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Hi, my name is Gita. I'm eleven years old. I don't live in a city or a village like many other children. I live on a boat in the sea near India.

I don't walk or ride a bike to school because my school is on a boat too. My friends and I swim to school every morning. At school we build boats together with our teacher. We also learn how to catch fish.

Every afternoon I help my parents catch fish. I'm a very good swimmer and can swim under water for a long time. Sometimes I swim in very deep* water to catch big fish.

Tomorrow I'm going with my family to the city for the first time. I want to help my parents sell fish in the market. I'm excited to see the houses and shops there. I hope we sell all the fish we have!



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Questions

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1. Where does Gita live?
 - a near a market
 - b in a village
 - c on a boat
 - d in a city
2. How does Gita get to school?
 - a she walks
 - b she swims
 - c on a boat
 - d on a bike

3. Write "x" next to the **two** correct answers.

What does Gita learn at school?

- ___ to catch fish
- ___ to swim fast
- ___ to buy fish
- ___ to build boats
- ___ to ride a bike

4. How does Gita help her parents? Write **two** answers in English according to the text.

1. _____

2. _____

5. What is a good name for the text?

- A My Big Fish
- b Water Girl
- c Swimming Alone
- d Living in the City

6. Do you want to study in Gita's school?

Yes / No

Explain why
