



The countryside

The countryside **is** an area which is located outside of cities and towns.

There are not many tall buildings **(1)** in this place. Instead,

you can easily see paddy fields and farms throughout the countryside.

When on the farm, you can also **(2)** see animals like cows,

buffaloes, donkeys, ducks and rabbits.

(3) In the countryside, people who live in the countryside often live in small

villages. They even live in places **(4)** where there are no houses

nearby. When living in the countryside, children are able to get in touch

with nature, get along with animals, take care of them and help their

parents with gardening. However, schools in the countryside usually have a

lower quality **(5)** than those in cities. Therefore, children who

live in the countryside sometimes have lots of difficulties when studying.

Nowadays, many people who live in cities love to go to the countryside to

relax or take a short break there.