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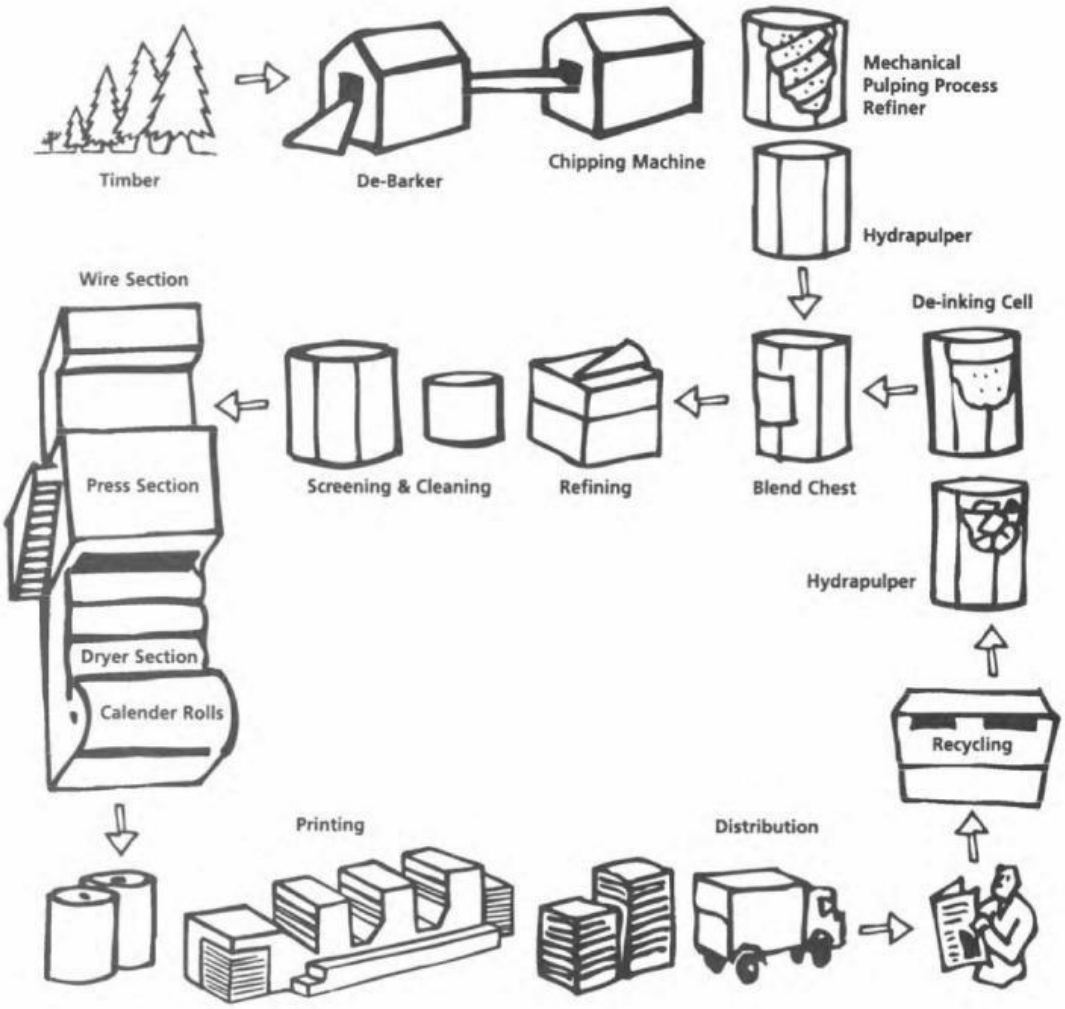
Section on Writing

Exercise 20: The process of making a newspaper

Look at the diagram below. Then read the brief explanation on the next page, which a printer gave to a group of teenagers about making a daily newspaper.

Below the printer's explanation is an outline for a written version of what the printer said. Using the explanation, complete the report. Then compare your version with the Key.

Making a daily newspaper



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Printer's explanation

'Well, if you look at this diagram here, you can see that we take material from two places, timber from trees and recycled paper, and then we pass it through some machines to create the newspaper.

We put the wood into this machine here to remove the bark and then we chop the timber up into little tiny pieces in this one here. These tiny pieces we then put into this mechanical refiner, and after that it goes into the hydrapulper over there.

And then we mix the chippings with water and make them into a pulp, which we put into this blend chest where we mix it with pulp from recycled paper, which I'll talk about in a minute. We then refine, clean and screen this mixture before it goes into this large piece of machinery here where we press the pulp, dry it and then make it into rolls of paper.

Once we print the newspaper, it is sent to your newsagent. After you have finished with the paper, it hopefully goes into a recycling bin.

The recycled paper goes into this hydrapulper here and we remove the ink in that de-inking cell over there. This is added to the blend chest: and the whole process is repeated. Any questions?'

Written report

To create a daily newspaper, the necessary material is taken from two sources, _____.

Trees are cut down to provide timber. In the first machine, _____ _____. These chippings _____, and subsequently a hydrapulper _____. At the next stage, the pulp _____ _____. This mixture _____ _____ _____into rolls of paper.

Once the newspaper has been printed, it _____. After the reader ___ _____. The recycling process first involves _____ _____into a pulp. A de-inking cell then extracts the ink. After that, the solution is put into the blend chest: and the whole process is repeated.

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