 A mountain, B forest, C river, D branch, E tree, F creeper, G island, H sea

6 A 6, B 15, C 7, D 1, E 13, F 14, G 8, H 11, I 4, J 2, K 3, L 9, M 12, N 5, O 16, P 10

7 *Pupil's answers will vary. Some possible answers are:*

A Where does the old woman live?
see a peach?
find the baby?
wash the clothes?



- B** What does Momotaro want to fight?
take with him?
take to the mountain?
eat?
say to the dog?
- C** Who are Momotaro's friends?
does Momotaro see on the mountain? / in the forest? /in the tree?
finds branches? finds long creepers?
flies in front of the boat?
limbs the fence? / bites a hole in the fence?
makes a loud noise? / falls into the sea?
gives Momotaro a key? hugs Momotaro?
- D** What does the old woman give Momotaro? / does Momotaro eat?
do the friends make?
do the friends wait behind?
does the bird do? / do the ogres do?
does the king give Momotaro?