

Very Last First Time

Book by Jan Andrews

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Language Arts: Copywork

Encourage your student to copy the passage in her best handwriting.

Math: Word Problems

Complete the word problems based on *Very Last First Time*.

Science: Salty Sea Experiment

Observe what happens as salty water evaporates.

Mix two teaspoons of salt into two cups of water. Pour water into a pan. Place pan in a warm, dry place. Over a period of days, allow the water to evaporate. Record your observations in the flap book.

Science: Ocean Animals

Research and complete the mini-books, as desired. Mini-books include: Crab Classification Layer Book, Crab Layer Book, Sea Anemone Layer, Mussels Layer Book, Shrimp Layer Book, and Starfish Layer Book.

Social Studies: Inuit People Culture

Research the Inuit people and answer the questions in the mini-book.

Social Studies: Canada

Research Canada and complete the report form. If you are making a lapbook, you can store it in the pocket provided.

You can also complete the Where in the World Is Canada? Shuttefold book and the Map of Canada simple fold book.

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Very Last First Time

“That was my last very first – my very last *first* time – for walking alone on the bottom of the sea,” Eva said.

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Math Word Problems

Eva and her four friends lined up their snowshoes.
How many snowshoes in all? County by twos.

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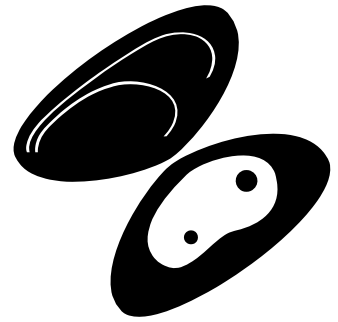
Ten families in the village own dogs. If each family
owns two dogs, how many dogs are in Ungava Bay?

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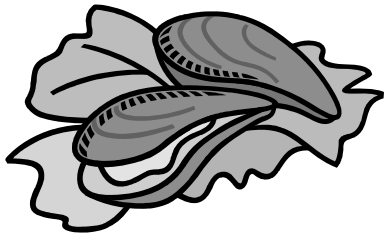
Seven snowmobiles are running properly, but the others need
repairs. Since there are fourteen snowmobiles in the village _____
need repairs.

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Eva cut a strand of six mussels and a strand of eight mussels. Eva has _____ mussels total.



Eva had twenty-three mussels in her pan, but she slipped and four fell out. How many mussels are left?



Eva saw some shrimp in the water. There are more than six but less than ten. The number is an even number. How many shrimp did she see?



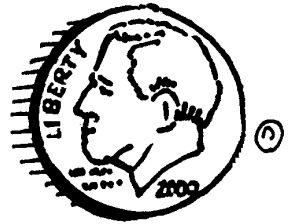
Four candles were burning. One candle burned out. Eva lit two more candles. How many candles were burning then?



Eva's mom bought a large box of candles. She gave six candles to Eva and took six candles for herself. Twelve candles are left in the box. How many come in a large box?



Each candle cost ten cents. How much does a large box of candles cost?



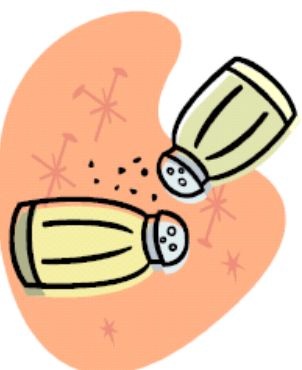
Eve is twelve years old. How old was she four years ago?



Write your own story problem below.

<p><u>Question</u></p> <p>(What you are wanting to find out)</p>	
<p><u>Hypothesis</u></p> <p>(Your educated guess as to what you think the answer to your question is)</p>	
<p><u>Procedure</u></p> <p>(Describe how you perform the experiment)</p>	
<p><u>Results</u></p> <p>(What was the outcome of your experiment?)</p>	
<p><u>Conclusion</u></p> <p>(What did you find out?)</p>	

Salty Sea Experiment



Cut out book as one piece. Mountain fold on dotted lines. Cut flaps on solid lines. As you perform experiment, record data under flaps.

Salt Water Evaporation Experiment:
Mix 2 teaspoons of salt into 2 cups of water. Pour water into a pan. Place pan in a warm, dry place. Over a period of days, allow the water to evaporate. Record observations.

Cut out all pages on solid lines. Stack with cover on top and staple on left.

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Crab Classification

Others in this kingdom:

Kingdom

Others in this phylum:

Phylum

Others in this class:

Class

Others in this order:

Order

Others in this family:

Family

Others in this genus:

Genus



Crab

Where do they live?

What do they eat?

How do they reproduce?

How do they protect themselves?

How many legs?

What kind of mouth?

What kind of body covering?

Circle one:

Vertebrate or Invertebrate

Circle one:

Herbivore

Carnivore

Omnivore

What kind of animal?



Print out all pages and cut on solid lines.
Stack with smallest page on top and staple at top.
Fill out info on each page.
Glue back of last page into lap/notebook.

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Sea Anemone

Where do they live?

What do they eat?

How do they reproduce?

How do they protect themselves?

What kind of mouth?

What kind of body covering?

Circle one:

Vertebrate or Invertebrate

Circle one:

Herbivore

Carnivore

Omnivore

What kind of animal?

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Mussels

Where do they live?

What do they eat?

How do they reproduce?

How do they protect themselves?

What kind of mouth?

What kind of body covering?

Circle one:

Vertebrate or Invertebrate

Circle one:

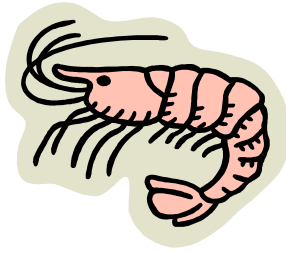
Herbivore

Carnivore

Omnivore

What kind of animal?

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Shrimp

Where do they live?

What do they eat?

How do they reproduce?

How do they protect themselves?

What kind of mouth?

What kind of body covering?

Circle one:

Vertebrate or Invertebrate

Circle one:

Herbivore

Carnivore

Omnivore

What kind of animal?

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Starfish

Where do they live?

What do they eat?

How do they reproduce?

How do they protect themselves?

What kind of mouth?

What kind of body covering?

Circle one:

Vertebrate or Invertebrate

Circle one:

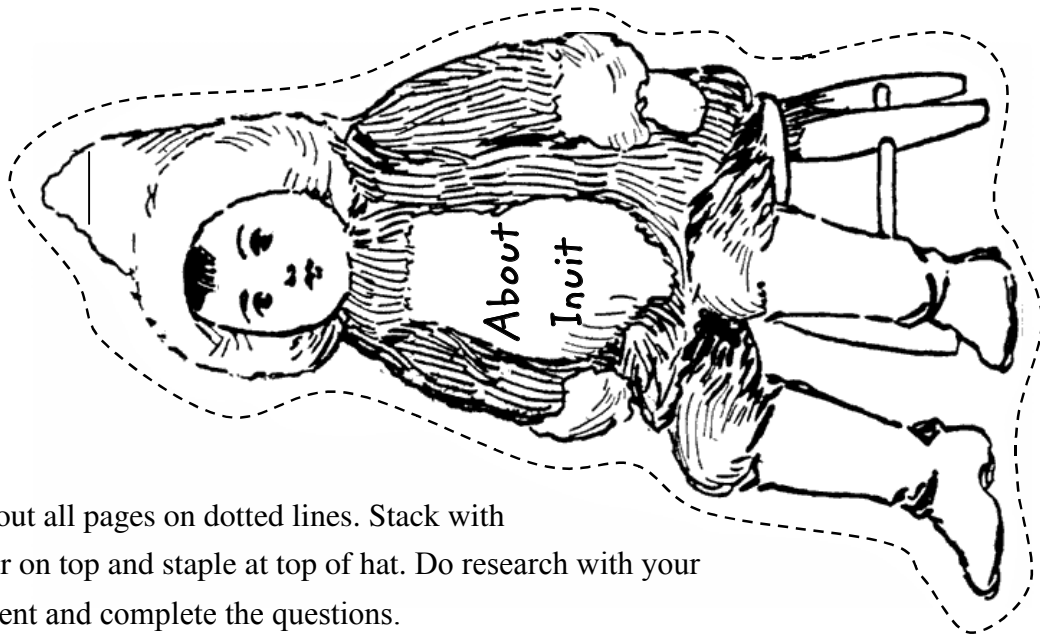
Herbivore

Carnivore

Omnivore

What kind of animal?

Print out all pages and cut on solid lines.
Stack with smallest page on top and staple at top.
Fill out info on each page.
Glue back of last page into lap/notebook.



Cut out all pages on dotted lines. Stack with cover on top and staple at top of hat. Do research with your student and complete the questions.

Where do they live?

What do they eat?

How do they travel?

What are their clothes made of?

What do they do for fun?

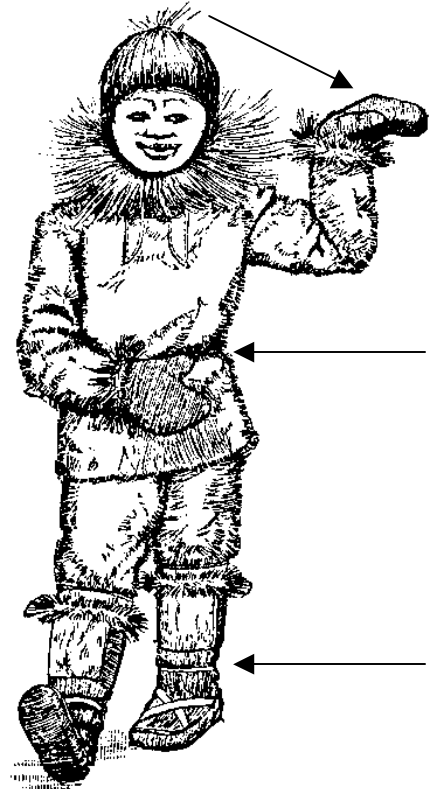
What kind of pets do they have?



What an Inuk Wears

Label the Inuk's clothing:

- A. Parka
- B. Mukluk
- C. Mitten



Cut out Inuk's Attire book on solid lines. Valley fold on dotted line. Glue Graphics to cover.

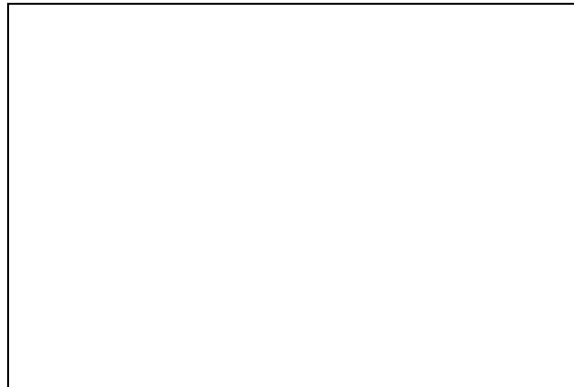
Country Name:

What continent is it in?

What is the capital?

What oceans does it touch?

Paste their flag here:



Where does Eva live? Color her in and glue her on map.



Canada



Print out both pages.
Fill out report form.
Cut out and glue graphics where indicated.



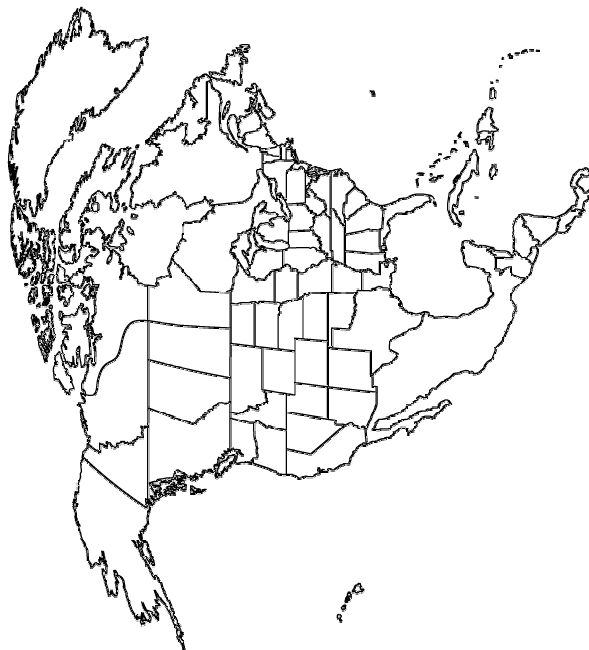
To assemble pocket:
Cut out pocket, fold under tabs, and glue
into lapbook.

Cut out shutter book and map on solid lines.
Fold shutter book on dotted lines so that words are on cover.
Glue map into book under shutters.

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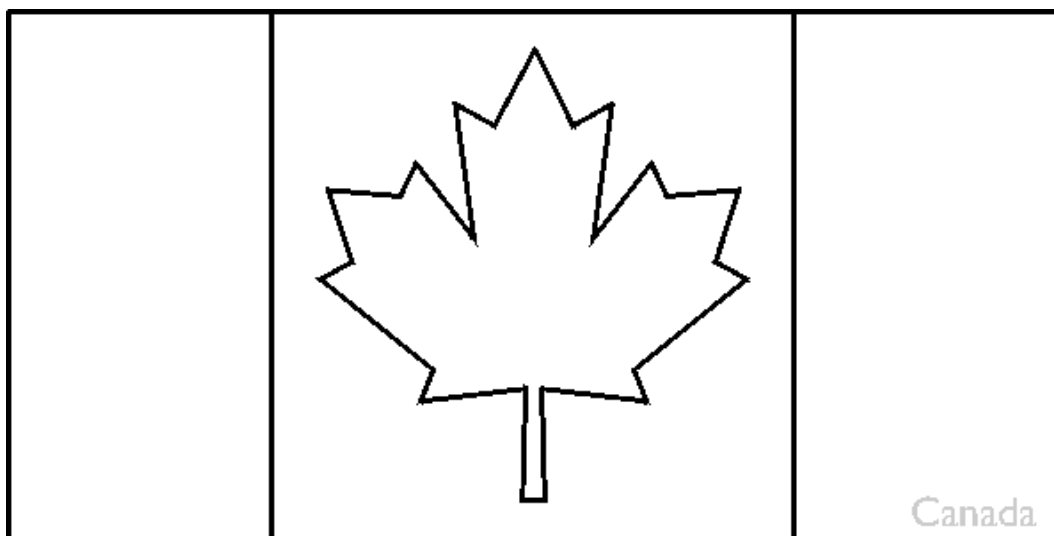
Is
Canada?

Where
in
the
World. . .



What continent is Canada on?

Find Canada on the map and color it in.



Very Last First Time Library List compiled by Kelly Niles

Polar Animals by Norman Barrett and Franklin Watts

Living in a World of White by Tanya Lee Stone

Polar Bears by Gail Gibbons

Arctic & Antarctic by Barbara Taylor

Arctic and Antarctic by Lorrie Mack

Polar Lands by Margaret Hynes

Crafts for Kids Who Are Wild About Polar Life by Kathy Ross

(great craft ideas to go with an arctic study)

All About Snow and Ice by Stephen Krensky (interesting experiments to try)

The Inuit by Suzanne M. Williams

The Inuits by Shirlee P. Newman

The Peoples of the Arctic by Kevin Osborn

People of the Ice and Snow by The Editors of Time-Life Books

Inuit: Glimpses of an Arctic Past by David Morrison and Georges-Hebert Germain

How People Live by Penelope Arlon

Ice Bear by Nicola Davies

Nanuk: Lord of the Ice by Brian Heinz

Mama, Do You Love Me? By Barbara M. Joose

The Polar Bear Son: An Inuit Tale by Lydia Dabovich

Arctic Son by Jean Craighead George

Snow Bear by Jean Craighead George

The Blizzard's Robe by Robert Sabuda

Kumak's Fish: A Tall Tale from the Far North by Michael Bania

(a cute story that could be compared/contrasted with The Enormous Turnip)

Knut: How One Little Polar Bear Captivated the World told by Juliana, Isabella, and Craig Hatkoff

The Lamp, the Ice, and the Boat Called Fish by Jacqueline Briggs Martin

(a longer book, good for older children)

The Three Snow Bears by Jan Brett

Ice Bear and Little Fox by Jonathan London

The Gift of the Inuksuk by Mike Ulmer

Kayuktuk: An Arctic Quest by Brian Heinz

Videos: Mama, Do You Love Me? ; Klondike and Snow: A Tale of Twin Polar Bears