

ENGLISH

Read the blog about “Unusual Hobbies” in the world and answer the followings items.

1.- 1.- Read the blog and write the right topic of each on the line, using the phrases in the box according reading.

a) Carving eggshells

b) Shell jewelry

c) Dragons in the street

d) Soap or art?

1. _____

In Thailand, handicraftsmen make beautiful pieces of art with soap. This art started many centuries ago. Nowadays, it is really common to see these pieces of art at markets for fair prices. Tourists can find all types of soap at many different prices.



2. _____



What do you do with eggshells? Do you throw them out? Well, in Beijing, China, they don't. They make sculptures with eggshells. This piece of art is a perfect birthday or wedding gift. Tourists and local people can find them in shops and street markets.

3. _____

If you love jewelry, this is the perfect gift for yourself. In some cities on the Ecuadorian Coast like Atacames or Tonsupa, handicraftsmen collect all kind of shells from the seashore. They make earrings, necklaces, even clothes. People buy them in local markets at great prices. They sometimes bargain with the handicraftsmen.



4. _____



Can you imagine dragons in Latin America? This is not a dream; it's a reality. A fantasy artist from Buenos Aires, Argentina, creates and sells dragons. The material he uses is clay. Every Sunday, tourists can visit San Telmo and buy this unusual gift.

2.- Match the unusual hobbies with right picture.

- Soap or art?
- Carving eggshells
- Shell jewelry
- Dragons in the street.



3.- Choose the right answer to complete the phrases according the blog about unusual hobbies in the world.

a. In Thailand, handicraftsmen make beautiful pieces of art with...

b. In Beijing make sculptures with....

c. Ecuadorians make earrings, necklaces, even clothes with...

d. A fantasy artist from Buenos Aires, Argentina, creates and sells dragons made with...

4.- Read again and choose the right information about each item.

	PLACE	MATERIAL	INTERESTING CHARACTERISTIC
1. SOAP OR ART?			
2. CRAVING EGGSHELLS			
3. SHELL JEWELRY			
4. DRAGONS IN STREET			