

Unit 8: The world around us - Lesson 3&4

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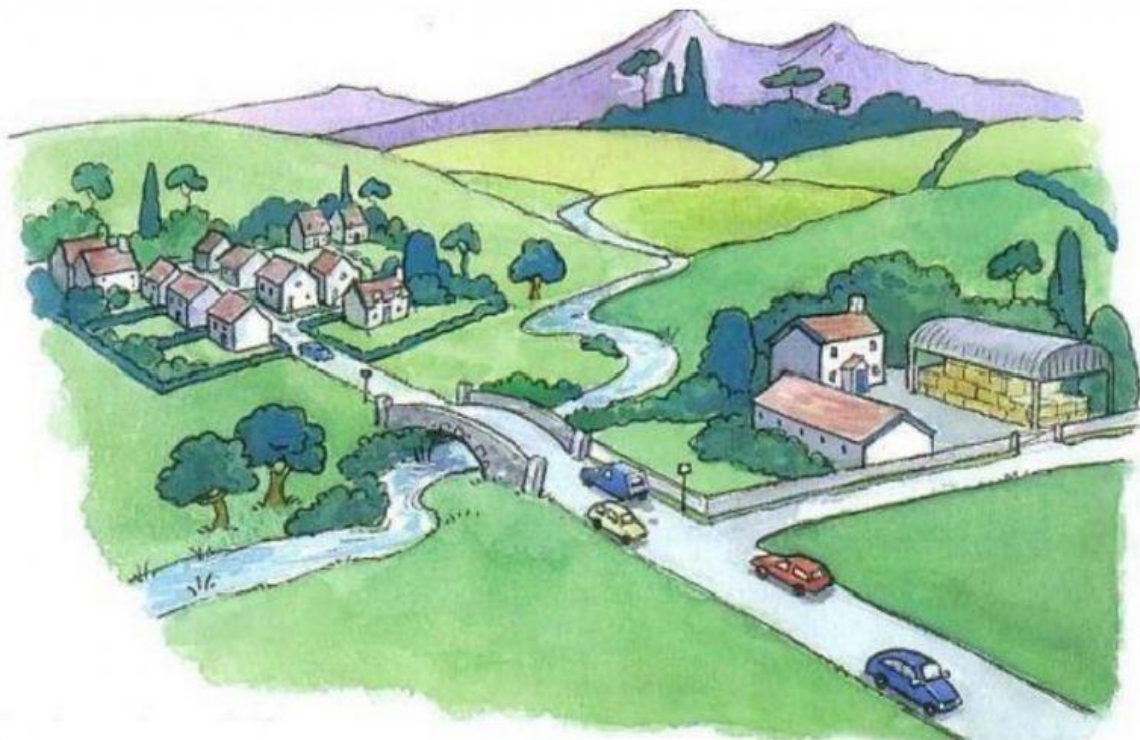
Class:

1 What did we learn today?

Topic Vocabulary	Countryside vocabulary: <i>in the town – in the countryside – in the village</i> <i>field – farm – tree – grass – river – village – animals – barn</i>	
Grammar	Comparative	<i>The countryside is <u>quieter than</u> the town.</i> <i>The countryside is <u>nicer and more beautiful than</u> the town.</i>
	There	<i>There is a farm next to the river.</i> <i>There are many houses near the river.</i>
	Prepositions	<i>There is my house <u>near</u> the river.</i> <i>There are many animals <u>on</u> the farm.</i> <i>The cow is <u>in</u> the field.</i> <i>We had a picnic <u>by</u> the river.</i>
	am/is/are good at	<i>You <u>are good at</u> climbing trees.</i>

2 Let's Practice

1. Read & complete the conversation about the picture.



Mr. Smith: Look at this picture of a **1. ...countryside...** Can you see a city?

Jane: No, I can't, but there's village. It is much **2** than a city.

Mr. Smith: How many **3.** are there in the village?

Jane: About twelve.

Mr. Smith: And can you see a farm?

Jane: Yes, there is a farm here in the **4** next to the river.

Mr. Smith: Oh yes, what else can you see?

Jane: I can see a **5.** here and some mountains. And there's a road.

Mr. Smith: Is it a busy road?

Jane: No, it isn't like the city. There are only about **6.....** cars.

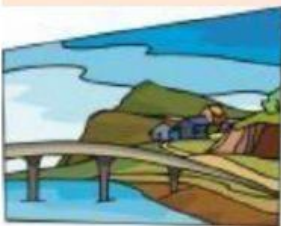
five
mountains
houses
fields
smaller

2. Read & answer the questions below

A friend in the countryside – A friend in the city

Hi! My name's Jenny. I'm 14 years old. I live in a big city in England called Leicester. I think life in a big city is fantastic. I have a lot of things to do and there are a lot of places to visit. I like going to the theatre or cinema and visiting museums. I love music so I usually go to see concerts with my friends.

I don't like traffic in the city. There are a lot of cars and buses so it is sometimes difficult to move around in the streets.



My best friend is John. He lives in a small village near Leicester. John loves the countryside because it is calm and peaceful.

There are a lot of trees so the air in the countryside is fresh. You can see flowers everywhere. There is a beautiful lake and a wonderful forest near John's village. He usually goes fishing in the lake.

John often visits me. We do a lot of things together. We often go to the cinema or swimming in a fantastic indoor swimming pool.

I often visit John too. We love walking in the forest or swimming in the lake.

I like living in both the city and the countryside.

❖ Write Yes or No

1. Jenny likes living in the city.
2. Jenny doesn't have a lot of things to do with her friends in the city.
3. It isn't difficult to move around the streets in Leicester.
4. John thinks the countryside is calm and peaceful.
5. There is a forest and a lake near John's village.
6. John usually go rowing in the lake.
7. Jenny and John do a lot of things together.

8. They often go to an indoor swimming pool in the city.
9. John and Jenny don't like walking in the forest.
10. Jenny thinks it is better to live in a city than in the countryside.

❖ **Answer the questions.**

- 1 Where does Jenny live? -
- 2 What can she do in the city? -
- 3 What does she not like in the city? -
- 4 What does John often do in the countryside? -
- 5 What do they do together in the city? -