Busy Blend Read Answer Key

- 1. Blake and Clara
- 2. She loved to slide.
- 3. They built a block tower.
- 4. A brown dog walked by them.
- 5. They cleaned up the trash and clapped before lining up.

Teacher's Guide

- Before reading, review the underlined beginning blends and have students practice decoding a few example words such as climb, block, slide, and clap.
- For developing readers, consider a guided read where you pause after each sentence and ask them to identify the blend words.
- To challenge advanced students, have them highlight two additional blend words in the story and explain what they mean.
- Increase engagement by allowing students to draw the playground scene from the story using at least four blend words as labels.

