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1. Read the text.

History
Clothes

FACT: The first 'tattoos' came from the Pacific island of Tahiti.

1 Read and find the clothes that come from places a–d on the map.

Today clothes are made in factories, but many years ago people made clothes by hand with natural materials.



On the Pacific islands, people made their first clothes from leaves and from bark, which is on the outside of a tree. For dancing, men and women wore skirts made of grass and a headdress of flowers, feathers and shells. They also had earrings made of bones and shells.





Most Native North American men wore a long rectangular piece of leather with a belt, sometimes with leather trousers when it was cold. Leather is made from cow skin. Others wore trousers made of fur. Most men didn't wear shirts. The women wore skirts, trousers or dresses made from cloth or leather. Both men and women wore leather shoes. These are called moccasins.



People in China started to wear Han clothes over 3,000 years ago. They are made of silk, a cloth which comes from the silk worm. Some people still wear Han clothes today: a shirt, a jacket, a skirt or trousers and white socks and black shoes made of cotton.



In Europe 2,000 years ago men wore tunics. This is like a long T-shirt which comes down to your knees or your feet. When it was cold they wore shirts under their tunics and some men wore tights or trousers. It was only 500 years ago when men stopped wearing tights.

2. Find these words in the text

The outside part of a tree	
Something for your head	
Special Native American shoes	
Special clothes from China	

The hair of animals	
Ring for your ears	

3. Label the pictures

		
		