

Year 5 Homework



Due in: Wednesday 12th February, 2020

L1: I can find information in a text to answer questions

Look at the story from Ivory Coast.

4. Can you think of three benefits of this amazing project run by Unicef?

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- 3)

5. Find and copy the word, or words, that tell you:

The bricks connect together:

Ivory Coast has a shortage of classrooms:

Look at the story 'Resting in peace'

5. People are fascinated by the story of the Titanic, and items salvaged from the wreck sell for a lot of money. Do you think this agreement is a good idea, or not? Explain your opinion.

Consider all the stories.

6 Complete the table below about the quotations used in the news stories.

The quote	Who said it?	What does the person do?
"The Titanic must be treated with the respect that those 1,500 souls lost deserve."		
"The bricks require no sand, no cement and a classroom can be built in less than a month."		
"We need immediate action from all nations to protect our planet."		

6. Why do you think quotations are used so often in news articles?

7. Asking questions is a crucial part of being a journalist. Which World News story would like to know more about?

Write down three questions that you would like to have answered.

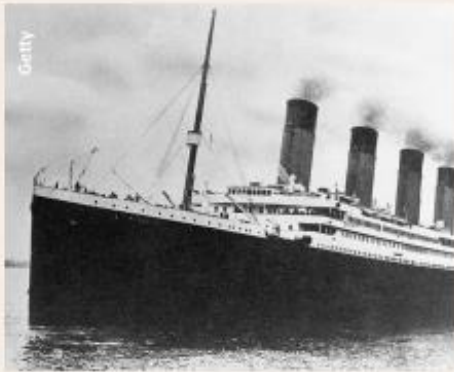
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Do twenty pencil jumps Repeat three times. Do this daily.	

ATLANTIC OCEAN

● Rusting in peace

A NEW treaty between the UK and the US means that the wreck of the Titanic will be protected from treasure hunters and tourists. The wreck itself lies deep in international waters, 600km off the coast of Canada. Those who break the treaty will be punished with big fines. David Scott-Beddard, the honorary secretary of the British Titanic Society, said: "The Titanic must be treated with the respect that those 1,500 souls lost deserve." The Titanic sank on its maiden voyage in 1912.



EAST ANTARCTICA

● Icy challenge

ENDURANCE swimmer Lewis Pugh has become the first person to swim under an Antarctic ice sheet. He swam for ten minutes and 17 seconds under the melting ice sheet, and took on the feat to raise awareness of climate change at the Earth's poles. He said: "I swam here today as we are in a climate emergency. We need immediate action from all nations to protect our planet."



IVORY COAST

● Plastic classrooms

PLASTIC landfill is being put to good use in Africa, where it is being used to build classrooms. Women in Ivory Coast who sort and sell plastic found in landfill are selling it on to a factory run by the charity Unicef, which turns the waste into plastic bricks. These interlocking bricks can then be used to build much-needed classrooms quickly and cheaply. Norman Muhwezi from Unicef said: "The bricks require no sand, no cement and a classroom can be built in less than a month."



SPACE

● Cookies in space

ASTRONAUTS have baked chocolate chip cookies in space for the first time. Italian Luca Parmitano was the master baker on board the International Space Station (ISS). It took him and Christina Koch a whopping two hours to make the first food baked in space from raw ingredients. We don't know how good the biccies are, because nobody has tasted them. They were made over Christmas and sealed in pouches, then dropped to Earth in a SpaceX capsule. They will be examined in a lab in Texas, USA.

