



God's Amazing World

New Zealand

Week 16

Due May 18th

Reading Assignment

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Parent Initials

2 stamps



Identify this flightless bird that is native to New Zealand.

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Bible Verse

Never stop reading this Scroll of the Law. Day and night you must think about what it says. Make sure you do everything that is written in it. Then things will go well with you, and you will have great success. Joshua 1:8

Parent Initials _____ 2 stamps

Vocabulary

Define the following words using your glossary

1. International Date Line _____

2. Arctic Circle _____

3. Poles _____

4. Aurora _____

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Activity

Learn to say hello and thank you in Maori.

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Extension Activities
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Reading: *Geography of the World* – pages 262-265; 266-269

Comprehension: Answer the comprehension questions on the next page.

Country Sheets: Complete the country and flag sheet.

Spelling: Arctic, aurora, surrounded, unusual, peak, important, amaze, notice, location, official
Spelling City is a free website you can use for spelling activities or you could write words one day, use in a sentence one day, alphabetize one day, and test one day. You may also choose to use these as additional vocabulary words.

Handwriting: Write your memory verse once each day in your best handwriting. Recite to your parent at the end of the week.

Writing: New Zealand is home to the largest flightless parrot (kakapo), the oldest reptile (tutara), biggest earthworms, smallest bats, heaviest insect (a weta), some of the oldest trees and many of the rarest species of birds, insects, and plants in the world.

Research and choose your favorite bizarre creature from New Zealand, and write a super descriptive fiction story about finding it in your yard! Include true facts about the creature.

Missionaries currently serving in New Zealand:

You may want to view their websites, pray for them, contact them, or support their ministry in some way

NCZMS

NZCMS stands for the New Zealand Church Missionary Society. We're an evangelical, voluntary mission organization seeking to mobilize the Anglican Church in New Zealand for God's mission. <http://www.nzcms.org.nz/>

Comprehension Questions

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1. New Zealand consists of _____ large islands.
2. The South Island is _____. It has _____, high mountain peaks, and forests.
3. The North Island is _____. It has a mild _____ and is volcanically active.
4. New Zealand is ideal for _____.
5. The world's largest, deepest ocean is the _____.
6. The world is divided into _____ imaginary time zones.
7. The line dissects the _____ Ocean.
8. Most of the Arctic Ocean is covered by _____.
9. What was the lowest temperature recorded in the Arctic? _____
10. The Arctic is an _____ surrounded by continents and the Antarctic is a _____ surrounded by oceans.
11. True or False Antarctica is the only continent with no permanent human population.
12. Who owns Antarctica? _____

Research Choices (choose at least 1)

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Useful website for information on New Zealand:

<http://kids.nationalgeographic.com/kids/places/find/new-zealand/>

1. Learn about an unusual animal from New Zealand and draw a picture or write a report.
2. Learn about the Maori people and tell about some of their customs.
3. Many movies are filmed in New Zealand. Pick one that suits your family and watch it together. Take note of the beautiful scenery.

The Chronicles of Narnia: The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe (2005)

Lord of the Rings

Whale Rider (about the Maori people)

The Bridge to Terabithia (2007)

Avatar (2009 film)

The Adventures of Tintin: Secret of the Unicorn (Stephen Spielberg)

Yogi Bear (2010)

4. Make Kumara. Recipe included.
5. What bird can only be found in New Zealand? Write a report about this bird; include a picture. <http://www.kcc.org.nz/kiwi>
6. What is New Zealand's oldest native reptile? List three interesting facts about this reptile. Draw a picture of it. <http://www.sandiegozoo.org/animalbytes/t-tuatara.html>
7. What is the name of New Zealand's Rugby team. Explore their site. See if you can watch a game. <http://www.allblacks.com/>
8. What is the fruit that has the same name as the Kiwi bird? Study the history of this fruit. Try some. <http://kiwi-fruit.info/kiwi-fruit/History+of+Kiwi+Fruit>