


Listen to the passage **Before Calculators**.

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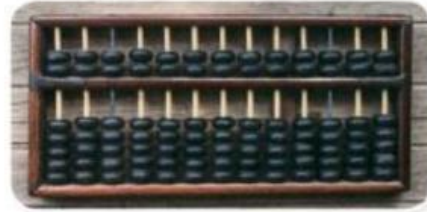
1.



the stapler



2.



the abacus



Listen to **Before Calculators** again. Choose the correct answer.  135

1. What do we use to do math today?

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a. an abacus

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b. a calculator

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c. a dictionary

2. Where was the abacus used?

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a. Thailand

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b. Italy

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c. Egypt

3. What is an abacus made of?

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a. sticks and beads

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b. stones and
beads

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c. beads only

4. How many beads are on each stick?

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a. five

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b. seven

☐

c. one

Complete the sentences.

workbook

folder

dictionary

calculator

stapler

scissors

1. The students write their homework in their _____

2. I use a _____ to help me with math.

3. You can use _____ to cut the paper.

4. I put all my work in my _____

Listen to the story **The Visit**. Then put the pictures in order.  137



Listen to **The Visit** again. Choose Yes or No.  138

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| 1. Jen and Al are studying China. | Yes | No |
| 2. They are using a tablet. | Yes | No |
| 3. They wake up in China. | Yes | No |
| 4. The students ask questions about Brazil. | Yes | No |
| 5. Al and Jen think China was boring. | Yes | No |
| 6. They put the laptop away. | Yes | No |

Complete the missing words.

- My country's f_____ is red and white.
- He uses the Internet on his l_____.
- What is in the d_____.
- The workbooks are in the c_____.