

MAY



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Activity 1

Vocabulary

Match the word with its definition.



Card

- Public display of works of art or items.

Exhibition

- The measurement of something from end to end.

Length

- A thing that is known to be true.

Weight

- Kind of food that a person or animal eats.

Prey

- Building in which object of historical, scientific, artistic or cultural are stored and exhibited.

Museum

- The amount of matter an object contains.

Fact

- The characteristics and knowledge of a particular group of people.

Habitat

Culture

- The weather conditions prevailing in an area in general or over a long period.

Climate

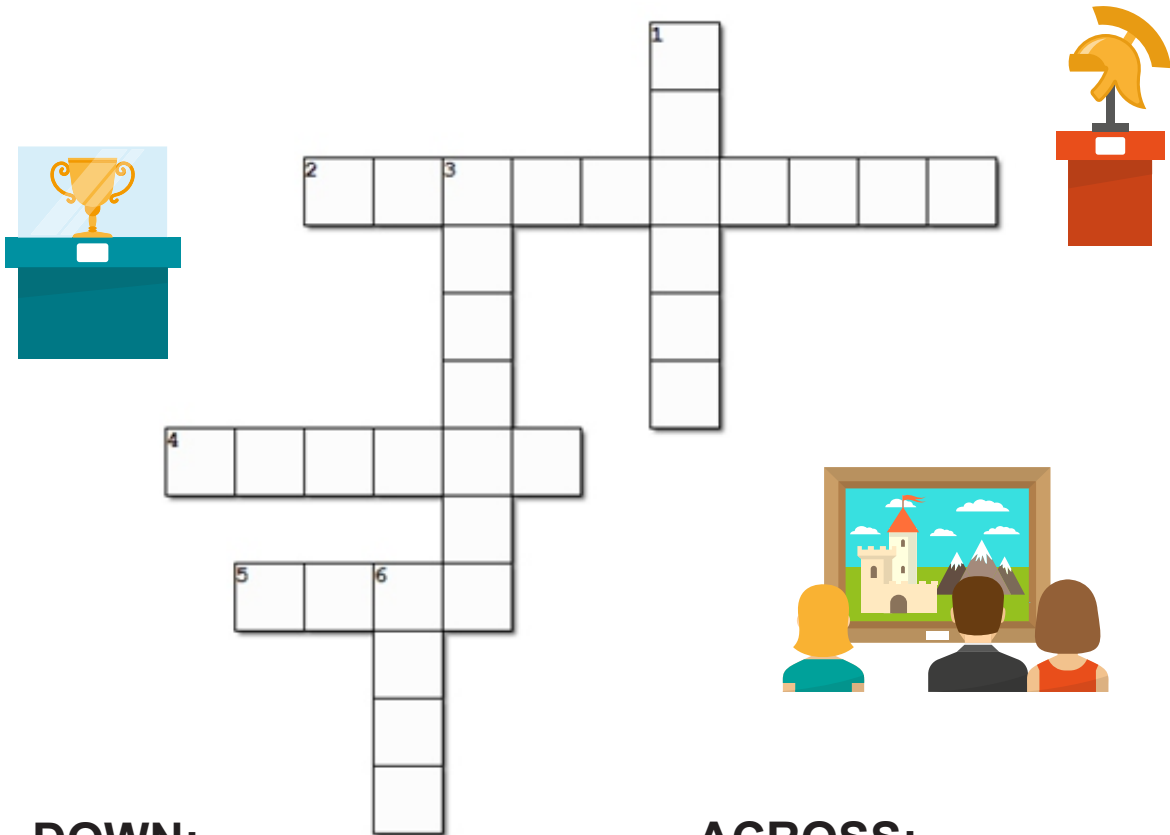
- Place where an organism makes its home.

Activity 2

Crossword

Read the clues, and answer the crossword with the words from the word bank.

card exhibition length weight fact habitat



DOWN:

- 2. Public display of works of art or items.
- 4. The measurement of something from end to end.
- 5. A thing that is known, or proved to be true.

ACROSS:

- 1. The amount of matter an object contains.
- 3. Place where an organism makes its home.
- 6. Piece of paper with specific information about something or someone.

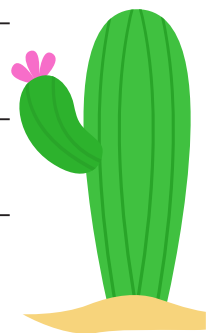
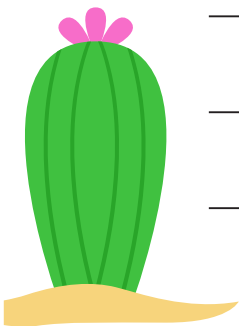
Activity 3

Cinco de Mayo

How many words can you make from Cinco de Mayo? Write them in the lines.



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Activity 4

The Museum

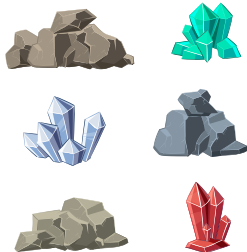
Number the exhibitions.

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|--------------------------|----------------------------------|
| 1. Evolving Planet | 4. Ancient Americas |
| 2. Hominid Gallery | 5. Understanding Climate Changes |
| 3. Underground Adventure | 6. Grainger Hall of Gems |













Number the contents of the exhibitions.

Dinosaurs

Life Underground

Civilizations

Photographs of Earth

Precious stones

Prehistoric museum

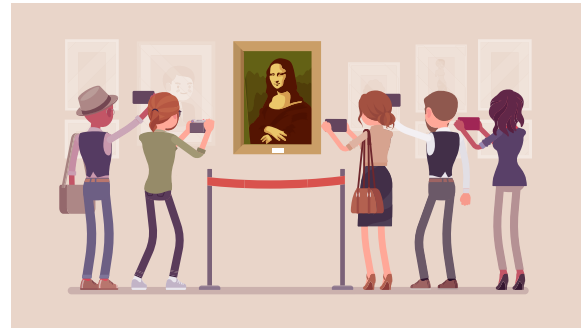
Activity 5

Do You Like Museums?

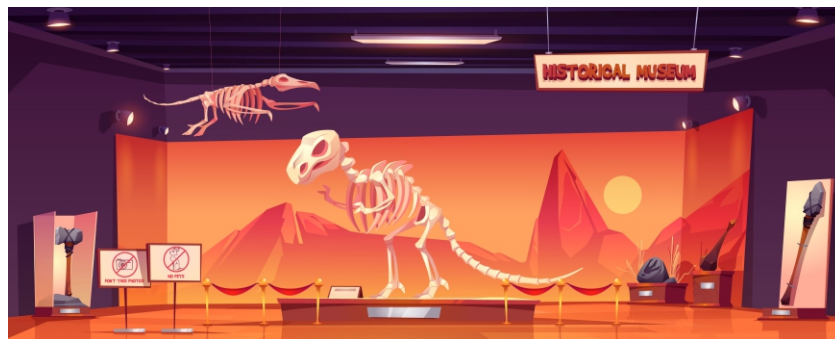
What kind of museum do you like? Circle it.



Science Museum



Art Museum



Natural History Museum

Write why you like that kind of museum.

A large white cloud-shaped bubble with horizontal lines for writing. At the bottom right of the bubble, a cartoon boy is lying on the floor, reading a book. The background is a solid brown color.

Activity 6

Museum Exhibitions

Write the correct exhibition on each question card.

Technology

Space

Health

What is protein?

Where does protein come from?

How does our body get protein?



What is a constellation?

Why do stars shine at night?

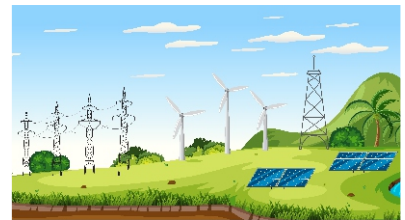
Why do stars twinkle?



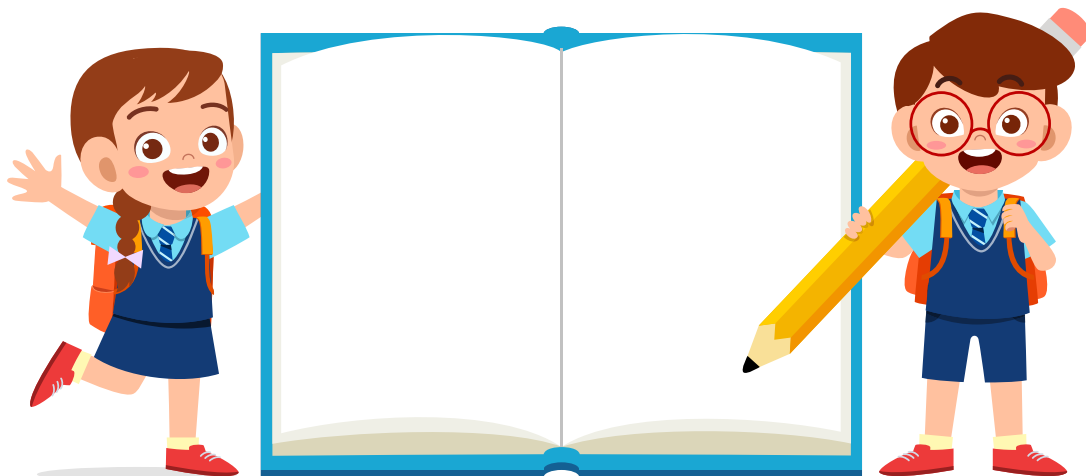
Where does electricity come from?

How does electricity come to my house?

What does electricity do?



Which topic interests you the most? Why?



Activity 7

Mother's Day Chart

Look at the chart and answer the questions.



10					
9					
8					
7					
6					
5					
4					
3					
2					
1					
	card	letter	book	poem	picture

1. What gift was made by the most students? _____
2. What gift was made by the fewest students? _____
3. How many more letters than pictures were made? _____
4. How many more pictures were made than poems? _____
5. How many students made gifts? _____

Activity 8

Mother's Day

Answer what it is asked.

mother's
=DAY=



My mom

My mom is good at

My mom loves to

I love my mom because

Activity 9

What Can Spiders Do?

Read and answer the questions.

What can spiders do?

Facts:

- Spiders are not insects, they are arachnids.
- Some spiders can make a web, and others can hunt.
- They can be dangerous, but can be good friends.
- Spiders can eat other spiders, birds and mice.

Water spiders

They can live underwater. They can run across water and dive under it. They don't build a web.



Tarantulas

They are hairy spiders with long legs. They can have a long life; some can live over 30 year. They are very strong and can bite small frogs and lizards. They can be house pets.



1. Are spiders insects?

2. Can tarantulas live for many years?

3. Can all spiders make a web?

4. What spider can be a house pet?

Activity 10

Jumping Spider Exhibition Card

Read and fill in the exhibition card.

JUMPING SPIDER

Jumping spider averaging 5 to 6 mm in length with males having an average **weight** of just 13.5 mg and females weighting slightly more. These **spiders** can be identified by a white stripe in the middle of their abdomen.

Jumping spiders live in a variety of **habitats**. Tropical forests harbor the most species, but they are also found in temperate forests, deserts and mountainous regions.

Jumping spiders are carnivores and can be effective garden pest control agents. They **eat** insects and other spiders about their size or smaller. They do not spin webs for catching **prey**, but may use a silken thread as an anchor as they climb down a vertical surface.

Species:



FACT FILE

Weight	
Length	
Prey	
Habitat	
Other information	

Activity 11

Ants

Read the text and answer the questions.

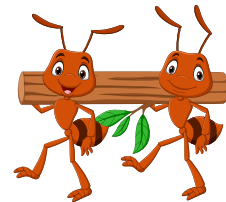
ANTS



Ants have inhabited the Earth for around 60 million years. Here are some fun facts about them.

Ants senses have not evolved much. Today, just as millions of years ago, ants can “hear” other insects crawling by touching the ground with their sensors. Ants have little sensors in the antennae. That is how they find their food: sugar, fruit, leaves or other smaller insects.

Ants have lived in communities under the ground for centuries. Ants don't have traffic problems because they have a complicated system of tunnels underground. There, they keep food and water to survive the winter. Ants live as a big family.



1. How long have ants inhabited the Earth?

2. What do they eat and drink?

3. Have ants senses evolved a lot?

4. How do ants find food?

5. Where have ants lived for centuries?

Activity 12

Fire Ant Exhibition Card

Read and fill in the exhibition card.

FIRE ANTS

Fire ants average (2mm-6mm) in **length** and are reddish-brown in color.

Individual **weigh** on **average** is between 1 to 5 mg. When combined, all **ants** in the world taken together **weigh** about as much as all human beings.

Fire ants are omnivores, meaning they will feed on animals or vegetables. The **fire ant** worker's diet includes insects, earthworms, ticks, spiders, arthropod eggs, honeydew and other sweets.

Fire ants are currently found mainly in subtropical southeastern USA states and north states of Mexico.

Species:



FACT FILE

Weight

Length

Prey

Habitat

Other information

Activity 13

Jaguar Exhibition Card

Read and fill in the exhibition card.

JAGUAR

Jaguar males can **weigh** from 57-113 kg, while females **weigh** 45-90 kg.

Jaguars grow to be about 1.62 – 1.83 m in length tall. Their tail is 0.6 – 0.9 m long.

Jaguars are opportunistic hunters and can prey upon almost anything they come across. Capybaras, **deer**, tortoises, iguanas, armadillos, fish, birds and monkeys are just some of the preys that jaguars eat.

Their main stronghold today is the Amazon. **They**'re typically found in tropical rainforests, but also **live** in savannas and grasslands.

Species:



FACT FILE

Weight

Length

Prey

Habitat

Other information

Activity 14

The Mayan Exhibition

Read and answer the questions.



THE MAYAN EXHIBITION

Mayan culture has been an important part of Mexican, Guatemalan and Central American society for centuries. In this room, the exhibition explores present-day Mayan culture and how it has adapted to modern society.

The Mayans have lived in the same areas their ancestors inhabited. Although the culture has changed over time, many Mayans have continued to practice rituals, and speak different Mayan languages.

This fascinating exhibition shows how people have incorporated these beliefs into their modern-day lives.

This is the most extensive Mayan exhibition the country has seen. Learn more about how the Mayan culture has contributed and is contributing to the world today.



1. How long has the Mayan culture been important?

2. Why is the exhibition fascinating?

3. What can visitors learn more about?

Activity 15

Earth Exhibition

Read and answer the questions.



Our Disappearing Rainforest

The rainforests have evolved over millions of years. During this time, they contributed many resources to humankind. These resources include food clothing, fuel, and medicine.

They have been important for everybody around the world. However, it took only a century of human activity to destroy what nature designed to last forever.

Come to the Earth Exhibition and find out more.

1. How long have the rainforests been on Earth?

2. How have they contributed to humankind?

3. Who have these resources been important for?

4. How long has it taken humans to destroy the rainforests?

Activity 16

Dinosaur's Exhibition

Read and fill in the exhibition card.

TYRANNOSAURUS REX

T. rex was one of the largest carnivorous dinosaurs to ever live, coming in at up to 14 meters tall at the hips and 12.3 meters long.

T. rex had strong thighs and a powerful tail, which counterbalanced its large head and allowed it to move quickly. The giant could run 10 to 25 mph.

According to the most recent studies, they are estimated to have weighed between 8.4 metric tons to 14 metric tons.

T. rex had a mouth full of serrated teeth; the largest tooth of any carnivorous dinosaur ever found was 12 inches long.

T. rex ate herbivorous dinosaurs. Scientists also believe that this powerful predator could eat up to 500 pounds of meat in one bite.

T. rex roamed throughout what is now western North America. It became extinct about 67 to 65 million years ago in the Cretaceous period – Tertiary mass extinction – towards the end of the Mesozoic era.



Activity 17

Museum Card

Use the information to write a museum card.



Name: Diplodocus

Family: Sauropod


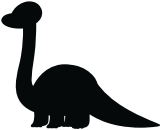




Era: Late Jurassic period.

Length: 27 m.

Weight: 11 tons.

Special feature: Very long neck

Diet: Herbivore (plants and conifers)

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Activity 18

My Own Museum

Fill in the information to make your own museum.

NAME:



Draw a
picture



WRITE
about your museum

DRAW 3 PIECES

1



2



3



Activity 19

Favorite Exhibition

Choose the exhibition you are interested in and, write an exhibition card.

Introduction: (what the exhibition is about)

Information: (specific and detailed information about the exhibition)

Conclusion: (why visitors should see it)

Activity 20

Favorite Exhibition Piece

Choose a piece of your exhibition and write an exhibition card.

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