

Social Studies

Grade K / Week 7

Your Week at a Glance

Area of focus: Economics – Lesson: Consumers and Producers

Area of Focus: Economics – Lesson: Types of Jobs

Area of Focus: Economics – Lesson: Jobs at School

STANDARDS:

- SS.K.E.1.1 Describe different kinds of jobs that people do and the tools or equipment used.
- SS.K.E.1.2 Recognize that United States currency comes in different forms.
- SS.K.E.1.3 Recognize that people work to earn money to buy things they need or want.
- SS.K.E.1.4 Identify the difference between basic needs and wants.

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Consumers and Producers (adapted from Florida Studies Weekly Week 28)



How do people get the things they need and want?

You can use money to buy things. People work to earn money to buy things they need or want. When you buy something, you are a consumer.

Needs are things you have to have in order to live.
Needs are things like food, shelter and clothing.

Wants are things you wish you had, even though you don't really need them.

Consumers

Consumers are people who pay for goods and services.
Goods are things that are made for people to use.
Books, food, toys and clothes are goods.

A service is work or a duty that someone does for another person. If your parents pay someone to mow the lawn or wash the car, that is a service.

Deliveries

For many years, people all over the United States had milk, eggs and other dairy products delivered to their homes. They paid for the milk and eggs (the goods) and for the delivery (a service). Sometimes children would ride on the dairy trucks.



Producers

Some things we need and want are made by people. The people who make things for other people to buy are called producers.



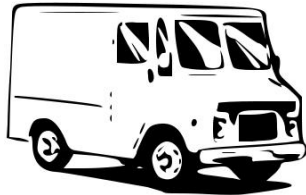
Name: _____

1. What is something you want but don't need?

2. Why do adults work? Fill in the circle for the best answer.

- to earn money to buy things
- to play outside

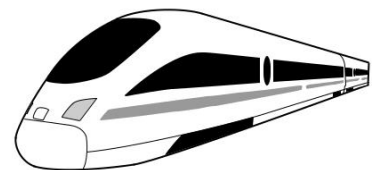
3. Which kind of tool would a delivery man use to deliver milk?



Delivery truck



Small bicycle



Fast train

4. Fill in the circles next to the things that people in the United States had delivered to their homes long ago.

- milk
- oranges
- candy
- cheese
- eggs

Jobs People Do (adapted from Florida Studies Weekly Week 29)



Many people work. What jobs do people do? Many workers use tools. Many workers wear special clothes.

Types of Jobs

Firefighters help keep people safe.

Mechanics fix cars and trucks.

Chefs cook food in restaurants.

Police help keep people safe.

Salespeople help you buy things.

Labor Day

On Labor Day, we honor America's workers. Labor Day is the first Monday in September. The word labor means work.

Name: _____

1. Fill in the circle next to all the names that show who is honored on Labor Day.

- dogs
- waitresses
- dentists
- police officers
- nurses
- cars
- babies

2. Workers have to wear helmets for some jobs. Circle the jobs below where workers wear helmets.



3. Why do some workers wear helmets for their jobs?

4. Different jobs use different kinds of tools and equipment. What are two things that teachers need to do their jobs?

Jobs at School (adapted from Florida Studies Weekly Week 30)

There are many jobs people do at school. Some people work in the office. They can also work in the cafeteria. Some people work outside.

Types of Jobs at School

	<p>The school principal is the leader of our school. He or she makes rules for us to follow. The rules help keep us safe.</p>
	<p>The school secretary works in the office. Their job is to help the principal, teachers and students. He or she types letters and answers the phones.</p>
	<p>A reading teacher is someone who helps us learn. Sometimes we need help learning letters and sounds. This helps us read words.</p>



School custodians take care of the building. Their job is to clean the classrooms. They make sure the cafeteria is clean.



Crossing guards help you walk across the street. They help you before and after school. Their job is to keep children safe.



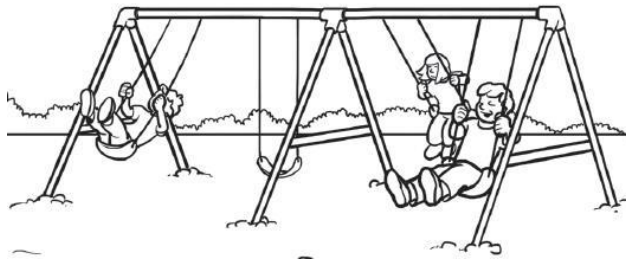
A groundskeeper takes care of the land around a school. Their job is to cut the grass, bushes and trees. He or she also picks up the trash.

Name: _____

1. Fill in the circle next to the tools a secretary would use at school.

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| <input type="radio"/> computer | <input type="radio"/> phone |
| <input type="radio"/> pen | <input type="radio"/> ax |
| <input type="radio"/> bike | <input type="radio"/> stapler |

2. Draw a ball behind the swings and a tree on the right side of the swings.



3. What does a school custodian do?

- cleans the classrooms
- teaches the children

4. Think of people who work at a school. Who is someone who works outside at school?
