

Birches First School

Believe, Grow, Succeed

School Closure Home Learning

Year 3 Daily Tasks

Date: 30.4.20

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1	Huan buys a hot chocolate for £2 and 60 ₁ . He pays with a £5 note. How much change does he get?	£ and p	 Dani buys a milkshake. She pays with a £5 note. She gets £2 and 60p change. How much did the milkshake cost? £ and p
.	A train ticket costs £3 and 60p. A bus ticket costs £2 and 85p. Mr Khan buys a train and a bus ticket. He pays with a £10 note. How much change does he get?	and p	Annie buys some crayons. She pays with this money. She gets this change. Has Annie been given the correct amount of change? Explain your answer.

English

Setting description





Choose your own story setting from a traditional tale (For example a castle or a swamp) and write a setting description for your place. Similar to yesterday try and include your expanded noun phrases and conjunctions in your writing and try to make sure your writing is as neat as it can be.

Example:

The smoky clouds slowly seeped between the old, gnarly trees. The knotted trunks housed vicious creatures that loved to attack lost travellers in the bogs. The trees' twisted fingers dipped into the murky, black water whilst flies buzzed around the oozing slime on the water's surface. The sun never shone onto the swamp, meaning that the trees dead branches jutted into the sky like spikes. The leaves had all gone brown and dies years ago, meaning the only greenery around was the mould slowly creeping up the trees' bark. The dirty water hid dangerous monsters, many of which have never been seen outside of the secretive swamp.

Reading

Read the non-fiction fact file on India and answer the questions at the end.

India

India is a country in the continent of Asia. It is home to the Himalayan Mountains, the highest mountain range in the world. It is also home to the world's second largest population.

Food

Nobody in India eats beef because cows are seen as sacred animals. In fact, many people are vegetarian. People use their fingers, rather than cutlery, to eat their food. Look at these rules to find out more about eating in India.

- It is considered impolite if the food reaches past the first joint of the finger when eating.
- The fingers should not touch the mouth whilst food is being eaten.
- Only the right hand should be used when eating.

Many people in northern India eat chapatis with their meal. These are flat pieces of bread used to soak up or scoop food. Lentils, fish and coconut milk are used in many meals all over India. Meals often use many delicious spices to add flavour to food.



Wildlife

One of the world's rarest animals lives in the Indian Himalayas. The snow leopard can be found in its mountains, in very cold conditions. Their thick fur acts like a winter coat whilst its huge paws behave like snow shoes. The most likely prey for these speedy and powerful animals comes in the form of birds, hares, goats and sheep. When they stray into farms, hunting for prey, they risk being killed by local people. This, as well as other factors, has led to dramatically reduced numbers of the big cats in the wild.



The People and Their Religions

More than a billion people live in India. The population continues to grow at a rapid rate, which makes some worry about how the country will manage to feed its people. This means that growing crops and looking after animals is very important to the future of the country.

Many people in India have religious beliefs. The two main religions in India are Hinduism and Islam, although there are other religions in the country.

Land

India has a varied landscape. From deserts and jungles to coasts and cities, India can grow many different crops whilst providing ideal habitats for a range of rare animals. The country is prone to cyclones, heavy rains, floods and other types of extreme weather conditions such as monsoons. This is a big problem because so much of the country relies on farming the land, which can be destroyed in these weathers.

Glossary

Population - the people who live in a place

Lakshmi - Hindu goddess of good luck

Sacred - something or someone that it special to a religion

Diwali - The Festival of Light

Diwali is a Hindu festival famous for light and colour. It usually happens around the end of October and symbolizes the beginning of a new year. The celebration welcomes the goddess Lakshmi to people's homes. Every home burns special clay lamps to light the way for the goddess to their homes. In preparation for her visit, homes are cleaned and decorated whilst many people make Indian sweets, sharing them with family and friends. Indians use jasmine flowers to decorate their homes and visit temples to worship. People dress in fine clothes made of beautiful silks, eat delicious foods and celebrate good luck. The cities and homes are decorated with lights and firework displays whilst firecrackers are used to frighten off evil spirits. Presents are exchanged and parties are held.



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