

Kindergarten

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Consumers and Producers

Needs are things you have to have in order to live. Needs are things like food, shelter and clothing.



Wants are things you wish you had, even though you don't really need them.

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How do people get the things they need and want?



You can use money to buy things. People work to earn money to buy things they need or want. When you buy something, you are a consumer.



Consumers are people who pay for goods and services. Goods are things that are made for people to use. Books, food, toys and clothes are goods.

A service is work or a duty that someone does for another person. If your parents pay someone to mow the lawn or wash the car, that is a service.



Where do the things we need and want come from?



Some things we need and want are made by people. The people who make things for other people to buy are called producers.



Some things we need and want come from other countries. Most of the world's chocolate comes from the Ivory Coast in Africa.



For many years, people all over the United States had milk, eggs and other dairy products delivered to their homes. They paid for the milk and eggs (the goods) and for the delivery (a service). Sometimes children would ride on the dairy trucks.



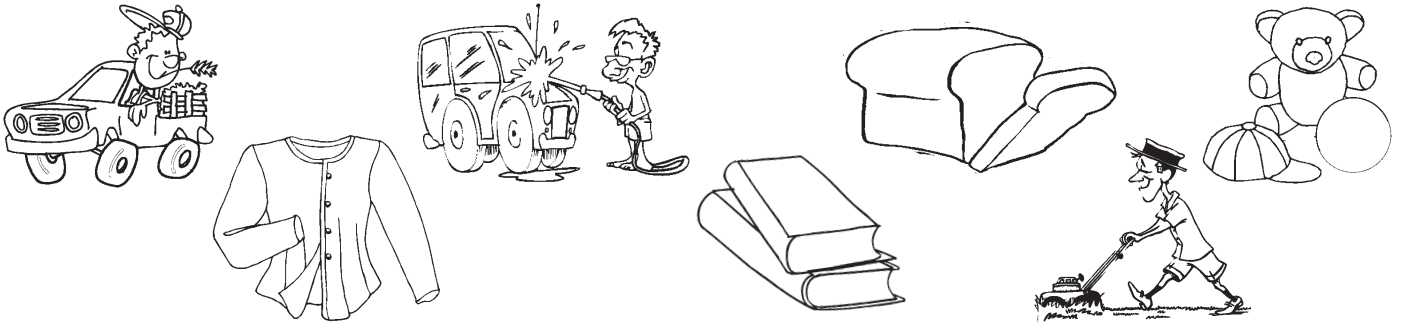
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- Develop an awareness of a primary source.
- Compare children and families of today with those in the past.
- Explain that maps and globes help to locate different places and that globes are

- a model of Earth.
- Recognize that people work to earn money to buy things they need or want.
- Identify the difference between basic needs and wants.

Name _____

Circle the pictures that show goods. Draw a box around the pictures that show services. Color the pictures.



Can you find the Ivory Coast on this map of Africa? Use your favorite color to fill in the Ivory Coast.



Can you find three things that are different in these two pictures? Circle the things in the second picture that are different.

