

READING TIME

WOMEN AT WORK

1 Alison Wright is a photographer. She's from New York, but she works all over the world. She takes photographs for National Geographic and for **humanitarian aid organizations** on different continents—Africa, Asia, South America, and in regions like the Middle East. Lots of her photographs are of women and children.

2 The photo on this page is from a group of photos by Alison. They show "Women at Work." They are photos of women—they cook food or have small businesses at home, and work other jobs like farming, making clothes in factories, or work at hospitals.

3 The photo shows 26-year-old Abau Flora and her daughter. They are from Juba, in South Sudan. Abau has a business—she makes clothes in her home with a sewing machine. Her sewing machine is from an aid organization. With her business, she makes money and helps support her family.

4 The women in the photos Alison takes do many jobs. They all have one thing in common, though: they work hard to create a better future.

humanitarian aid organization an organization that helps people



Reading

Read paragraph 1. Answer the questions.

1. What is Alison's job?
2. Where is she from?
3. Where is her job?
4. Are most of her photographs of men?

Read paragraph 2. Where do the women ...

1. cook food?
2. make clothes?
3. help people?

Read paragraph 3. Underline the correct words to complete the sentences.

Write the correct answers

1. Abau *is / isn't* from South Sudan.
2. She *makes / buys* clothes.
3. Abau works *at home / in a factory*.