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WORD BITES – THE BIRTHDAY PARTY

Ask your family for the following types of words and write them down. Then fill in the blanks of the story with these words and read it out loud.

noun _____	number _____
noun _____	noun _____
adjective _____	noun _____
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verb ending in "ing" _____	adjective _____

It was Matthew's fourteenth birthday party. He was very excited for his _____ to start. Ten friends were to come over for dinner and a _____ .

They were also supposed to have cake, but his mom had just dropped her _____ birthday cake all over the _____. The dog was now _____ it.

The party was supposed to start in _____ minutes, so his mom went out to the bakery to buy another cake. Then his father got out the _____ to try to clean up the mess.

Matthew's sister, Heather, sat on the _____ watching TV, not paying any attention to all the chaos.

Just before the guests arrived, his mom came home with a _____ cake. The dog sniffed at the new cake, but it was safely out of reach.

When the kids came, they never knew how _____ it had been in the house before they arrived.