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Instructions: Identify the main idea and three details from the six main departments of The United Nations below. Then, use that information to generate a main idea for the entire book. Write it at the top of the page.

Main idea: _____

The Secretariat:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

The Security Council:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

The General Assembly:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

The Economic and Social Council:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

The International Court of Justice:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

The World Health Organization:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

Skill: Main Idea and Details

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Instructions: List the important details from one section of *The United Nations*. Then, use the information to create a summary of that section in the Summary Box.

Section title: _____

Who

What

When

Where

Why

Summary



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Instructions: In the text below, circle the letters that should be capitalized because they begin proper nouns. Then, underline the proper nouns that name places.

In june 1945, world war II was coming to an end. Some 850 international delegates from about 50 counties met in san francisco, california, to discuss what should happen once the war ended. On june 25, 1945, those delegates all agreed to the charter of the united nations.

Today, more than seventy years later, the united nations includes 193 member countries. Its headquarters are in new york city, but 44,000 people work for the UN around the world. The UN has six official languages: english, french, spanish, russian, arabic, and chinese.

One of the jobs of the UN is to help countries around the world. In 2010, the general assembly agreed to send aid to the caribbean country of haiti after a huge earthquake hit it. However, if a resolution is not specifically about UN issues, the UN cannot force a country to obey it.

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Instructions: Create two sentences for each word in the Word Box, each reflecting a different meaning of the word.

back cool duck foot just letter match

Word: _____

Sentence 1: _____

Sentence 2: _____

Word: _____

Sentence 1: _____

Sentence 2: _____

Word: _____

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Sentence 2: _____

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