

# Discovery WEEK 4

IT'S MONDAY

*Don't* FORGET

**TO BE**

**AWESOME.**

# Monday ☺



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Please watch the clip on India.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=I6i8cLXPGQE>

Can you then write two paragraphs all about the Taj Mahal?

Please remember to include adjectives, prepositions and detailed facts. You may want to research the Taj Mahal further in either an encyclopaedia or on google.

Please see the below link to remind you what a fronted adverbial is .....

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pCpJXDy0tb8>

Please see the below link to remind you what a preposition is .....

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=byszemY8Pl8>

**Monday's gone**  
**TUESDAY'S**  
**Here!**  
**Lets hope it**  
**Brings you**  
**Lots of cheer!**



# Tuesday 😊

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Please read the following slides all about India.

Please then answer the questions on the following slides in full sentences.

Remember to find as many answers as you can in the text to support your answer.



# India

India is a country in the continent of Asia. It is home to the Himalayan Mountains, the highest mountain range in the world. It is also home to the world's second largest population.



## Food

Nobody in India eats beef because cows are seen as **sacred** animals. In fact, many people are vegetarian. People use their fingers, rather than cutlery, to eat their food. Look at these rules to find out more about eating in India.

- 1 It is considered impolite if the food reaches past the first joint of the finger when eating.
- 2 The fingers should not touch the mouth whilst food is being eaten.
- 3 Only the right hand should be used when eating.

Many people in northern India eat chapatis with their meal. These are flat pieces of bread used to soak up or scoop food. Lentils, fish and coconut milk are used in many meals all over India. Meals often use many delicious spices to add flavour to food.



## Wildlife

One of the world's rarest animals lives in the Indian Himalayas. The snow leopard can be found in its mountains, in very cold conditions. Their thick fur acts like a winter coat whilst its huge paws behave like snow shoes. The most likely prey for these speedy and powerful animals comes in the form of birds, hares, goats and sheep. When they stray into farms, hunting for prey, they risk being killed by local people. This, as well as other factors, has led to dramatically reduced numbers of the big cats in the wild.



## The People and Their Religions

More than a billion people live in India. The population continues to grow at a rapid rate, which makes some worry about how the country will manage to feed its people. This means that growing crops and looking after animals is very important to the future of the country.

Many people in India have religious beliefs. The two main religions in India are Hinduism and Islam, although there are other religions in the country.

## Land

India has a varied landscape. From deserts and jungles to coasts and cities, India can grow many different crops whilst providing ideal habitats for a range of rare animals. The country is prone to cyclones, heavy rains, floods and other types of extreme weather conditions such as monsoons. This is a big problem because so much of the country relies on farming the land, which can be destroyed in these weathers.

## Glossary

**Population** – the people who live in a place

**Lakshmi** – Hindu goddess of good luck

**Sacred** – something or someone that is special to a religion

## Fact File

**Capital** New Delhi

**Flag**



**Currency** Rupees

**Language** Hindi  
(most common)

**Longest river** Ganges

## Diwali – The Festival of Light

Diwali is a Hindu festival famous for light and colour. It usually happens around the end of October and symbolizes the beginning of a new year. The celebration welcomes the goddess **Lakshmi** to people's homes. Every home burns special clay lamps to light the way for the goddess to their homes. In preparation for her visit, homes are cleaned and decorated whilst many people make Indian sweets, sharing them with family and friends. Indians use jasmine flowers to decorate their homes and visit temples to worship. People dress in fine clothes made of beautiful silks, eat delicious foods and celebrate good luck. The cities and homes are decorated with lights and firework displays whilst firecrackers are used to frighten off evil spirits. Presents are exchanged and parties are held.

In which continent can people find India?

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What is special about the Himalayan Mountains?

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Look at *The People and Their Religions*. Find and copy a word that means the same as 'fast'.

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Why are animals and farming important to India?



According to *The People and Their Religions*, what may happen if Indian farming does not continue to produce more and more food into the future?

Look at the text about *Diwali – The Festival of Light*. How do Hindus prepare for this festival? Give **three** examples.

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_

How does the goddess Lakshmi know to come into people's homes?

Why do Hindus light firecrackers?

7. Draw a line to match the title to the content.

**The People and Their Religions**

**Wildlife**

**Diwali – The Festival of Light**

**Food**

**Land**

**People dress in fine clothes, eat special sweets and light their homes.**

**Indians use their fingers rather than knives and forks when eating.**

**The population of India continues to grow at a rapid rate.**

**Snow leopards' feet act like snow shoes in the wild.**

**India experiences all sorts of extreme weather conditions.**

*Happy Wednesday*



**Thought  
I'd stop  
by with  
a smile  
and  
brighten  
up your  
Wednesday  
awhile!**



# Wednesday 😊



Can you watch the following clip and write a set of instructions on 'How to make Bombay Potatoes.' Make sure you take notes as there are no words. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=GhpoVmNA88I>

You will need to include the following.....

- A title
- A list of things you will need including ingredients and equipment
- Numbered steps for instructions
- Adverbs of time (see following slides for a reminder of these)
- Imperative verbs (see following slides for a reminder of these)
- Adjectives to describe ingredients
- The correct punctuation
- Diagrams or pictures for different steps

# Adverbs of Time List

## POINTS OF TIME



- Tomorrow
- Tonight
- Yesterday



- Now
- Then
- Today

## RELATIONSHIPS IN TIME

- |              |              |         |
|--------------|--------------|---------|
| • Already    | • Last       | • Just  |
| • Before     | • Late       | • Next  |
| • Early      | • Later      | • Soon  |
| • Earlier    | • Lately     | • Still |
| • Eventually | • Formerly   | • Yet   |
| • Finally    | • Previously | • Since |
| • First      | • Recently   |         |

## ADVERBS OF INDEFINITE FREQUENCY

- |             |                |
|-------------|----------------|
| • Often     | • Constantly   |
| • Rarely    | • Ever         |
| • Regularly | • Frequently   |
| • Seldom    | • Generally    |
| • Sometimes | • Infrequently |
| • Regularly | • Never        |
| • Usually   | • Normally     |
| • Always    |                |



## ADVERBS OF DEFINITE FREQUENCY

- |               |             |
|---------------|-------------|
| • Annually    | • Nightly   |
| • Daily       | • Quarterly |
| • Fortnightly |             |
| • Hourly      |             |
| • Monthly     |             |
| • Yearly      |             |
| • Weekly      |             |



# Imperative Verbs

I'm Little Miss Bossy and I tell you what to do. I use a verb near the beginning of my sentences to change them into a command.



hold

wash

chop

draw

brush

cut

place

rinse

slice

fold

put

peel

tidy

stir

pour

sort

measure

mix

order

bake

take

play

sprinkle

slice

go

add

spread

Happy  
Thursday





# Thursday 😊



Can you research, locate and label India on a map? (see next slide for a map)

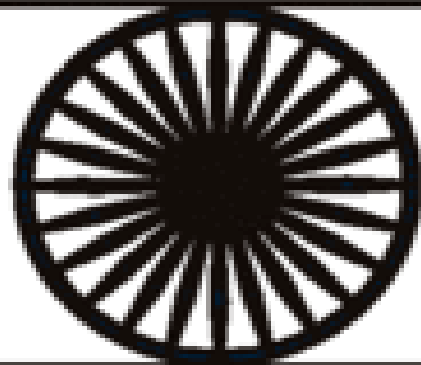
Can you locate and label the Arabian Sea?

Can you find out the answers to the following questions.. (Please answer in full sentences)

1. What is the capital city?
2. What countries is India attached to?
3. What currency do they use in India?
4. What is India's official name?
5. What are the major religions found in India?
6. Can you colour the Indian flag? (Please see in following slides a template for this) If you can't print, don't worry, have a go at drawing a flag in your distant learning books.







# Happy Friday

Good morning my  
wonderful friends!

may your day  
begin with a  
smile on

your face,

Love in your

heart and happiness

within your soul..



via [LoveThisPic.com](http://LoveThisPic.com)



Friday 😊



Can you research and then compare the city Mumbai to London? Please write at least 2 paragraphs. One paragraph on London and one on Mumbai. Can you include a range of conjunctions? Please use the following clip to remind you about a variety of different conjunctions....

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yQPkKL3OSAY>

Try to include the following facts:

- Poverty
- Population
- Lifestyle
- Opportunities
- Iconic buildings or architecture