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	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Morning	<p><u>Fitness - Super Yoga</u> Watch and follow the 'Underwater Party' video: https://bit.ly/3zeT9Yk</p> <p><u>English Reading & Viewing</u> Read and view the Kakadu National Park poster provided.</p> <p>Underline any words you do not know. Re-read the sentence and predict what the word might mean. Then, use a dictionary to find the meaning.</p> <p>Answer the questions in full sentences:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Who lives in the Kakadu area and how long have they been there? 2. Where is Kakadu National Park located? 	<p><u>Fitness</u> - 5 pushups - 10 squats - 30 sec jog on the spot</p> <p><u>English Reading & Viewing</u> View the video Kakadu National Park, Kakadu Vacation Travel Guide https://bit.ly/3lb1qIQ</p> <p>As you are watching the video, use dot points to write down 5 interesting facts.</p> <p>Answer the questions in full sentences:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. In which region is Kakadu National Park? 2. What are the different ways to explore the park? 3. When is the best time to visit Kakadu National Park? 	<p><u>Fitness - Super Yoga</u> Watch and follow the 'Stretch Safari' video: https://bit.ly/3z2IXSm</p> <p><u>English Reading & Viewing</u> Read Natural Features of China: The Yangtze River.</p> <p>Answer the questions in full sentences:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. How long is the Yangtze River? 2. List at least three species of wildlife that live in or around the Yangtze River. 3. Why do you think this river is so important? 4. Research the names of two other famous rivers in the world and the countries you will find them. 	<p><u>Fitness</u> - 5 pushups - 10 squats - 30 sec jog on the spot</p> <p><u>English Reading & Viewing</u> Read the poem Leisure by W.H. Davies.</p> <p>Answer the questions in full sentences:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Rhyming couplets are two words that rhyme usually at the end of each sentence. List two examples of a rhyming couplet in the poem. 2. The poem makes many references to nature and animals. Why do you think the poet has done this? 3. What do you think is the message in the poem? What is the poet trying to tell us? 	<p><u>Fitness - Super Yoga</u> Watch and follow the 'Underwater Party' video: https://bit.ly/3zeT9Yk</p> <p><u>English Reading & Viewing</u> Read Natural Features of China: The Gobi Desert.</p> <p>Answer the questions in full sentences:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. How large is the Gobi Desert? 2. Describe the weather in the Gobi Desert. 3. Why are there 'not many plants' in the Gobi Desert? 4. Make a list of some animals that live in the Gobi Desert. 5. Do you think many people live in the Gobi Desert? Explain your inference.

	<p><u>Writing & Representing</u> Study the poster <i>Kakadu National Park</i>. Annotate the text by highlighting the important information. Then, write the heading <u>Facts About the Kakadu National Park</u> in your book. Under the heading, use dot points to write 5 facts.</p> <p><u>Speaking & Listening</u> On Seesaw, voice or video record yourself sharing the 5 facts you wrote about the Kakadu National Park.</p> <p><u>Spelling</u> Copy your spelling words onto paper and revise your spelling using the Look, Cover, Write & Check method from Monday to Friday.</p> <div data-bbox="271 1273 555 1347">   </div>	<p><u>Writing & Representing</u> Write a paragraph (4-5 sentences) about why Kakadu National Park is listed as a world heritage site.</p> <p><u>Speaking & Listening</u> Practise reading your paragraph aloud using a clear voice, appropriate pace and volume, and eye contact. Video record yourself presenting your paragraph and post it to Seesaw.</p> <p><u>Spelling</u> Revise your spelling words. Make your own spelling word flash cards. Place cards face down. Flip one card at a time. Spell aloud the correct spelling from your flash card/s. Record your oral spelling on Seesaw.</p> <div data-bbox="656 1286 940 1359">   </div>	<p><u>Writing & Representing</u> Research and find out the year that The Three Gorges Dam was built. Write a short explanation (2 sentences) about why it was built.</p> <p><u>Speaking & Listening</u> Onomatopoeia: Can you remember what onomatopoeia is? Explain it to someone at home OR post a short voice recording of your explanation on Seesaw. https://bit.ly/2YprSFu</p> <p><u>Spelling</u> Choose 18 words: Look up & rewrite dictionary definitions using the exact wording from the dictionary. Write a detailed sentence for each word defined.</p> <div data-bbox="1039 1273 1323 1347">   </div>	<p><u>Writing & Representing</u> Watch a reading of the poem <i>Quiet Night Thought</i> or <i>Thinking On a Quiet Night</i> by Li Bai. https://bit.ly/3oD7ko3</p> <p>Imagine you are the person in this poem. How do you feel? What is it you want or look forward to? Why? Use the information in the video and your own imagination to write your answer in your workbook.</p> <p><u>Handwriting</u> Copy the passage about 'Informative Texts' on the handwriting sheet.</p> <p><u>Speaking & Listening</u> Read the text 'Informative Texts' (on the handwriting sheet) out loud and post a voice recording to Seesaw.</p> <p><u>Spelling</u> Using all the list words, find words within those words. Example: motorcycle / motor / cycle / tyre</p> <div data-bbox="1424 1299 1709 1372">   </div>	<p><u>Writing & Representing</u> Write your own poem about the Yangtze River or Gobi Desert in China. Use all the information you have read about the different natural features in these places. Have a go at using devices like rhyming couplets, similes or rhetorical questions in your poem.</p> <p><u>Speaking & Listening</u> Read the poem <i>Leisure</i> by W.H. Davies out loud and tell someone two things you liked or disliked about the poem.</p> <p><u>Spelling</u> Ask someone at home to test you on your spelling list words.</p> <p>List all the words you have misspelt in your Writing & Representing tasks. Spell them correctly and write their correct dictionary meaning.</p> <div data-bbox="1809 1286 2094 1359">   </div>
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Middle	<p><u>Mathematics</u></p> <p>Number Talks Participate in Number Talk Task 1 through Zoom and share your ideas, strategies and reasoning.</p> <p><u>Number</u> Watch the video on 'Australian Coins- Lesson 2' https://bit.ly/3AfEj4j and 'Australian Money Coin Combinations Adding Cents to Make \$1' https://bit.ly/3BaE4Zr</p> <p><u>Interactive Online Game</u> Play 'Toy Shop Money Game' https://bit.ly/3Fk7d6U</p> <p><u>Brain break</u> Try balancing a flat object on your head, such as a light book. See how many seconds you can balance it for.</p> <p>Complete the 'Representing Money Amounts- Coins' worksheet.</p> 	<p><u>Mathematics</u></p> <p>Number Talks Participate in Number Talk Task 2 through Zoom and share your ideas, strategies and reasoning.</p> <p><u>Number</u> Watch the video on 'Australian Money' https://bit.ly/3Afy7Jl</p> <p><u>Interactive Online Game</u> Play 'Loose Change' https://bit.ly/3Ad6qkA</p> <p><u>Brain break</u> Dance 'The Macarena'.</p> <p>Complete the 'Representing Money Amounts- Notes and Coins' worksheet.</p> 	<p><u>Mathematics</u></p> <p>Number Talks Participate in Number Talk Task 3 through Zoom and share your ideas, strategies and reasoning.</p> <p><u>Interactive Online Game</u> Play 'Clear it Multiplication' https://bit.ly/3oFSwoP</p> <p><u>Word Problems</u> Complete 'Word Problems Year 3A' on the following website: https://bit.ly/3oBlq9N</p> <p><u>Brain break</u> Listen to some calming, relaxing music for 3 minutes.</p> <p>Complete the open-ended word problems on the 'Pandora's Party Palace' worksheet.</p> 	<p><u>Mathematics</u></p> <p>Number Talks Participate in Number Talk Task 4 through Zoom and share your ideas, strategies and reasoning.</p> <p><u>Time</u> Watch the video on 'Telling Time Song for kids- Telling time to 5 mins' https://bit.ly/3mpM4jb</p> <p><u>Interactive Online Game</u> Play 'Snappy Maths- Telling the time'. https://bit.ly/2YmjNSH</p> <p><u>Brain break</u> Create a sea creature using play-dough.</p> <p>Complete the 'Hour, Half hour and Quarter Hour Polygon Puzzle' by cutting and matching up the matching times with the adjacent sides.</p> 	<p><u>Mathematics</u></p> <p>Number Talks Participate in Number Talk Task 5 through Zoom and share your ideas, strategies and reasoning.</p> <p><u>Time</u> Watch the video on 'Analogue clocks for kids- How to tell time' https://bit.ly/2YgC57j</p> <p><u>Interactive Online Game</u> Play the 'Snappy Maths- The minute hand'. https://bit.ly/2WL9CWV</p> <p><u>Brain break</u> Ask a family member to draw a squiggle on a piece of paper. Turn that squiggle into a creative picture.</p> <p>Complete the 'Telling the Time: Level 2 (Half and Quarter Hour)' and 'Telling the Time to the Minute' Seesaw Activities that have been assigned to you. Write all answers in words.</p> 

Break	Break	Break	Break	Break	Break
Afternoon	<u>Science and Technology</u>	<u>BTN</u>	<u>Geography</u>	<u>PDHPE</u>	<u>Creative Arts - Music</u>
	<p>Topic: ‘Matters of Change’ (ST2-6MW-S)-Chocolate Experiment</p> <p>Watch the pre-recorded lesson on ‘Chocolate Experiment’ that your teacher uploads to Seesaw or by following the link:</p> <p>https://bit.ly/3a7khhl</p> <p>Complete the experiment and the worksheet as you are watching the lesson.</p>	<p>Watch ‘Behind the News’ on ABC Me.</p> <p>Choose your favourite story. Write a summary of the story. In your summary include 4-6 interesting facts</p> <p><u>Sport</u></p> <p>Go outside and play a sport of your choice for at least 20-30 minutes.</p>	<p>Topic: ‘Commercial & Recreational Sustainability’ (GE2-1)</p> <p>Login to Seesaw and complete the ‘What can communities do to protect their environment?’ activity assigned.</p>	<p>Topic: ‘Belonging in Our Community’</p> <p>Watch the video ‘<i>Diversity of Cultures</i>’ posted in Seesaw.</p> <p>Complete the <i>Diversity of Cultures</i> worksheet and post it in Seesaw.</p>	<p>Lesson One</p> <p>Listening Scavenger Hunt</p> <p>Follow the Seesaw link</p> <p>Listening Scavenger Hunt (seesaw.me)</p> <p>Lesson Two</p> <p>Name that Instrument-Percussion family</p> <p>Follow the Seesaw link</p> <p>Name that Instrument-Percussion family (seesaw.me)</p>

KAKADU NATIONAL PARK

What

Kakadu National Park is the largest national park in Australia.

History

Aboriginal people have lived in the Kakadu area for at least 50 000 years. Some of the rock art found in the Kakadu region is at least 20 000 years old.

Interesting Fact

The Kakadu National Park contains a wide range of landscapes including coastal and tidal flats, sandstone cliffs, woodlands, wetlands, hills and ridges. Some of the animals in this environment cannot be found anywhere else in the world.

When

Kakadu was first declared a National Park in 1979. It became a World Heritage site in 1981 and is considered a global treasure.

Where

Kakadu National Park is in the Northern Territory, around 170 kilometres east of the town of Darwin. It covers an area of almost 20 000 square kilometres.



Spelling List Term 4 Week 3

Words ending in '-cycle'

1. cycle 2. bicycle 3. tricycle 4. unicycle 5. motorcycle 6. recycle

Words ending in '-eral'

1. several 2. general 3. federal 4. liberal 5. funeral 6. mineral 7. literal 8. lateral 9. feral 10. numeral

Words containing 'our' as in 'journey'

1. journey 2. adjourn 3. detour 4. journal 5. courtesy 6. scourge 7. tourist 8. tourism 9. touring

Adding '-ing' to words ending in a silent '-e'

1. drive 2. driving 3. arrive 4. arriving 5. survive 6. surviving 7. give 8. giving 9. live 10. living

MONDAY

Spelling: Copy your spelling words onto paper and revise your spelling using the Look, Cover, Write & Check method from Monday to Friday.

TUESDAY

Spelling: Revise your spelling words. Make your own spelling word flash cards. Place cards face down. Flip one card at a time. Spell aloud the correct spelling from your flash card/s. Record your oral spelling on Seesaw.

WEDNESDAY

Spelling: Choose 18 words: Look up & rewrite dictionary definitions using the exact wording from the dictionary. Write a detailed sentence for each word defined.

THURSDAY

Spelling: Using all the list words, find words within those words. Example: motorcycle / motor / cycle / tyre

FRIDAY

Ask someone at home to test you on your spelling list words.
List all the words you have misspelt in your Writing & Representing tasks.
Spell them correctly and write their correct dictionary meaning.

Number Talks

TASK 1

Number Talks: Three Digit Addition

$$107 + 135$$

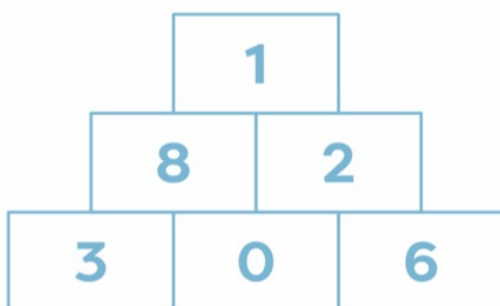
TASK 3

Number Talks: Multiplication Representation

$$9 + 9 + 9$$

TASK 5

Number Talks: Building Numbers



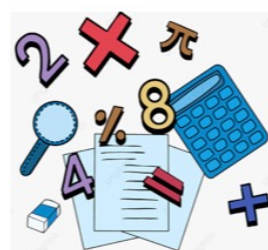
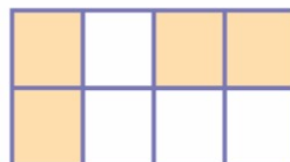
TASK 2

Number Talks: Multiplication Facts

$$4 \times 7$$

TASK 4

Number Talks: Fractions



Representing Money Amounts – Coins and Notes

In the table below, draw three different combinations of coins and notes that could be used to make the amount shown.

	Combination 1	Combination 2	Combination 3
\$7.20			
\$13.75			
\$58.10			
\$112.50			

Representing Money Amounts – Coins

In the table below, draw three different combinations of coins that could be used to make the amount shown. Draw your coins as accurately as you can, thinking carefully about the size and shape of each coin.

	Combination 1	Combination 2	Combination 3
55 cents			
90 cents			
\$1.20			
\$2.65			

Lesson 3



Chemical sciences
A MATTER OF CHANGE

Chocolate experiment worksheet

Question:

What will happen when different-sized pieces of chocolate are heated?
Will they react the same?

Hypothesis:

I think ... _____

Materials:

List the items used.

- _____
- _____
- _____
- _____
- _____
- _____
- _____
- _____
- _____
- _____

Procedure:

1. Measure the following amounts of chocolate and place them on a paper plate.
Plate 1: 12 g milk chocolate chips
Plate 2: 12 g milk chocolate frog
Plate 3: 12 g milk chocolate buttons
2. Place the plates in direct sunlight, or under a heat lamp if sunshine is limited.
3. Use a stopwatch to time how long it takes for the chocolate to change to liquid. If it doesn't melt after 10 minutes then record how soft the chocolate was.

Observations:

Chocolate chips	Chocolate frog	Chocolate buttons
Time taken to melt:	Time taken to melt:	Time taken to melt:
Description:	Description:	Description:

Conclusion and explanation:

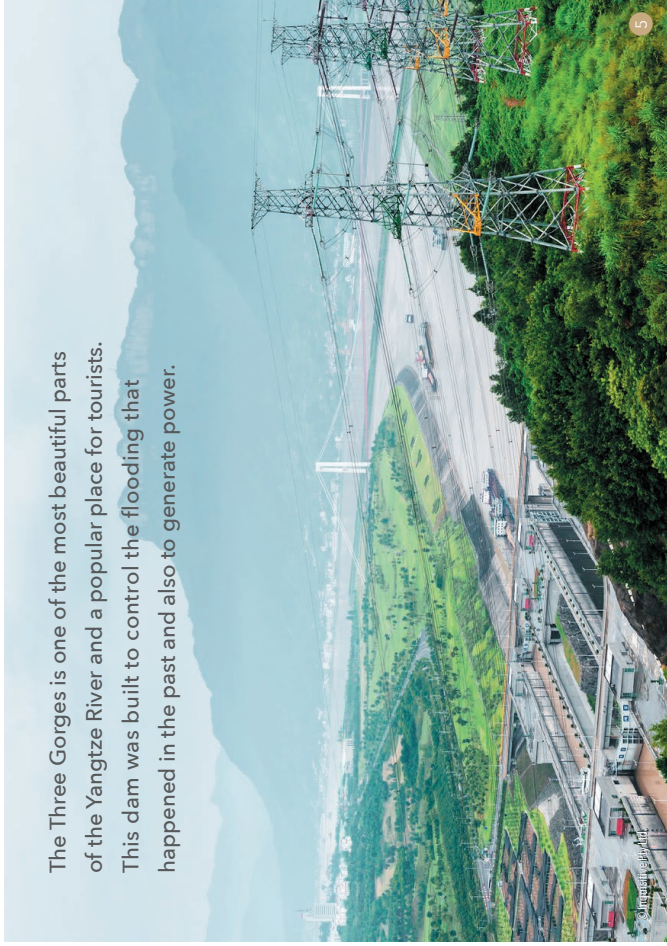
The Yangtze River

The Yangtze is the longest river in China and the third largest river in the world. It starts in the North, in the mountains of Tibet and flows for 6,300 km to the sea at Shanghai. Reserves, wetlands and lakes flow from the river, at different places along its path.



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The Three Gorges is one of the most beautiful parts of the Yangtze River and a popular place for tourists. This dam was built to control the flooding that happened in the past and also to generate power.

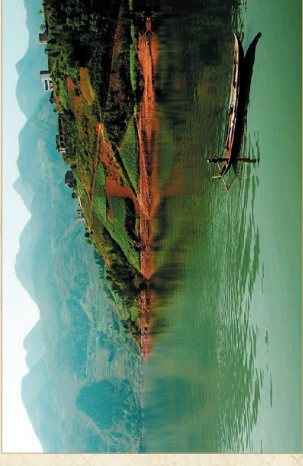


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More than 350 different species of fish live in the river. The mitten crab is very popular in Chinese cooking. Animals such as the Chinese alligator and the finless porpoise also live in the river. Deer, goats, birds and giant pandas have the Yangtze River banks as their natural habitat.

Plants found growing around the Yangtze River are the willow tree, bamboo plants and the lotus blossom. Cotton, wheat and corn are grown along the river and more than half of China's rice is grown here as well.

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PANDORA'S PARTY PALACE

Snacks



\$5.00

Potato Chips
10 packets
per pack



\$3.00

Sultanas
6 boxes per pack



\$5.50

Popcorn
10 packets
per pack

Lunch Items



\$4.00

Chicken Nuggets
20 pieces
per box



\$8.00

Mini Pizzas
6 pizzas per box



\$20.00

Sushi
20 rolls per pack

Sweet Treats



\$3.50

Chocolate Cupcakes
10 per box



\$6.00

Yoghurt Iceblocks
10 per box



\$2.50

Lollipops
Pack of 12

Drinks



\$2.50

Water
6 x 250 mL
bottles



\$11.00

Lemonade
10 x 375 mL bottles



\$5.00

Juice
6 x 250 mL boxes

PANDORA'S PARTY PALACE

Decorations



\$2.00

Party Hats
5 hats
per pack



\$2.80

Balloons
20 per pack



\$1.00

Streamers
2 rolls per pack



\$2.40

Bunting
1 x 3 m pack



\$1.60

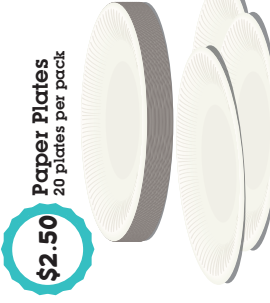
Party Poppers
10 per pack



\$3.20

Party Blowers
10 per pack

Serving Supplies



\$2.50

Paper Plates
20 plates per pack



\$3.00

Paper Cups
25 cups
per pack



\$1.00

Straws
Box of 50



\$2.00

Plastic Tablecloth
1 per pack



\$1.50

Serviettes
100 per pack



\$4.50

Wet Hand Wipes
100 wipes
per tub

FOOD

Decorations and Serving Supplies

PANDORA'S PARTY PALACE

Lucy is buying some sweet treats for a party. She needs at least 50 sweet treats, but she doesn't want more than 60.

What combinations of sweet treats could Lucy buy for the party?

List some possibilities.

Calculate the total cost of the sweet treats for Lucy's party.



PANDORA'S PARTY PALACE

Mario is planning a pizza party for his birthday. He needs 24 mini pizzas to feed his friends.

How many boxes of mini pizzas does Mario need to buy?

Calculate the total cost of the mini pizzas for Mario's birthday party.



PANDORA'S PARTY PALACE

Taylor's class was having an end-of-year party. Taylor was asked to bring the drinks. His budget for the drinks was \$20.

What combinations of drinks could Taylor buy for the class party?

List some possibilities.

Check that the drinks don't cost more than \$20.



PANDORA'S PARTY PALACE

Amy's friends came over to her place for a movie night. Amy bought 3 packs of popcorn to share with her friends.

How many snack-size popcorn packets did Amy have at her movie night?

Calculate the total cost of 3 packs of popcorn.





Leisure

by W. H. Davies

What is this life if, full of care,
We have no time to stand and stare?

No time to stand beneath the boughs,
And stare as long as sheep and cows:

No time to see, when woods we pass,
Where squirrels hide their nuts in grass:

No time to see, in broad daylight,
Streams full of stars, like skies at night:

No time to turn at Beauty's glance,
And watch her feet, how they can dance:

No time to wait till her mouth can
Enrich that smile her eyes began?

A poor life this if, full of care,
We have no time to stand and stare.

Informative Texts

This year you have learnt to write narratives and also persuasive texts. Another

important text type is informative texts. The purpose of an informative text is to

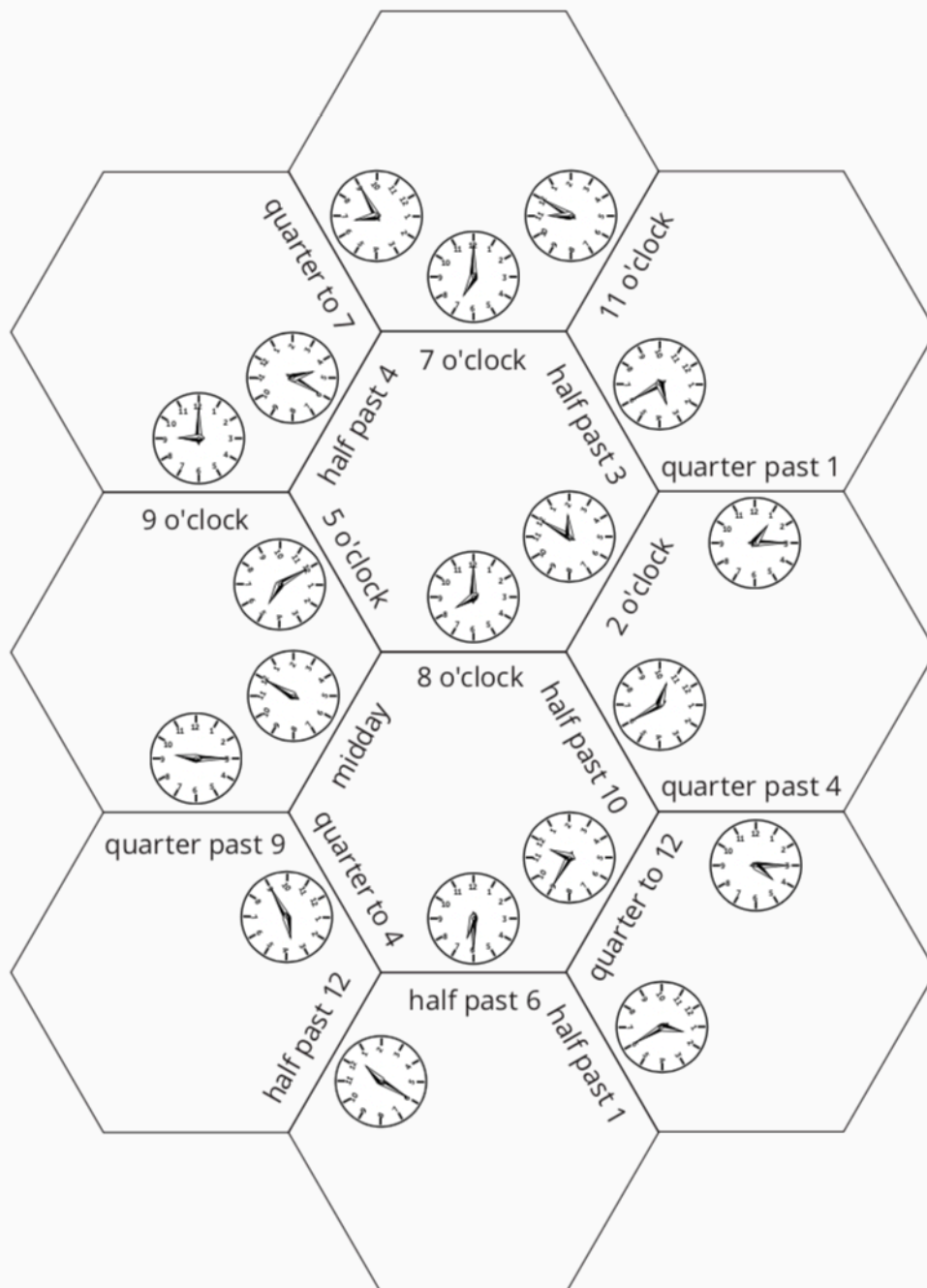
inform. In other words, the reason why we write informative texts is to provide

information about a certain subject or topic. So your audience could be anyone who

wants to find out more about that topic or subject. Informative texts are all about

the facts!

Hour, Half Hour and Quarter Polygon Puzzle - Answers



My Culture and Traditions!

Use this worksheet to share the culture and traditions of your family.

language my family and I speak

my favourite family tradition

my favourite food to eat

holidays celebrated in my culture

clothes worn in my culture

other interesting facts about my culture



The Gobi Desert

The Gobi Desert is the fifth largest desert in the world.

It covers a space of more than 1 million km squared.

It is a cold, windy, dry place. In winter, the northern part gets icy sand storms and even frost and snow fall on the taller sand dunes. It can also get extremely hot, up to 45°C.

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Not many plants can be found in the desert. Desert plants need to survive with little water. Over 400 species of plants live in the Gobi Desert, wild garlic, the bats shrub and birdweed are all small and hardy enough for the desert conditions.



Forty-five species of animals live in the Gobi Desert. Creatures such as camels, bears, golden eagles and snow leopards can be found. There are only about fifty wild Gobi bears left.



The Gobi Desert is getting bigger every year. This is due to overgrazing in the area around its edges and the cutting down of trees in nearby forests.

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