

Lesson 2: By Road



Write the words.

a freeway

a wheel

a bridge



a traffic jam

traffic

a kilometer



How often do you travel on the freeway?

Have you ever been stuck in a traffic jam?

The Incas were a group of people who lived in South America about 500 years ago.



The Incas didn't have horses or wheels to help them, but they were amazing engineers and builders! They built cities high up in the mountains.

To travel between cities, they built stone roads through the mountains and long bridges made from grass ropes. Their roads ran north, south, east and west, for over 40,000km!

The Incas didn't have horses, but they did have llamas. People traveled the Inca roads on foot with llamas to help them carry things. The roads were used to bring food, gold, and soldiers to different parts of the country.



Read the text and answer these tag questions with short answers.

Yes, they did.

No, they didn't.

1. The Incas lived in North America, didn't they? _____.
2. The Incas built stone roads, didn't they? _____.
3. The Incas didn't have horses or wheels, did they? _____.
4. People travelled the roads by car, didn't they? _____.
5. Their roads ran for over 40,000km, didn't they? _____.
6. Llamas helped them carry things, didn't they? _____.
7. They used the roads to bring food, didn't they? _____.