

PRIMARY TWO

LITERACY 1A

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LITERACY II LESSON NOTES FOR P.2 TERM I

Theme: Our school

- ❖ A school is a place where we go to learn.

Keeping the school clean

How do we keep our school clean?

- ❖ Sweeping the classroom
- ❖ Sweeping the compound.
- ❖ Slashing the compound
- ❖ Weeding flower gardens
- ❖ Mopping the classroom
- ❖ Dusting the tables and chairs
- ❖ Picking rubbish and putting in the waste bins
- ❖ Burning rubbish
- ❖ Cleaning the chalkboard.
- ❖ Arranging the things in our classroom
- ❖ Proper use of the toilets
- ❖ Flushing toilets
- ❖ Removing webs

How we keep our classrooms clean?

- ❖ By sweeping them.
- ❖ By mopping.
- ❖ By dusting tables, chairs, desks etc....
- ❖ By arranging things in the classroom.

How we keep the compound clean?

- ❖ By sweeping
- ❖ By weeding the flower gardens.
- ❖ By slashing
- ❖ By trimming.

Things we use to keep our school clean

Brooms	slashers	hoe	axe	water
rag	dust bins	rake	soap	basins


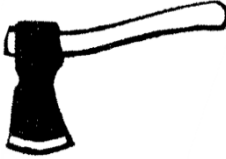



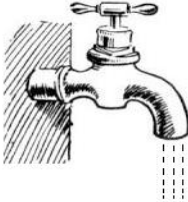

			
Hoe	Axe	Broom	slasher
			
Rake	Rag	Water	soap
Dust bin	Brush	Scrubbing brush	Waste paper basket

Diagram	Its use
	For sweeping
	For digging
	For slashing
	For cutting big trees
	For mopping
	For putting in rubbish
	For collecting rubbish

THEME OUR HOME

ANIMALS

Types of animals

- ❖ Domestic animals
- ❖ Wild animals



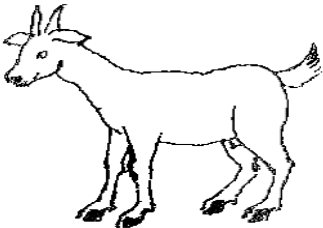

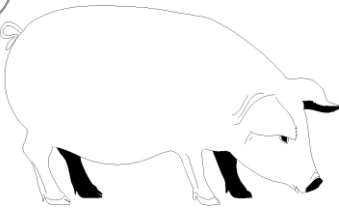

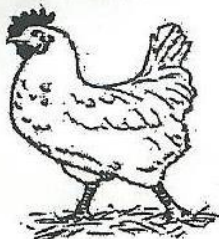
Domestic animals

Def: Animals are animals kept at home.

Examples of domestic animals

Cat, cow, rabbit, horse, pig, goat, hen, donkey, duck, turkey etc

Draw and name these animals

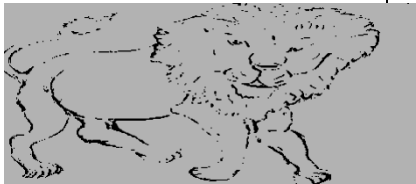

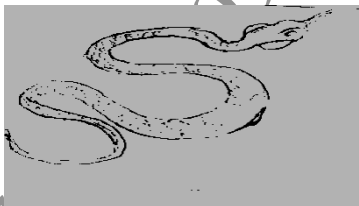




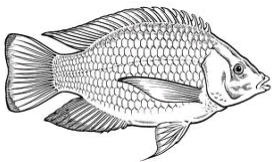
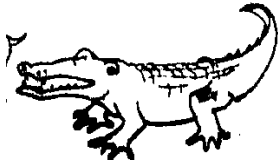
		
Cat	Cow	Goat
		
Rabbit	Pig	Dog
		
Hen	Turkey	Horse

Wild animals

❖ These are animals that live in the bush or water.

Examples of wild animals

Leopard tiger lion zebra elephant
 frogs snakes fish crocodile kobs
 etc

Lion	Zebra	Snake
		
Monkey	Elephant	Tiger
		
Buffalo	Giraffe	Frog
		
Fish	Crocodile	Fox
		

Places where wild animals live

- ❖ Forests, bush, grass, game parks, zoo, jungles, water

Uses of domestic animals

- ❖ A dog guards our homes.
- ❖ A cat is a pet.
- ❖ We get milk from cows.
- ❖ We get meat from cows.
- ❖ We get pork from pigs.
- ❖ We get eggs from hens.
- ❖ We get chicken from hens.
- ❖ We sell some domestic animals to get money.
- ❖ Cats eat rats at home.
- ❖ We use oxen to dig our gardens.

Draw these things got from domestic animals

		
Eggs	Milk	Meat

Things we eat from animals

Animal	Thing we eat
Cow	Beef
Sheep	Mutton
Hen	Chicken
Fish	Fillet
Pig	Pork

How we care for domestic animals?

- ❖ By feeding them.
- ❖ By giving them shelter.

- ❖ By treating them we they are sick.
- ❖ By cleaning their homes.

Animals with their homes.

Animal	Home
Dog	Kennel
Pig	Sty
Bird	Nest
Cow	Kraal / byre
Goat	Pen / shed
Lion	Den
Rabbit	Hutch
Fish	Water
crocodile	Water

Animal	Home
Man	House
Ants	Ant hill
Sheep	Pen / fold
Horse	Stable
Snake	Hole
Bees	Hive
Termites	Ant hill
Monkey	trees
Spider	Spider web

Animals with their homes

Animal	Home
Dog	
Cow	
Spider	

Bird	
Termites	
Bees	
Man	

Animal and their young ones

Dog	puppy
Pig	piglet
Duck	duckling
Cow	calf
Cat	kitten
Lion	cub
Elephant	calf
Sheep	lamb
Bird	nestling
Fish	fry
Rabbit	bunny
Man	baby
Butterfly	caterpillars
Hen	chick
Frog	tadpole

Horse

foal

Animal with their sounds

A dog	barks
A duck	quacks
A sheep/goat	bleats
A snake	hisses
A cat	mews
A bird	whistles/sings
A bull	bellows
An elephant	trumpets
A lion	roars
A frog	crocks
A donkey	brays
People	cry / talk
A hen	clucks
A horse	neighs
A baby	cries
Pig	grunts

Animal movement

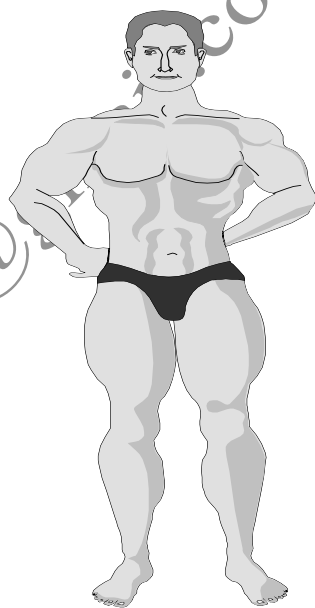
People	walk
Cows	walk
Hens	walk
Elephants	walk
Birds	fly
Fish	swim
A frog	hops / jumps
A baby	crawls
A snake/snail	glides / slithers
A caterpillar	wiggles
A dog	runs / walks
A crocodile/ baby/ lizard	crawls

THEME IV: THE HUMAN BODY AND HEALTH

Sub theme: Parts of the body

Head neck hands finger ears
 chest navel toes eyes arms
 skin mouth stomach knee

Parts of the body



Main parts of the body

a) Head	Parts of the head
	Hair Ears Eyes Mouth Cheek Chin Nose


b) Trunk	Parts of the trunk
	Neck Chest Belly shoulder navel breasts
c) Limbs	Parts of the limb
	Elbow Fingers Palms Calf Ankle Nails Toes Thigh

Uses of parts of the body

<u>Part</u>	<u>Uses</u>
<u>Eyes</u>	<u>For seeing</u>
<u>Ears</u>	<u>For hearing</u>
<u>Legs</u>	<u>For walking</u>
<u>Hands</u>	<u>For touching</u>
<u>Tongue</u>	<u>For tasting</u>
<u>Nose</u>	<u>For smelling</u>
<u>Mouth</u>	<u>For feeding</u>

Senses and sense organs

- ❖ They are five senses organs
- ❖ These are: - eyes, noses, ears, tongue, skin.

Five senses	Five sense organs	Use
Seeing		To see

Hearing		To hear
Tasting		To taste
Smelling		To smell
Feeling		To feel

Activity

Match the sense organs correctly.

Personal hygiene




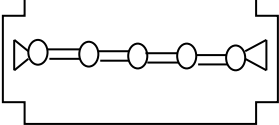
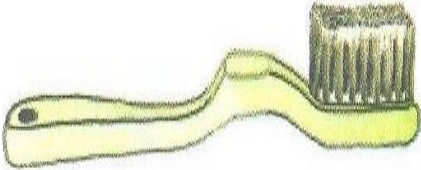
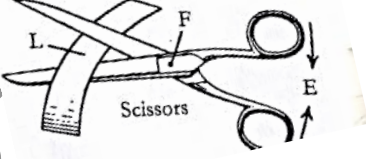
Personal hygiene is the cleanliness of our body.

Things we use to clean our body.

Sponge sandals razorblade water
toothbrush toothpaste tooth pick scissors
Ears buds nail cutter comb towel basin
Toilet paper

Name the things used to clean our body.

Soap	Water	Comb
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Razor blade	Tooth brush	Scissors
		
Tooth paste	Brush	Bathing sponge

Importance and ways of keeping the body clean

Why do we carry out personal hygiene?

- ❖ To avoid or prevent diseases
- ❖ To avoid bad body smell
- ❖ To avoid bad breathe
- ❖ To remove dirt

Ways of keeping our bodies clean

- ❖ we wash our face
- ❖ we comb our hair
- ❖ we cut our finger nails short
- ❖ we bathe our body
- ❖ we cut our toe nails short

Dangers of not keeping the body clean

- ❖ We get tooth decay.
- ❖ The body smells.
- ❖ We fall sick.
- ❖ We get diseases.

Activity

1. Why do we brush our teeth?
2. How do we keep our hair clean?

Common diseases at school and at home

Malaria	chicken pox	cough
Dysentery	flu	diarrhoea
Mumps		

Non curable diseases

- ❖ AIDS
- ❖ Cancer

Causes of common diseases and spread

- ❖ Some diseases are caused by germs
- ❖ Eating dirty food
- ❖ Failure to use toilets well.
- ❖ Drinking dirty water.
- ❖ Getting cuts.
- ❖ When mosquitoes bite us.
- ❖ Playing with dust.

Prevention of common diseases

- ❖ By cleaning our homes.
- ❖ Covering our food.
- ❖ Putting rubbish in dust bin.
- ❖ Washing hands before eating.
- ❖ By bathing.
- ❖ Sleeping in mosquito nets.
- ❖ Not playing with sharp objects.
- ❖ By immunization.

Childhood disease (immunisable diseases)

What is immunization?

- ❖ Sore mouth
- ❖ Running nose

Polio

- ❖ Lame leg / arm

Whooping cough

- ❖ running nose
- ❖ cough

Tuberculosis

- ❖ cough last long
- ❖ running nose
- ❖ hard to breathe

Diphtheria

- ❖ swollen neck
- ❖ sore throat
- ❖ Hard to breathe

Importance of immunization

- ❖ It reduces death of children.
- ❖ It promotes good health
- ❖ It prevents immunisable diseases.