

Where does chocolate come from?



Did you know that chocolate comes from a tree?

At the start of the chocolate cycle is the *cacao* tree. These trees grow in the rainforest of south America.

Inside the fruit of these trees are *cocoa beans*. They taste very *bitter*. The beans are cut out and put into a machine and *ground up* into tiny pieces.



Next, special ingredients are added to the cocoa beans to make it taste sweet, like the chocolate you buy in shops.



Sugar, milk and oil are added and then everything is *mixed* together in a machine. After the mixing is finished, the chocolate is *poured out* and allowed to cool.

Quiz

Number the pictures from 1 to 5 to show how chocolate is made.

