# Friday Funday

General Knowledge | Brain Teasers | Comprehension Exercises

#### Hi! My name is Mila.

Remember me? We met on Disney.BYJU'S Early Learn App. I am from Ordinary County.

Can I tell you a secret? Do you promise not to tell anyone? Not even my brother Ezra!

I have a badge and when it glows, I turn into Kid Inc – the superhero. Incredible, right?

Well, I love being a superhero. For now, I have some school work to finish. Superheroes have to do homework too!

Will you help me? I will finish it faster with your help.

Let's get started!

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### **ACTIVITY1**

#### Around the globe with Kid Inc

# Thailand

Capital:	Bangkok	Flag of
Currency:	Thai baht	Thailand
Currency Code:	ТНВ	
Continent:	Asia	
Language:	Thai	



#### **REFERENCE:**

https://www.tourismthailand.org/Articles/plan-your-trip-history-and-geography-geology https://www.britannica.com/place/Thailand | https://www.cia.gov/the-world-factbook/countries/thailand/ https://kids.nationalgeographic.com/geography/countries/article/thailand | https://kids.britannica.com/kids/article/Thailand/345800 https://lima.thaiembassy.org/en/page/79488-overview-2



Thailand is located in Southeast Asia. Thailand was called Siam until 1939. It borders Myanmar, Cambodia, Laos and Malaysia by land, and India, Indonesia and Vietnam by sea. The southeastern coast, the southern Gulf of Thailand, and the Andaman coast are the three coasts in Thailand. It is shaped like an elephant's head.

Thailand is a land of forests, grasslands, and wetlands. The total area covered by forests has declined because of excessive logging, clearing for agriculture and poor management.

Logging (noun) - The work or business of cutting down trees for their wood

Grassland (noun) - A large area of open land covered with wild grass

**Wetland (noun) -** Land or areas (such as marshes or swamps) that are covered often intermittently with shallow water or have soil saturated with moisture

More than 250 varieties of bamboo are found in Thailand. More than 420 species, or kinds, of birds have been seen in the national parks of Thailand, along with dozens of species of mammals. Fossilised remains of plants and animals have been discovered in many areas of Thailand. Most of the animal fossils found are of dinosaurs.

**Mammal (noun)** – Any animal that gives birth to live young, not eggs, and feeds its young on milk. Cows, humans, and whales are all mammals

**Fossil (noun)** – The shape of a bone, a shell, or a plant or animal that has been preserved in rock for a very long period





Thai food is famous all over the world. Over the years, Thai people have successfully adapted foreign cooking methods. Instead of serving dishes in courses, a Thai meal is served all at once. The ideal Thai meal is a harmonious blend of the spicy, the subtle, the sweet and sour. A good meal for an average person may consist simply of a soup and rice.

**Adapted (verb)** – To change your behaviour in order to deal more successfully with a new situation

Thailand is a destination, transit, and source country for migrants. Migrant workers from other Southeast Asian countries with lower wages – primarily Burma and, to a lesser extent, Laos and Cambodia – have been coming to Thailand for decades to work in labour-intensive industries.

Labour-intensive (adjective) - Needing many people to do something

Labour (verb) - Someone who works hard using their hands

**Migrant (noun)** – A person who moves from one place to another in order to find work or better living conditions





**Instruction:** Read the aforementioned passage and answer the questions

1. Based on the definition provided in the passage above, which one of the following is an opposite of the word 'migrant'?				
a. Native	<b>b.</b> Resident	<b>c.</b> Both A and B		
2. Which of the following is NOT a neighbouring country of Thailand?				
a. Singapore	<b>b.</b> Cambodia	<b>c.</b> Myanmar		
3. How many stripes does the Thai flag have?				
a. Seven	<b>b.</b> Five	<b>c.</b> Four		
4. Thailand is located in Asia.				
a. Southeast	<b>b.</b> Southwest	<b>c.</b> Northeast		
5. What is the currency code for the Thai Baht?				
a. TBH	<b>b.</b> THB	c. THE		





## **ACTIVITY 2**

#### Grammar Time with Miss Mala!

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**Instruction:** Study the pictures and fill in the blanks to complete the idiom

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Idiom (noun) an expression whose meaning is different from the meanings of the individual words in it.

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To feel sorry or sad about something that has already happened; used to emphasise that this is not helpful



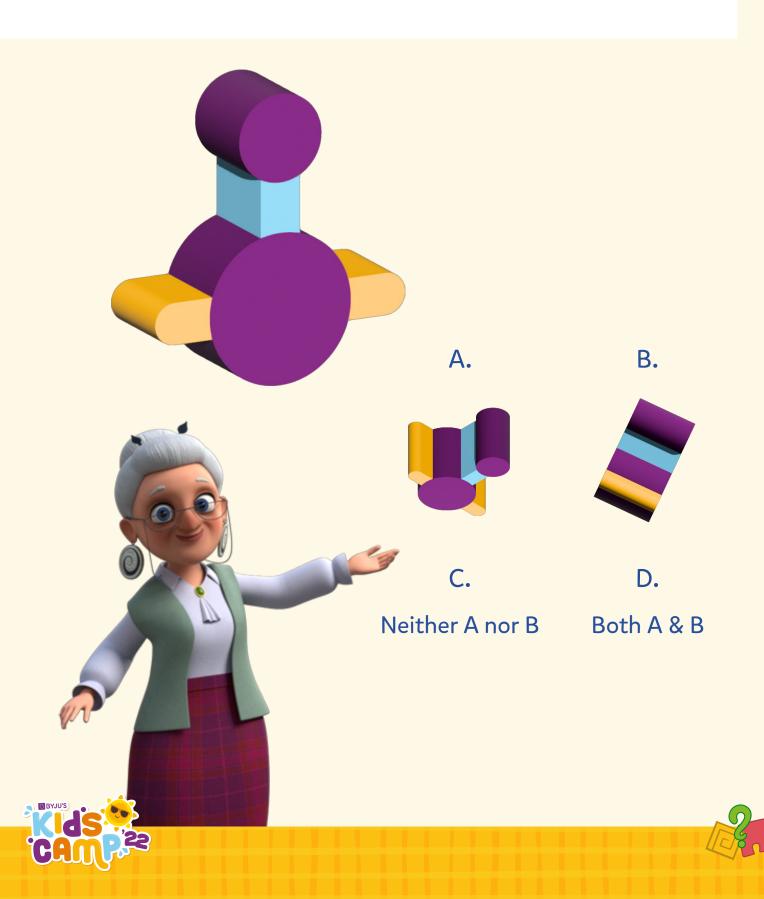




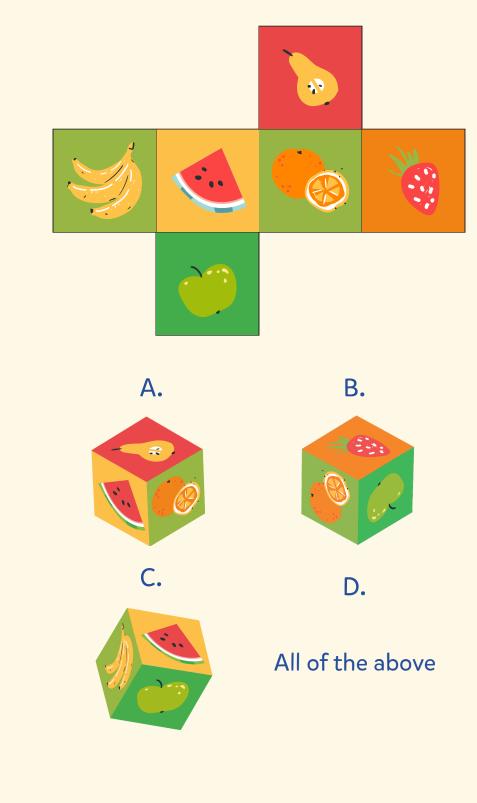


# ACTIVITY 3 Mental Gymnastics with Ms Meridiem

#### **Instruction:** Which figure is a rotation of the object?



2. Which one of the following cubes can be made using this unfolded cube?







### **ACTIVITY 4** Secret Superhero Work for Officer Michael!



#### Instruction: Do as directed

- 1. Find the two statements that together prove:
  - Tara saved ₹100 this month.
  - A. Tara is trying to save money.
  - **B.** Tara puts aside ₹100 at the beginning of the month.
  - C. Tara's bank account has ₹300 in it.
  - D. Everyone must save money by cutting unnecessary expenses.
  - a. A & B b. B & D
  - c. D & A d. None of the above







#### 2. Identify the odd one out



a. Table Tennis



**c.** Lawn Tennis



b. Badminton



d. Cricket

3. Choose the proper sequence:

A. Some books at Aria's house are kept on the bookshelf.B. Some books at Aria's house are kept in the cupboard.

Can we then say that - Aria likes to read books?

a. Can't say b. No, Aria dislikes reading.

c. Yes, Aria likes reading.







#### 4. The teacher said to her mother, "You \_\_\_\_\_ worry about her. She is a good student. I am sure she will ace her exams."

a. Need not b. Must

c. Should d. All of the above

- 5. It is <u>mandatory</u> for students to wear the school uniform. What is the meaning of the word 'mandatory'?
  - a. Optional b. Compulsory
  - c. Discretionary d. Voluntary





# ACTIVITY 5

# **Instruction:** Find 10 differences between the two images below

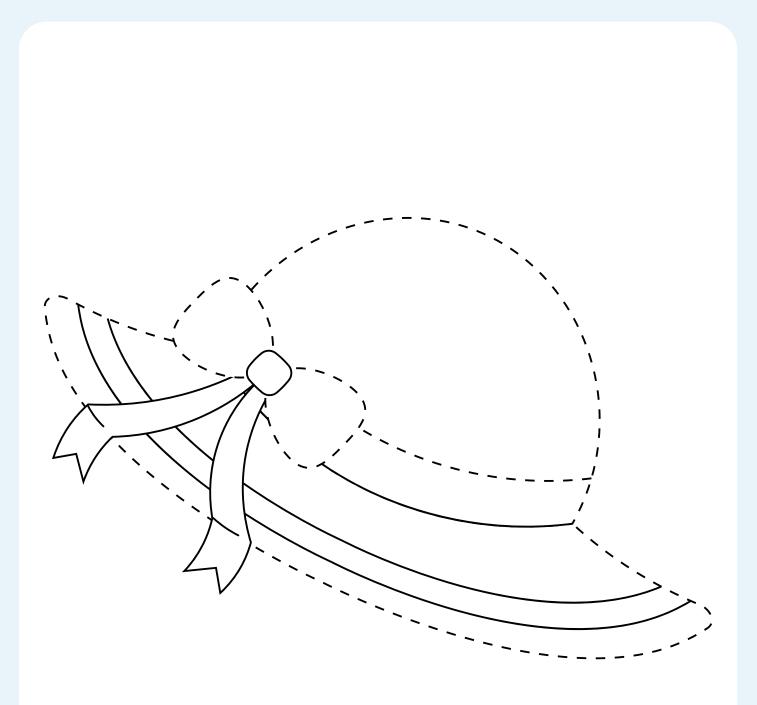






Fun with Ezra!

### **Instruction:** Fill this picture with your favourite colours







### **BONUS STICKERS**



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# SOLUTIONS

### ACTIVITY1 \_\_\_\_\_

- 1. c. Both A and B 2. a. Singapore 3. b. Five
- 4. a. Southeast 5. b. THB

### ACTIVITY 2

- **1.** To cry over spilt milk
- 2. To let the cat out of the bag

### ACTIVITY 3

- **1.** D. Both A & B
- 2. D. All of the above





# **SOLUTIONS**

ACTIVITY 4 _		
<b>1.</b> a. A & B	2. b. Badminton Badminton is played with a shuttlecock; the rest are played with a ball	<b>3.</b> a. Can't say It is because the sentences given to us do not specify whether Aria likes reading or not. The sentence only tells us where the books are kept and not who reads them.
4. a. Need not	5. b. Compulsory	

### **ACTIVITY 5**

