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Unit 1

► Maths: How big is your family?

Maths

How big is your family?

We use maths every day:

to tell the time;

to weigh things;

to count.

We use maths when we buy things,

when we build things,

and when we talk about our families and friends.

This is the Clarke family.

There are four people in the family.

The girl's called Emily.

Emily's eight years old.

She's got one brother. He's seven years old, and his name is George.

We use maths to measure ourselves too.

This is Emily's friend.

He's called Tom.

Tom's 121 cm tall.

This is Ella. She's Tom's cousin.

Her hair is 30 cm long.

We use maths to talk about everything.

Maths is everywhere!

It's Quiz Time!

How many people are there in this family?

That's right!

There are three people in the family.

Look at this photo.

The little girl at the front is called Kayla.

How many brothers and sisters has Kayla got?

That's right!

She's got one brother and one sister.

This is Molly.

She's five years old.

How tall is Molly?

That's right!

Molly is 110 cm tall.

Maths is an important part of everyday life.

We use it to count, tell the time, talk about our families and friends, and measure people and things.

How do you use maths?

Unit 2

► Geography: How are our houses unique?

Geography

How are our houses unique?

Where do you want to live?

You can live in a house in a village

or a flat in a town.

You can live in a big city

or in the middle of the quiet countryside.

What type of house do you want?

A house with a garden?

A house with a balcony?

A house with a spiral staircase?

Do you want to live in a castle?

Or an igloo?

Do you want to live in an old house?

Or a new one?

Some people live in very interesting houses.

Look at this houseboat in India!

This is a tree house in the USA.

Can you imagine living here?

Look at these cabins in Norway.

They are on stilts to keep the houses dry.

And look at these houses in Turkey.

They are caves!

Every house is unique, every house is different.

It's Quiz Time!

What type of house is this?

That's right!

It's a houseboat!

What type of house is this?

That's right!

It's a tree house.

What type of staircase is this?

That's right!

It's a spiral staircase.

There are so many amazing houses.

Which is your favourite?

And why?

Unit 3

► Science: What do astronauts do in space?

Science

What do astronauts do in space?

Every day, we do the same things. We get up,

have breakfast,

have a shower,

get dressed,

go to school or work.

But how is this daily routine different for people in space?

Let's take a look.

People who go into space are called astronauts.

Astronauts do what everyone else does:

they get dressed; they eat; they exercise;

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but life in space isn't like life on Earth.
In space, everything floats.
Even the astronauts!
Astronauts from around the world travel to the International Space Station.
On the space station, astronauts wear their normal clothes, but when they do a spacewalk, they wear a special spacesuit.
When astronauts finish their work, they can read, play or watch films.
They can also look at the Earth!
What a view!
In space, astronauts sleep in sleeping bags.
They can sleep in any position, but they have to fix themselves to the wall of the space station, so they don't float away!
Would you like to sleep like this?
It's Quiz Time!
How is everything different in space?
That's right!
Everything floats in space!
What do astronauts wear when they do a spacewalk?
That's right!
They wear a spacesuit.
Astronauts wear spacesuits.
What do astronauts sleep in?
That's right!
They sleep in a sleeping bag.
Astronauts sleep in sleeping bags.
Life as an astronaut is exciting.
Astronauts see the world in a different way.
Do you want to be an astronaut one day?

Unit 4

► Geography: Where do we go shopping?

Geography

Where do we go shopping?
These days, you can buy everything you need online.
On the internet, shopping is easy -
you don't even need to leave your house!
All you need to buy some nice food,
a new pair of trainers,
or a good book,
is a smartphone, tablet or a laptop.
But going to a shop is much more fun than buying things online.
So where can you go to find lots of interesting shops?
To big cities!

In places like Madrid,
Istanbul,
and New York.
In cities like Milan, Moscow,
Rio de Janeiro,
and Beijing,
you can buy toy robots,
T-shirts,
and TVs.
You can find flower shops
and shoe shops.
Ice-cream shops
and bakeries,
sweet shops,
and pet shops.
But you don't need to go to big cities to find interesting places to buy things.
In towns around the world, there are lots of small markets, and on market stalls you can find everything from delicious food to beautiful clothes.
Where do you want to go shopping?
It's Quiz Time!
What type of shop is this?
That's right!
It's a shoe shop!
What type of shop is this?
That's right!
It's a bakery!
What type of shop is this?
That's right!
It's a sweet shop!
There are lots of different shops for you to visit.
Which shops can you go to where you live?

Unit 5

► Science: What remedies do we use?

Science

What remedies do we use?
Everyone enjoys feeling fit and well.
Life is more fun when you're healthy.
But sometimes, you don't feel well.
You have a cold,
or a sore throat,
or a headache.
When you are ill, what can you do?
First of all, you can see a doctor.
A doctor might say, 'you must stay in bed'

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or 'you must drink lots of water.'
The doctor might give you some medicine to take.
But you don't always have to see a doctor.
Some people try home remedies,
Like mint tea.
Have you got a cold?
Try some chicken soup.
Have you got a sore throat?
Then drink a lemon and ginger tea.
Lemon and ginger is good.
Have you got a headache?
Why not use essential oils?
Do any of these home remedies work?
Try them and see!
It's Quiz Time!
This boy's got a cold.
What home remedy can he try?
That's right!
He can have some chicken soup.
This girl's got a headache.
What home remedy can she try?
That's right!
She can use some essential oils.
This girl has got a sore throat.
What home remedy can she try?
That's right!
She can drink lemon and ginger tea.
Being unwell isn't much fun.
To stay healthy, you need to eat healthy food, do lots of
exercise and get a good night's sleep!

Unit 6

► Geography: Why do we live in different places?

Geography

Why do we live in different places?
There are so many beautiful places to live.
The countryside, with its lakes
and waterfalls.
Or the city, where there are always lots of things to do.
You can live on a farm,
high in the mountains,
or deep in the Australian Outback.
You can live in Mexico City.
St. Petersburg,
Madrid,
or Shanghai.
But why do people live in different places?
It's about the sort of life you want to have.

Do you like quiet places and clean air?
Do you like to have lots of space?
If your answer to these questions is 'yes', then the
countryside is the best place for you.
An advantage of living in the countryside is that you are so
close to nature.
A disadvantage is that it can be a bit boring – there's much
more to do in a city.
If you like shops
and skate parks,
cinemas,
and coffee shops, then the city is a great place for you.
An advantage of living in the city is that there are lots of
people to meet.
A disadvantage is the traffic.
Cities are fun,
but they're also noisy and polluted.
It's Quiz Time!
Where is there more space to live: in the city or in the
countryside?
That's right!
There's more space in the countryside.
Where is there more traffic: in the city or in the countryside?
That's right!
There's more traffic in the city.
Where is there more pollution: in the city or in the
countryside?
That's right!
There's more pollution in the city.
There are so many beautiful places to live.
Which place do you prefer?

Unit 7

► Science: How do animals stay safe?

Science

How do animals stay safe?
We live in a world of animals.
In the sea there are whales,
sharks
and dolphins.
There are bears in the forests and mountains.
There are bats in caves
and in the savannah of Africa there are lions,
and elephants.
But how do animals stay safe?
This is a grasshopper.
Grasshoppers use their big legs to jump away from other
animals.

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Look at the grasshopper's colours – green, yellow and brown.
These colours are the same as the grass, so other animals can't see grasshoppers.
This is called camouflage.
Many animals use camouflage: leaf insects, chameleons, arctic foxes.
These are hummingbirds.
Hummingbirds fly very fast, so they can get away from animals that want to catch them.
Look at these beautiful monarch butterflies.
Because these monarch butterflies are poisonous to birds, birds can't eat them.
Animals such as the pufferfish and the American toad are also poisonous.
These are sea turtles. They are big animals.
They have hard shells, so other animals can't eat them.
There are many ways for animals to stay safe.
It's Quiz Time!
This animal uses camouflage to stay safe.
What's it called?
That's right!
It's a grasshopper.
This animal uses its hard shell to stay safe.
What's it called?
That's right!
It's a sea turtle.
This animal stays safe because it's poisonous to birds.
What's it called?
That's right!
It's a monarch butterfly.
We live in a world of animals.
Find out more about how animals stay safe.

Unit 8

► Music: What does nature sound like?

Music

What does nature sound like?

People love to make music.

Music is like language. Playing music is one of the things that makes us different from other animals.

Musical instruments such as the cello,
the flute,
and the saxophone

make sounds that make us feel happy
or sad,
excited
or afraid.
But there is another kind of music you can enjoy,
with its own special sounds:
this is the music of nature.
You can hear it in the fields
and in the mountains.
You can hear it in the forests
and along the rivers.
You can hear it in the changing seasons,
and in the world of animals.
Listen.
Some musical instruments make nature sounds.
This is the rain stick. It's from Chile in South America.
It sounds just like rain.
This is the didgeridoo, from Australia.
It can make sounds like the animals you find in that country,
like the kookaburra.
It takes lots of practice to learn how to play it!
It's Quiz Time!
Listen to this sound.
Is it from nature or is it from a musical instrument?
That's right!
It's from nature.
It's the sound of thunder.
Listen to this sound.
Is it from nature or is it from a musical instrument?
That's right!
It's from a musical instrument.
It's from a guitar.
There are many sounds in nature.
Which sounds can you hear?