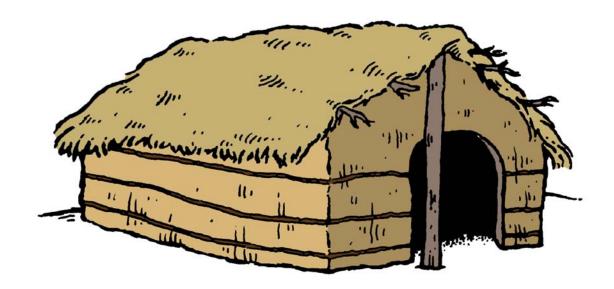


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FRIENDS AROUND THE WORLD



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New friends are all around the world. Some are like you, and some are different.

I am Chang-Yong, and I am ten. My family lives in South Korea.





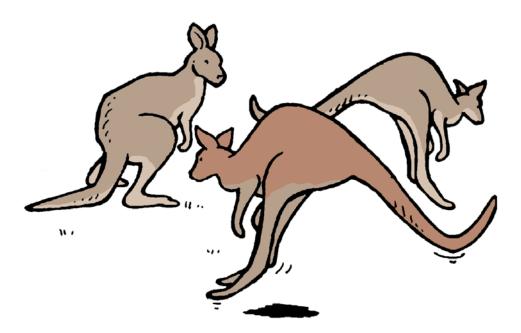
I like going to school and playing ball.

My best jacket is made of **silk**.

My favorite food is **barbecued** beef.

Jessica is my name.
I live in Australia.
I am six.





I live with my mother and grandmother.

My mother is a cook.

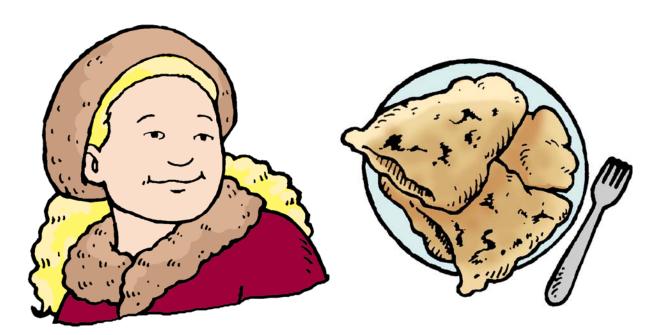
I love to watch **kangaroos** hop around.

I am Natasha, and I am seven.

My home is an apartment
in Moscow, Russia.

I like dancing.





I wear a fur hat and coat in winter.

I play in the snow.

I love to eat pancakes.

I live in Tanzania.

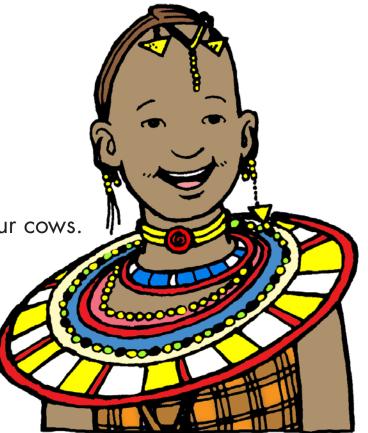
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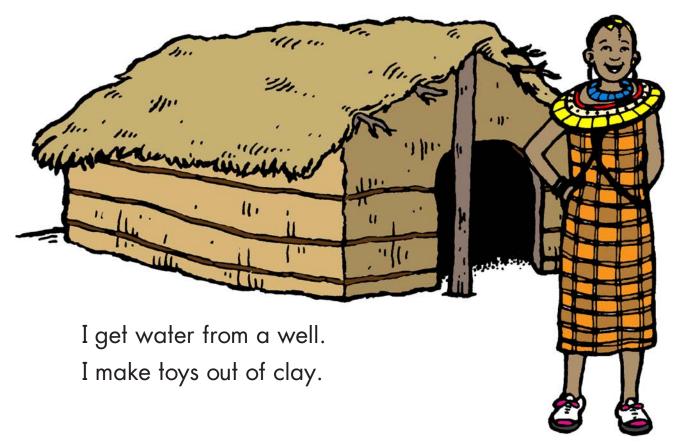
is my name.

We live in a hut with

a grass roof.

My father takes care of our cows.





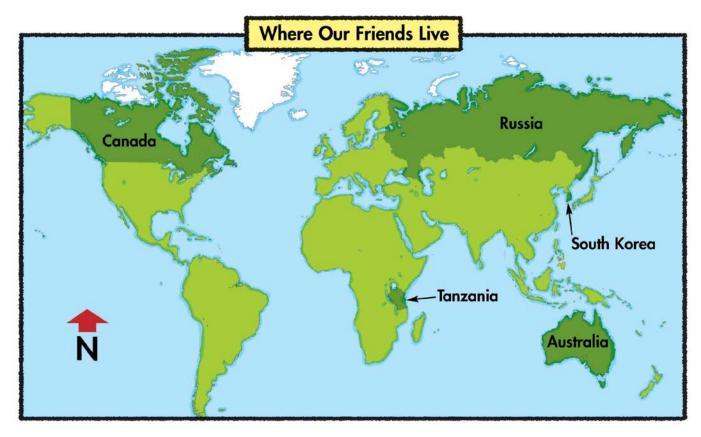




I play hockey with my friends.
Our dads hunt animals for food.
I like meat with **ketchup**.



How are you like these children? How are you different?



Glossary

cooked over an open flame in a highly **barbecued** (ad i.) seasoned sauce (p. 5) large mammals with pouches, strong kangaroos (n.) hind legs, and thick tails (p. 7) a thick red sauce that is made with **ketchup** (n.) tomatoes, onions, salt, sugar, and spices (p. 13) silk (n.) a strong fiber made by silkworms that is used for making clothes (p. 5)

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