

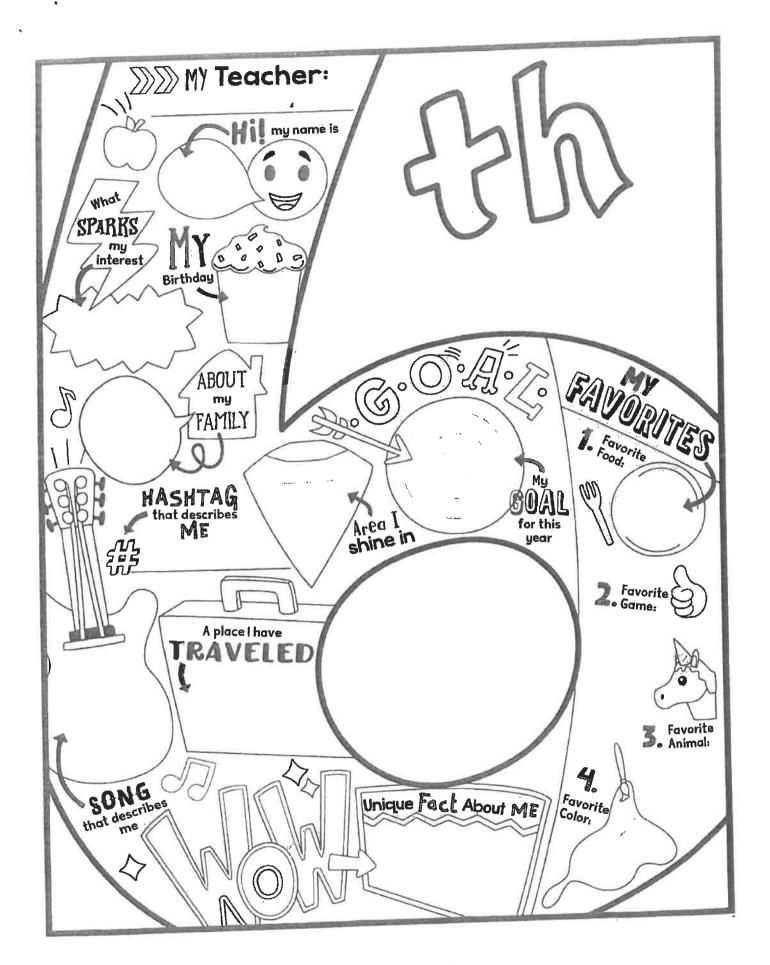


"You can find magic wherever you look. Sit back and relax all you need is a book!"

— Dr. Seuss

2025-2026 TERM 1

NAME:_____CLASS:____



All About Me Hoodie



SCHOOL AROUND THE WORLD

GAP FILL: Fill in the blanks with a verb in the present tense
John to a public school in the United States, so it is free. Most people in America to public school. There no uniforms in public school. John school at 7:45 a.m. and finishes at 3:15 p.m. He has a lunch break at 12:30 p.m. After school, John theater for one hour. He has a different club every day. John theatre on Monday and Wednesday, and he football the rest of the week. John often gets home at 5:00 p.m. He has football practice on the weekend. John also to a religious school on Sunday morning.
MISSING PUNTUATION: Write all the missing commas, full stops and capital letters
Reem is from Saudi Arabia she starts school at 6:30 a.m. School lasts until 1:00 pm Reem gets home around 1:30 pm Reem does not go to any clubs at school but she goes to a religious school two days a week she has homework for both schools Reem also studies with a tutor most days of the week she has many exams and subjects to study for schools in Saudi Arabia have two terms Reem wears a uniform at school like many people in Saudi Arabia Reem goes to a private school Reems parents pay for her school and Reem brings her own lunch.
PREPOSITIONS: fill in the time prepositions (in, on, at, after) Circle the verbs with a blue pen.
Yoko goes to school Japan. She attends school six days a week. Yoko goes to a public school, but her parents pay for it. Public schools cost less than private school. Yoko has a long day school. When she gets to school, she takes off her shoes and puts slippers. Slippers help to keep the school clean. Yoko has a thirty-minute lunch period. She talks quietly with her friends during lunch lunch, students clean up the cafeteria. Yoko stays in her classroom most of the day. She and her classmates clean their classroom the end of each day. Most days school, Yoko goes to a club. She tutors other students during math club. Yoko gets home 5:30 p.m dinner, Yoko goes to a cram school for more lessons. She finishes 8:00 p.m.







NASA to Let **Tourists Travel to** Space Station

What is the International Space Station (ISS)?

· The International Space Station is a spacecraft that orbits Earth.

 It's about 250 miles above Earth and is a place where scientists carry out research into space.

One small step for an astronaut could be one giant leap for holidaymakers! NASA is allowing a new form of tourism by offering guests the chance to stay at the International Space Station (ISS).

The ISS is a spacecraft that orbits the Earth. It's a place where astronauts carry out research about space, with scientists coming from all over the world to work on the station. Since 2000, there have always been scientists working there.

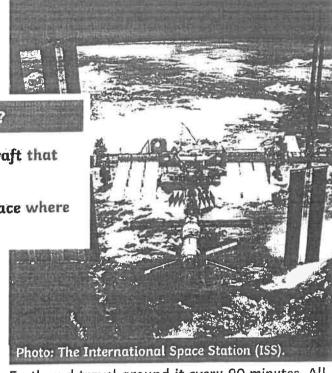
Now, tourists will be able to stay on the station! The trip won't be cheap - guests will pay \$35,000 (£27,500) per night. Before this announcement, NASA only allowed professional astronauts to visit the ISS.

From 2020, there will be two missions to the ISS per year for tourists. Guests will fly to the destination on an American spacecraft for a 30day mission. Two American companies, SpaceX and Boeing, are now developing spacecraft to take guests to the space station.

Once there, guests will stay in a private module which will be attached to the ISS.

Just saying you want to go, however, does not guarantee you a place. Potential customers will need to pass medical and fitness tests - the same as for normal NASA crew members. This is because they will experience a completely different environment.

But what will tourists be able to see on their voyage? Visitors will be able to look down on



Earth and travel around it every 90 minutes. All this occurs at speeds approaching 17,500mph.

Even if you can't visit yourself, you might still be able to see the Space Station hurtling across the night sky.

The news comes as NASA seeks to find ways to pay for its research. It is seeking to explore our Solar System and send another mission to the Moon by 2024.

While few people will be able to go at first, today's news may change the way we travel and spend our holidays.

Glossary

NASA National Aeronautics and Space Administration in the USA.

tourism The business of taking people on holiday.

orbits To travel round a star, planet or moon.

guarantee To say that something is certain to happen.



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1.	Find three facts that are given about the proposed mission.
	1
	2
	3
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2.	Why is NASA letting guests travel to the ISS?
3.	Why do you think space travel might not be for everyone at the moment?
4.	Why does the author call this news a 'giant leap for holidaymakers'? Explain your answer.
5.	'If you look carefully, you can even see it hurtling across the sky at night.' In this sentence, tick the word that is closest in meaning to 'hurtling'.
	Speeding
	O cruising
	O dawdling
	O meandering
6	. Summarise the story in 20 words or fewer.





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What is the title of the article? _____ When was the article published? Who published the article? Areas to learn more about: Main details/facts: New vocabulary: A summary of the article:

Describe your house

- 1. Let's practice with the sentences below.
- 2. In your notebook draw a house plan of your house or your dream home
- 3. Write a paragraph describing your house.



**Complete with There is or There are:
1 a bed in the middle of my bedroom.
2a green wardrobe on the left.
3 some boxes under the bed.
a ball on the floor.
lots of books on the bookshelf.
a picture over the bed.
and the Comment of th

not have not	
Complete with the words in the bo	х:
garage – one – bathroom –	
garden -bedrooms - living	
My house is quite big and nice. There are large, a -	
room, a dining room, a and a kit There is also a for my car, a t	chen.
and a lovely full of trees and flo	wers.
Fill in the blanks with the following	3
words:	
kitchen – rooms – comfortable –	
are- favorite – over – toilet	– is
Look! My flat is there! It's bi	g and
modern. There five large	
- in it; three bedrooms, aliving	ig room
and a big dining room. There	
P AND	4
Finally, there is a wonderful	with a
Lot of food, It's my place.	-0.

**Complete with It is or There is:
1 important to pay attention in class.
2 not easy to stand on your hands.
3a big white house in front of the
school.
a problem at home.
important to respect people.
6 many neople that like to sing.

Complete with:

There - it - they're - their

· Well, Mrs Brown is simple	e. Stand up
and look over That's the Jo	hnson's
house: Of course not at hon	ne now
on holiday in Spain. And	
children are in Portugal with	rienus. 30 🚚
is impossible to visit the house	now
because I haven't got a key.	
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Fill in the blanks with these words:
middle – from – desk – furniture – on
round – bed – all – beautiful
My room is bright pink. It is really
the right there is a little table and a chair from India. They arepresents from my friends. I'm really lucky to have such
wonderful friends.



Learn**English** Teens

Homes of the future: Video UK - exercises

What kind of homes will we live in in the future? What kind of technology will we have? Watch this video for a glimpse of the homes of tomorrow.

1. Preparation: matching

Match the vocabulary with the correct definition and write a - f next to the number 1 - 6.

1...... an experiment

a. a useful tool that uses new technology

2...... a housemate

b. a test to find out how well something works

3..... to evolve

c. most recent or newest

4..... a gadget

d. to change and improve the design of something over time

5...... a control panel

e. someone who shares a house with you

6...... latest

f. a set of buttons which can operate a machine or a system

2. Check your understanding: multiple choice

Circle the best words to complete these sentences.

- 1. In the first house shown in the video, the shower water is heated by electricity / wind energy / solar energy
- 2. These houses are experimental / for sale / real people's homes
- The technology in these houses helps them make more efficient use of energy / water / space compared to ordinary houses.
- 4. There's a card scanner / fingerprint scanner / retina scanner to open the door.
- 5. When it's hot, the windows / curtains / shutters close automatically.
- 6. The chair also contains books / food and drink / toys .

Student Self-Assessment: Descriptive Writing – My dream house

Name:	Date:	
Name of my house:		

	Yes	No	Still working on it
The beginning of the description includes the location and type of house. I included a sentence about why I choose this type of house.			
I used adjectives to describe my house.			
I used different sentence structures correctly (It has / It is/ There is / There are/There will be			
I included the number of rooms, style and details about my house.			
I had few spelling and grammatical errors.			
I used the correct punctuation: capital letters, full stop, commas, etc.).			
I finished my descriptive text with a sentence about why my house is unique and how I feel when I'm in my house.			

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Adjectives Set the Mood: Trick or Treat

Name:	
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Adjectives are words that describe, or modify, a noun or pronoun. These descriptive words will set the tone of a sentence, paragraph, or story. You can make a story funny, scary, happy, or sad depending on what adjectives you choose.

black friendly bloody frightened charming funny cheerful ghostly dark ' great

lovely

Word Bank glittery nice gross noisy happy pink haunted

silly spooky pretty squeaky purple sweet

scary

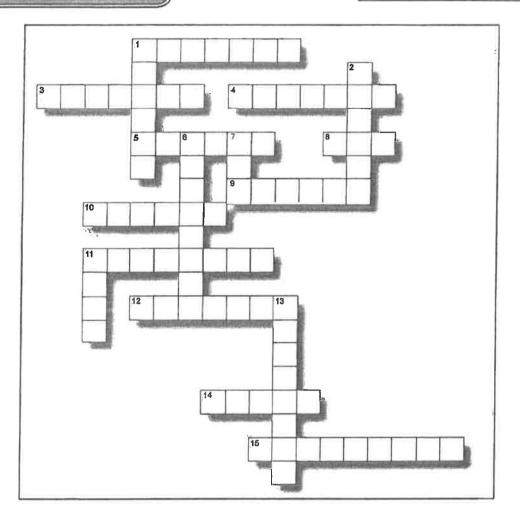
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Cooper answered wearing a	mask. The
children yelled, "Trick or Treat!"	
Mrs. Cooper laughed a	laugh and handed them
candy. "Your costumes are very	," she said.
Then Mr.Cooper jumped out from behind the	door and
screamed, "Boo!" He was holding a	clown puppet.
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place to trick-or-trea	it in town!
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THANKSGIVING PUZZLE





Across

- 1. It makes a great pie or jack-o-lantern.
- 3. They came from England and built Plymouth Colony.
- 4. A special day, like Christmas, Easter and Thanksgiving
- 5. Breakfast, lunch and
- 8. A dessert with a round crust
- 9. We eat this bird on Thanksgiving.
- 10. To go from one place to another
- 11. A ball game with touchdowns and field goals
- 12. A word for gathering crops

- 14. A huge meal on a special occasion
- 15. The Pilgrims' ship

Down

- 1. A procession of bands, floats and people
- 2. Our parents, brothers and sisters
- 6. The month after October
- 7. To take food into the mouth and swallow
- 11. Another word for autumn
- 13. Thanksgiving is always on this day.

Informative Text

THE ICEHOTEL

For many years the Arctic was a popular destination in the summer season to see the land of the midnight sun but in winter the few inhabitants had the snow and ice to themselves. By the end of the 1980s it was decided that the dark and cold winter should be seen as an advantage. In the winter of 1990 the French artist Jannot Derit was invited to have the opening of an exhibition in a specially built igloo (a building made of snow) in the little town of Jukkasjärvi on the frozen Torne River. The building, named Arctic Hall, attracted many interested visitors to the area. One night a group of foreign guests decided it would be a good idea to sleep in the Arctic Hall. The following morning the brave group were very pleased with their experience and the idea of an ice hotel was born. Today it is world famous.

As soon as winter begins, a team of snow builders, architects and artists from all over the world come to Jukkasjärvi and they make the hotel for that year. As one part is completed, it opens to visitors and overnight guests, while the other parts are still being built. The first part is completed in December and each week after that a new part opens, until January 7th when the hotel is completed. As the ICEHOTEL is built under the open sky, using the natural materials of the winter season, the finishing date depends on nature and therefore there are sometimes changes to the plan. In the spring, as the weather gets warmer, the hotel melts.

Inside the hotel, the temperature is never colder than -5 °C to -8 °C, however cold it may be outside. Winter outer clothes such as warm overalls, hats and gloves are included in the cost of guests' stay at the hotel. In addition to this, it is a good idea for guests to bring sweaters and a scarf as well as plenty of woollen socks and to choose footwear that is larger than normal to allow space for thick socks.

If you are planning to come to the hotel, you can buy warm sweaters, woollen socks and much more on the ICEHOTEL website. You can order these and the equipment you will need at the same time as you book your visit. The items will be delivered to your room when you check in. The hotel is in the village of Jukkasjärvi, 200 km above the Arctic Circle but only 15 km from Kiruna airport and 17 km from Kiruna train station. Transport by bus can be arranged from the airport or train station to the ICEHOTEL.

QUESTIONS

1-Read the text to decide if each sentence is TRUE (T) or FALSE (F).

- During the 1980s, few tourists used to go to the Arctic in summer.
- People came in large numbers to Jukkasjärvi to see the Arctic Hall.
- The artist encouraged people to sleep in the Arctic Hall.
- Each winter, guests come and sleep in the hotel before it is finished.
- -Progress when building the hotel is influenced by the weather.
- The temperature inside the hotel changes according to the temperature outside.
- Some clothes are provided by the hotel.
- Guests should buy boots which fit as tightly as possible.
- Items ordered through the ICEHOTEL shop will be delivered to your home.

-It is possible to take a train from the airport to the ICEHOTEL 2-Answer these questions with complete sentences -How did the idea of the ice hotel start? -When and how is the hotel built? -Which is the temperature inside the hotel? -What will you need to sleep in this hotel? -Where is the hotel located and how can you get to it? 3-Look for the words in the text that match with these definitions. -People who live permanently in a place or region: -A person who visit a house and stay there a few days: -To became or turn into liquid as a result of the heat: -A set of tools or devices use for a specific purpose: -To carry items to a destination: Practice with verbs. -Write the present or the past of these verb forms. 2.BOUGHT: 1.BIT:

4.DRANK:

6.FORBID:

8.BURNT:

10.BLEED:

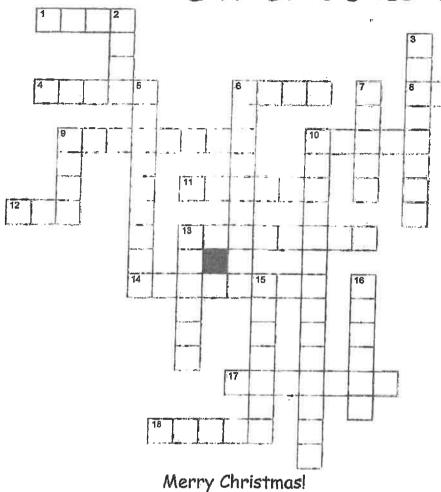
3.FEED:

7.ATE:

9.FLEW:

5.BECOME:

Santa Claus Crossword





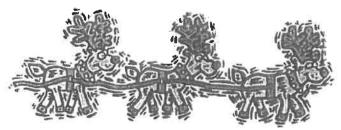
Across

- 1. What Santa gives naughty kids.
- 4. What Santa wears on his feet.
- 6. Good.
- 8. The color of Santa's suit.
- 9. Santa's animals.
- 10. Santa's last name.
- 11. Santa's laugh.
- 12. Santa's helper
- 13. What children hang on the fireplace.
- 14. What Santa gives people.
- 17. Place where Santa enters your house.
- 18. Нарру.

Down

- 2. What Santa checks.
- 3. Where Santa's elves make the toys.
- 5. Place where children sit and tell Santa about their Christmas wishes.
- 6. Where Santa lives.
- 7. Something on Santa's face.
- 9. Place where Santa parks his sleigh.
- 10. What Santa eats and drinks.
- 13. Santa's car.
- 15. Bad.
- 16. You _____ not cry.





Opposite Adjectives

Across

- 2. The opposite of fast
- 4. The opposite of rich
- 6. The opposite of first
- 7. The opposite of low
- 8. The opposite of noisy
- 10. The opposite of fat
- 12. The opposite of white
- 14. The opposite of clean
- 16. The opposite of easy
- 18. The opposite of short

Down

- 1. The opposite of sad
- 3. The opposite of dry
- 5. The opposite of left
- 6. The opposite of dark
- 9. The opposite of late
- 11. The opposite of far
- 13. The opposite of hot
- 15. The opposite of old
- 17. The opposite of empty

