

# Pocahontas

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### **Parent and Teacher Guide**

Studies have proven learning is enhanced through the use of several senses. A recent study shows that we retain 10 percent of what we see, 20 percent of what we hear, and 50 percent of what we see and hear. But when we see, hear and do, we retain 90 percent of the information. (Lisa Marie Nelson, Ph.D., Author "The Healthy Family Handbook").

The purpose of this Resource & Activity Book is to help children learn and retain the story theme and principles in a fun and educational way. Your children will love coloring pages, solving puzzles, matching games, completing word searches, and much more! Each Resource & Activity Book also features challenging questions and activities for children from preschool through middle school. And in the rare case you don't know an answer, there's an answer key in the back!

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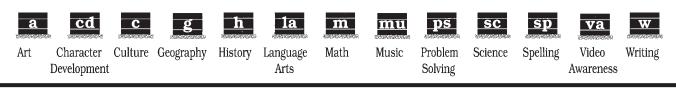
Level Two Intermediate



Level Three Advanced

#### CURRICULUM RELATED

These educational activities are related to various educational discipline such as social studies (geography, history, culture), language arts (spelling, creative writing, grammar, literature), math (simple equations), and science. There are also activities for character development, video awareness, problem solving, music, and art. The subject codes below are for your convenience.



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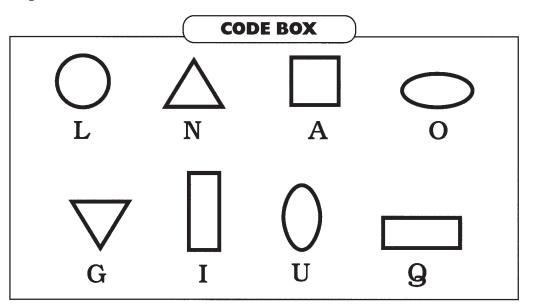




There were many different Indian tribes in America when the settlers first came.

What was the name of Pocahontas' tribe?

Find the answer by matching the shapes in the coded message with the shapes in the Code Box. Write the letters in order on the blanks below.

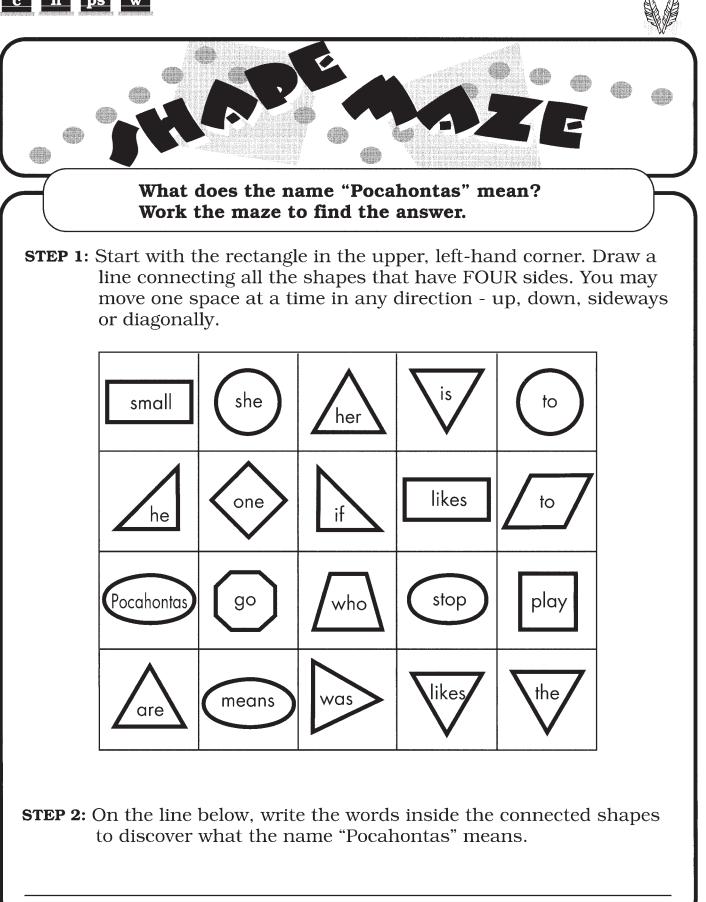


### **CODED MESSAGE**

Pocahontas' tribe was the



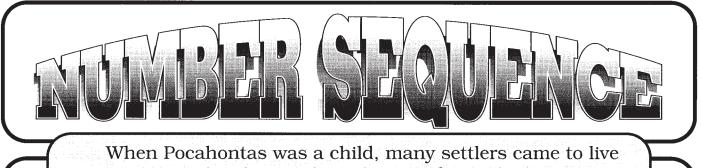






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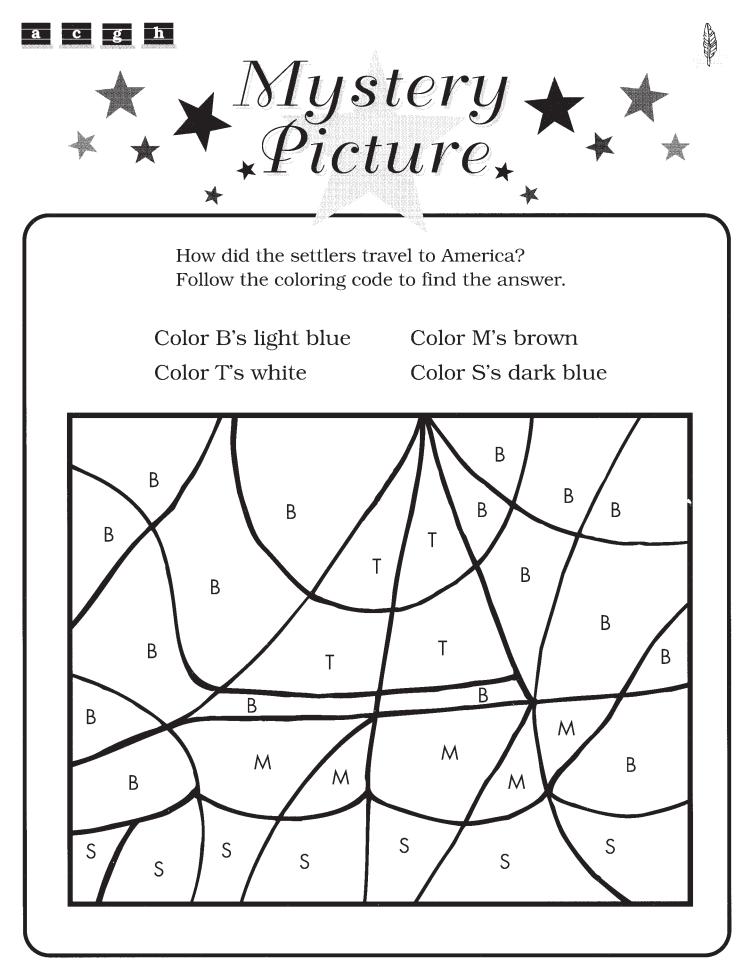


in America. Solve the puzzle to discover from which country they came.

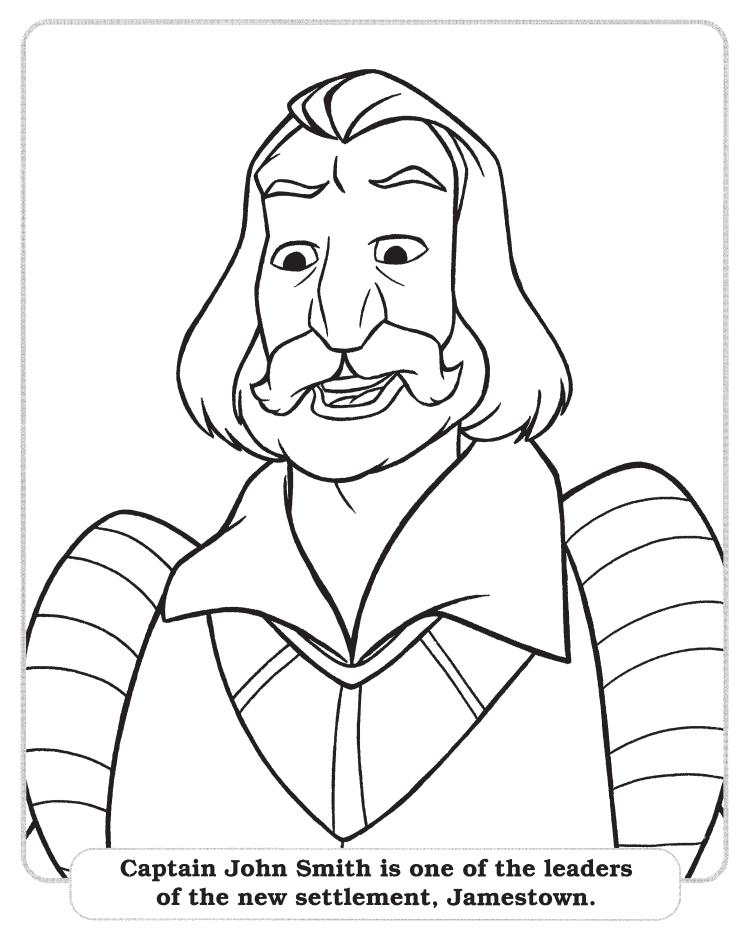
**Step One:** Circle the letter at the end of the row if the numerals are multiples of two.

H	30	25	20	15	10	5
N	30	28	26	24	22	20
F	18	15	12	9	6	3
G	12	10	8	6	4	2
Р	11	9	7	5	3	1
E	22	20	18	16	14	12
L	42	40	38	36	34	32
X	60	55	50	45	40	35
Α	52	50	48	46	44	42
J	36	33	30	27	24	21
D	60	58	56	54	52	50
N	72	70	68	66	64	62
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**Step Two:** Unscramble the circled letters to form the name of the country from which they came.



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Put paste along

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Make a copy of this page or trace the wigwam pattern.

Color the large semi-circle. Cut carefully around the outside.

Put paste where marked and curve the wigwam around until opposite edge meets dotted line. Smooth and press pasted area with fingers. The wigwam will stand up like the one in the lower right-hand corner.

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What fun food did the Indians give us? Fill in the boxes below and find what it is.

I'm a letter in <b>CAP</b> , but not in <b>CAT:</b>
I'm a letter in <b>RUN</b> , but not in <b>FUN:</b>
I'm a letter in <b>BOAT</b> , but not in <b>BEAT:</b>
I'm a letter in <b>COME</b> , but not in <b>SOME</b> :
I'm a letter in <b>PULL</b> , but not in <b>FULL:</b>
I'm a letter in <b>TOP</b> , but not in <b>TIP:</b>
I'm a letter in <b>FAN</b> , but not in <b>FAR</b> :

Unscramble the letters in the boxes to find what I am:

Can you name some other things that the Indians gave us?





WORD SEARCH

All of the words in the Word Box below are important to the story of Pocahontas. Find and circle each word in the puzzle below. They read across, down, diagonal and backwards.



1. AMERICA	5. ENGLAND	11. PEACE OF	16. SHIP
2. BROTHER	6. INDIANS	POCAHONTAS	17. SISTER
3. CAPTAIN	7. JAMESTOWN	12. POCAHONTAS	18. SUPPLIES
0.0.0	8. JAPAZAWS	13. POWHATAN	19. THOMAS
JOHN SMITH	9. JOHN ROLFE	14. QUEEN ANNE	ROLFE
4. COURAGE	10. KING JAMES	15. SETTLERS	20. TRADE

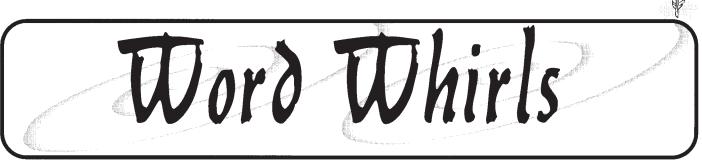
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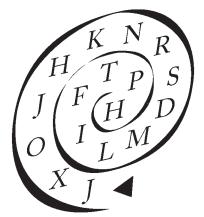
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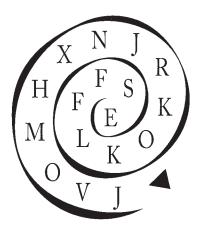
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On each word whirl below, begin at the arrow and circle the first letter. Then circle every other letter. The circled letters will make a word that will answer the question below each puzzle. Write your answers in the blanks.

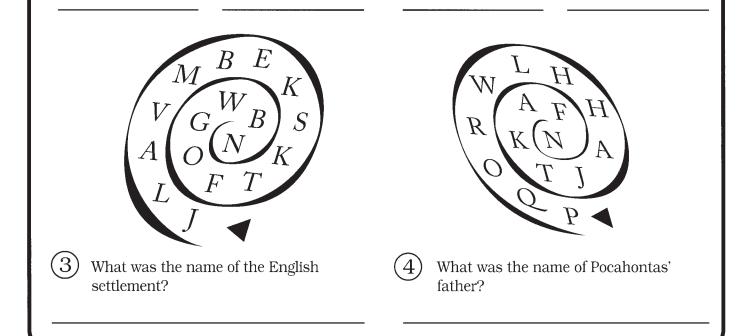


What was the name of the Englishman whose life Pocahontas saved? (2 words)

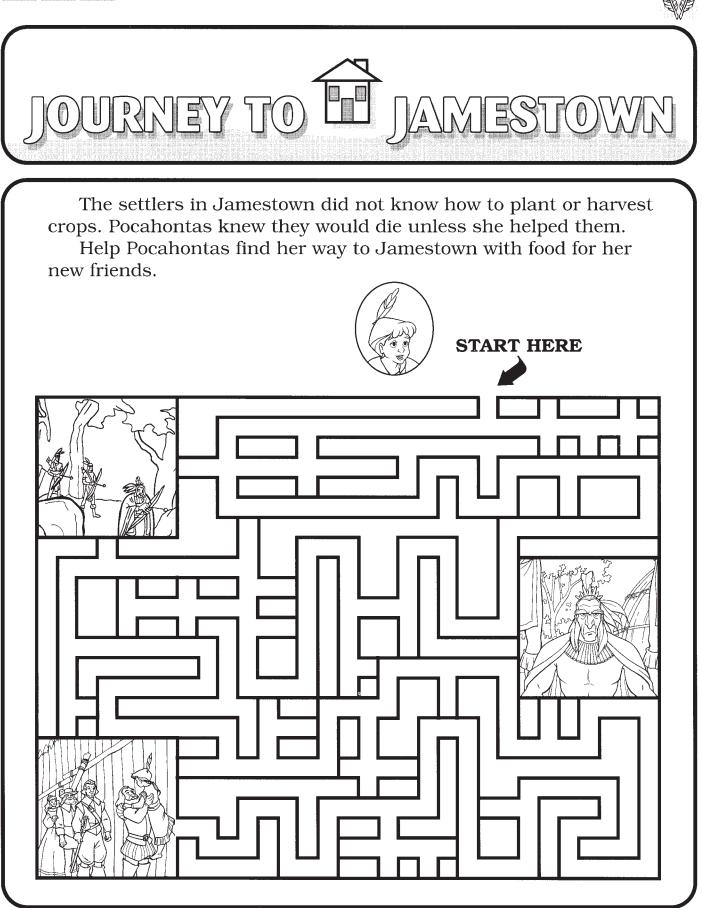




What was the name of Pocahontas' husband? (2 words)







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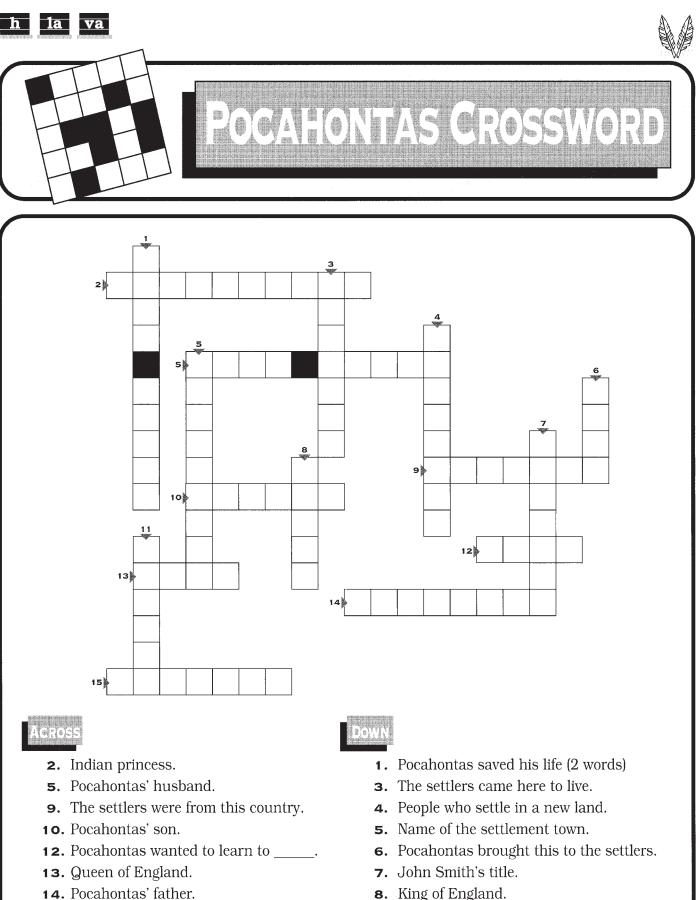
A noun is the name of a person, place, thing or idea. Some nouns are *horse, dog, love*. A verb can be an action word such as *run* or *walk*. It can also be a state of being word such as *is* or *was*.

ouns

Finish each sentence below with a word from the Word Box. If the sentence tells you to use a noun, choose the correct noun from the Word Box. If the sentence tells you to use a verb, choose the correct verb from the Word Box.

father	town	read	married	princess							
kun kan sense manasana su kun kanakana kan kanakana kanakana kanakana	brought	queen	America	aran dan kuma kana kana kana kuma kana kuma kana kuma kana kuma kana kuma kana kuma kuma kuma kuma kuma kuma ku							
l. Pocahontas was	s an Indian										
	_	(noun)									
2. Powhatan was 1	Pocahontas' _		•								
		(noun)									
3. The settlers live	d in a small	settlement		_ called Jamestown							
			(noun)								
l. Pocahontas wai	nted Captain	Smith to te	each her to								
				(verb)							
5. Pocahontas	(verb)	food to the	starving settle	ers.							
6. Pocahontas	(verb)	a young ma	an named Joh	n Rolfe.							
7. Pocahontas me	t the king and	d(nou:	•	and.							
3. Pocahontas die	d before she	could retur	n to (noun)								

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**15.** Courage.

- **8.** King of England.
- 11. Powhatan was Pocahontas' \_\_\_\_\_.





What is Pocahontas best known for in our history?

To decode the message below, match the code letter below each blank with the letter in the top row of the Code Box. Write the letter below it on the blank above the code letter.

								C	H					1	30		G								
A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	Ι	J	K	L	Μ	Ν	0	Ρ	g	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z
Z	Y	X	W	V	U	T	S	R	g	Ρ	0	N	M	L	K	J	Ι	H	G	F	E	D	С	B	Α

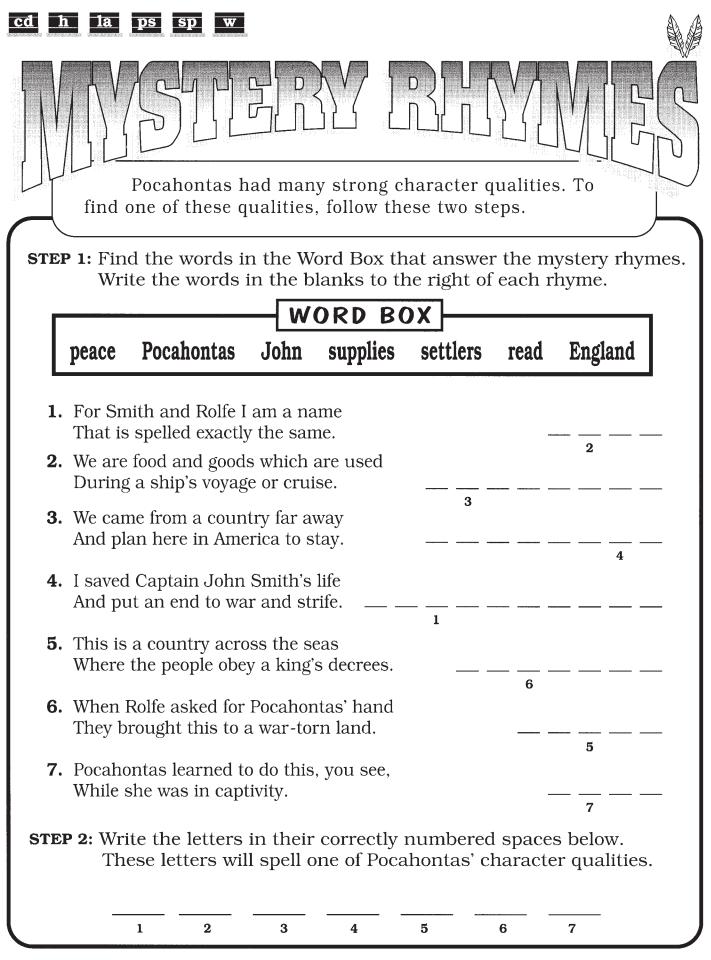
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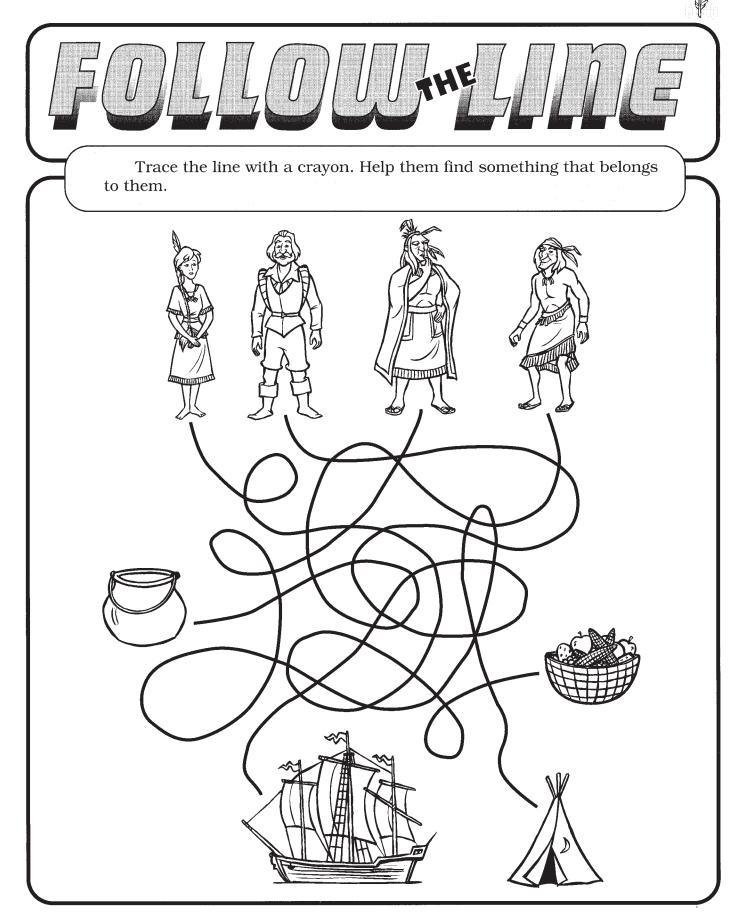


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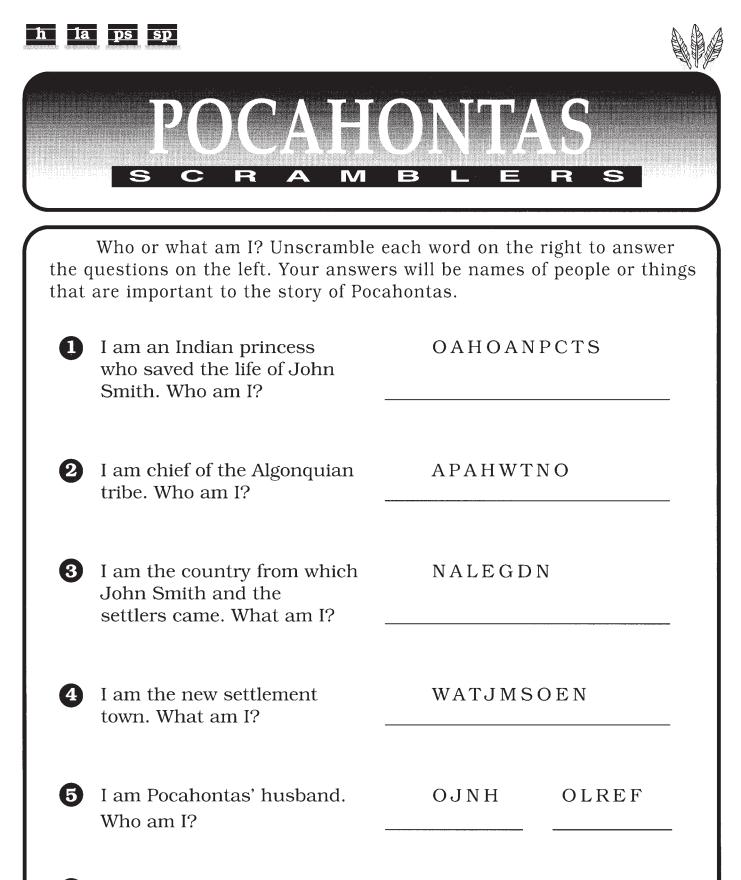


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6 I rule England. Who am I?

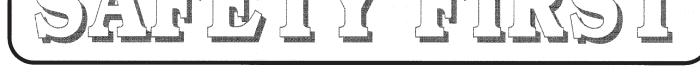
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AEJMS



DON'T FORGE



A bad accident was caused by a person who did not follow safety rules. What was the safety rule?

Color the X's brown, the Z's red, the Q's green, Read the remaining letters from left to right, row by row.

Ζ	Ζ	В	X	X	E	X	Ζ	Ζ	Ζ
Ζ	С	A	X	R	E	X	F	U	L
Q	Q	Q	W	Ι	Т	Η	Ζ	Ζ	Ζ
Q	F	Ζ	Ι	Χ	R	Ζ	Ζ	E	Ζ
Ζ	Ζ	D	Ζ	Ο	Ζ	Ν	Ζ	Т	Ζ
Р	L	Ζ	A	Y	Ζ	W	Ι	Т	Η
Μ	A	X	X	Т	С	Χ	Η	E	S

Write the safety rule:

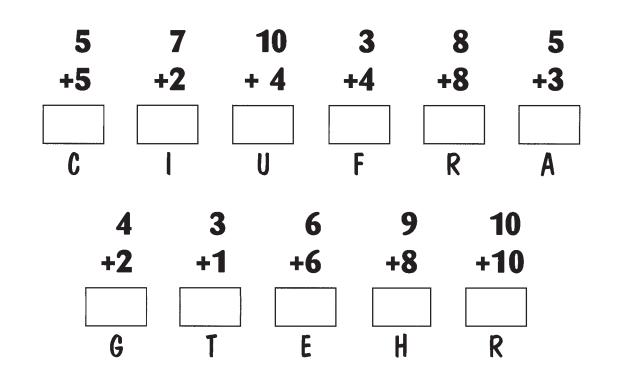
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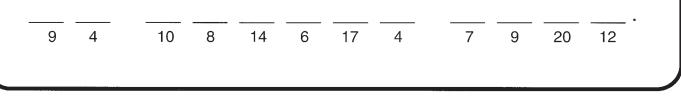


with Math and Words

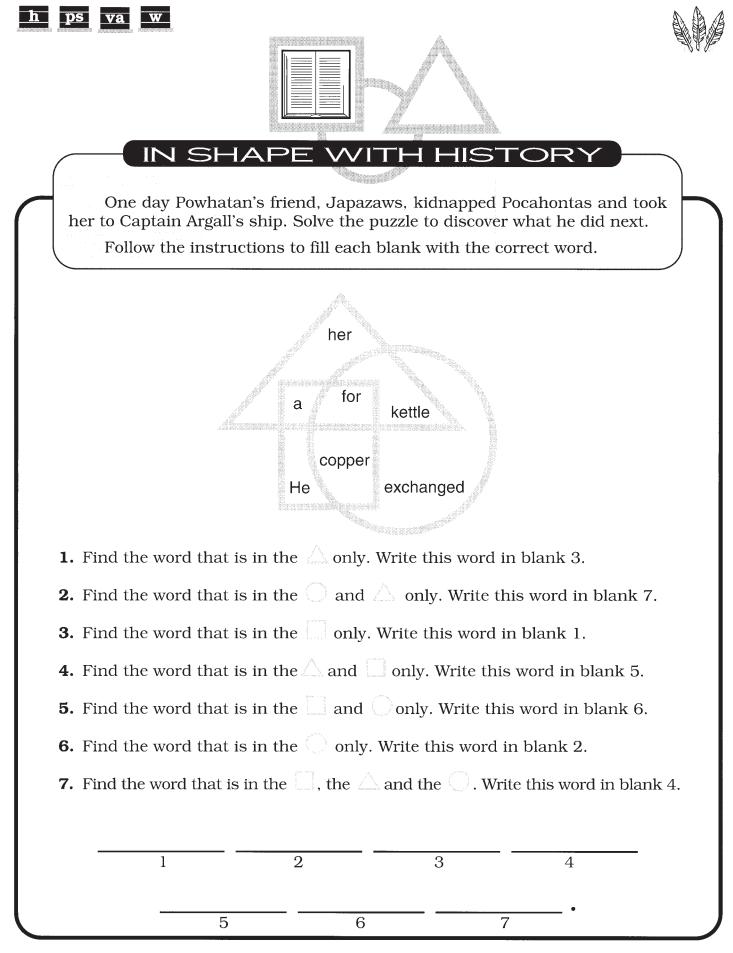
Have some fun with math and words. First, solve these addition problems.



The sums of the addition are code numbers for the letters below them. In the spaces below, write the correct letter above each code number to discover what happened to John Smith's ship on his way back of England.



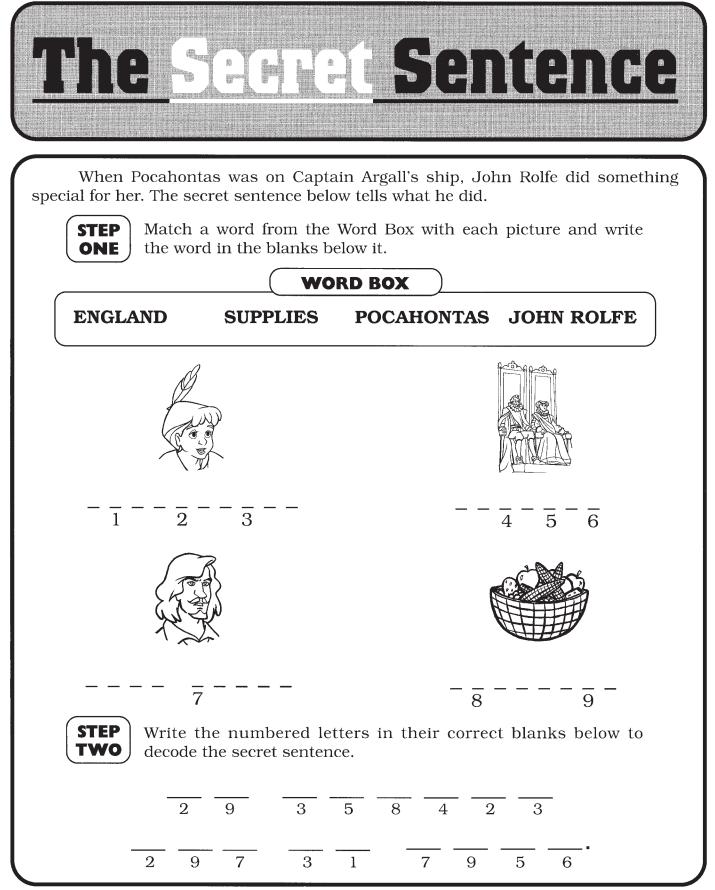
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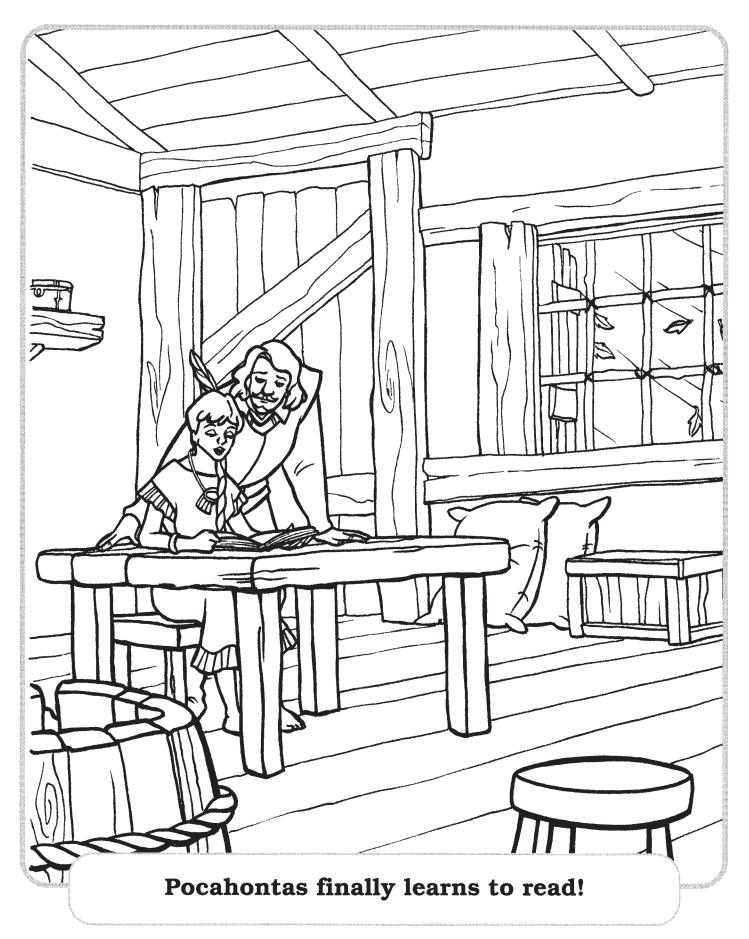
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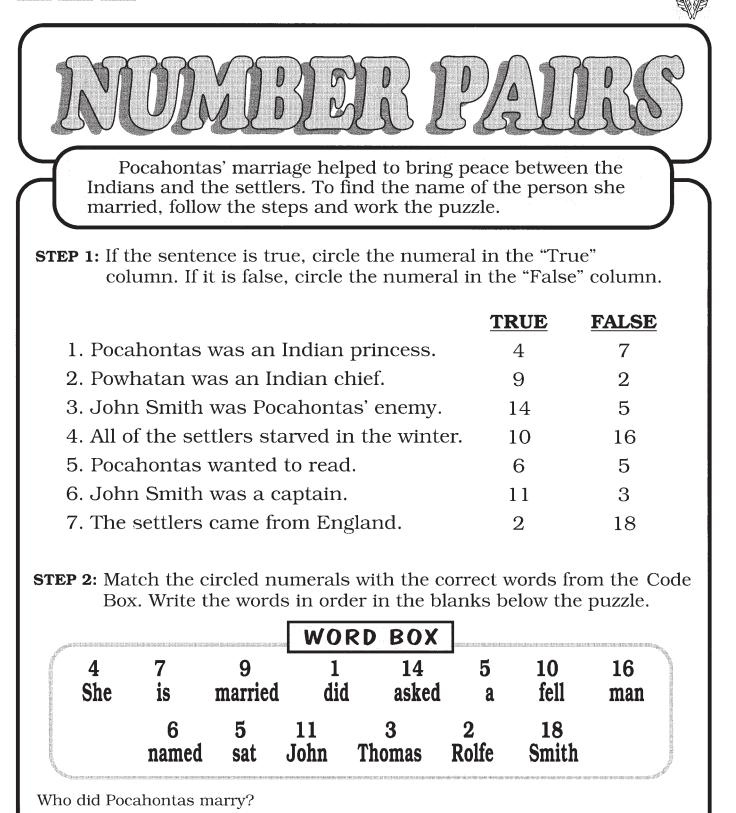


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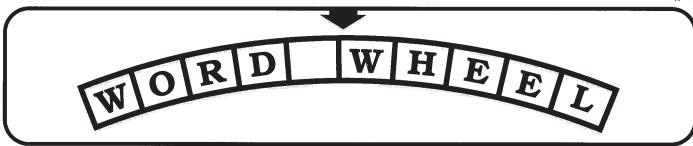
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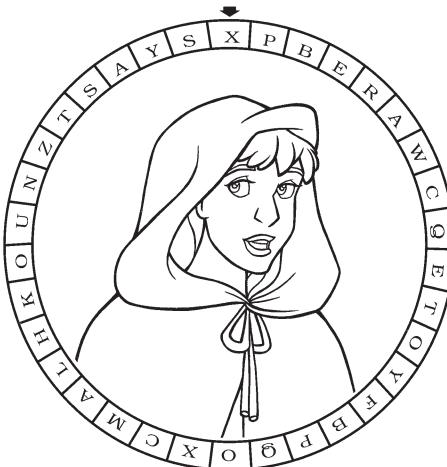






Pocahontas helped bring peace between the Indians and the settlers. Work the puzzle below to discover the special name this peace was given.

Move clockwise around the wheel and color in every other letter beginning with the letter "X" at the arrow. When you have finished, return to the arrow. Moving clockwise around the wheel, read the letters that were not colored. These letters spell seven words that tell you the answer. Write the words in order in the blanks below the puzzle.



What was the name given to the peace between the settlers and the Indians?

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before & AFTER

Solve the puzzle to discover the English name given to Pocahontas.

**Step 1:** For every clue on the left, circle the correct letter in the word on the right.

Circle the letter AFTER the "t"

Circle the letter AFTER the "m"

Circle the letter BEFORE the "o"

Circle the letter AFTER the "i"

Circle the letter BEFORE the "o"

Circle the letter AFTER the "a"

Circle the letter BEFORE the "t"

tribe

- Jamestown
- boat
- supplies
- corn

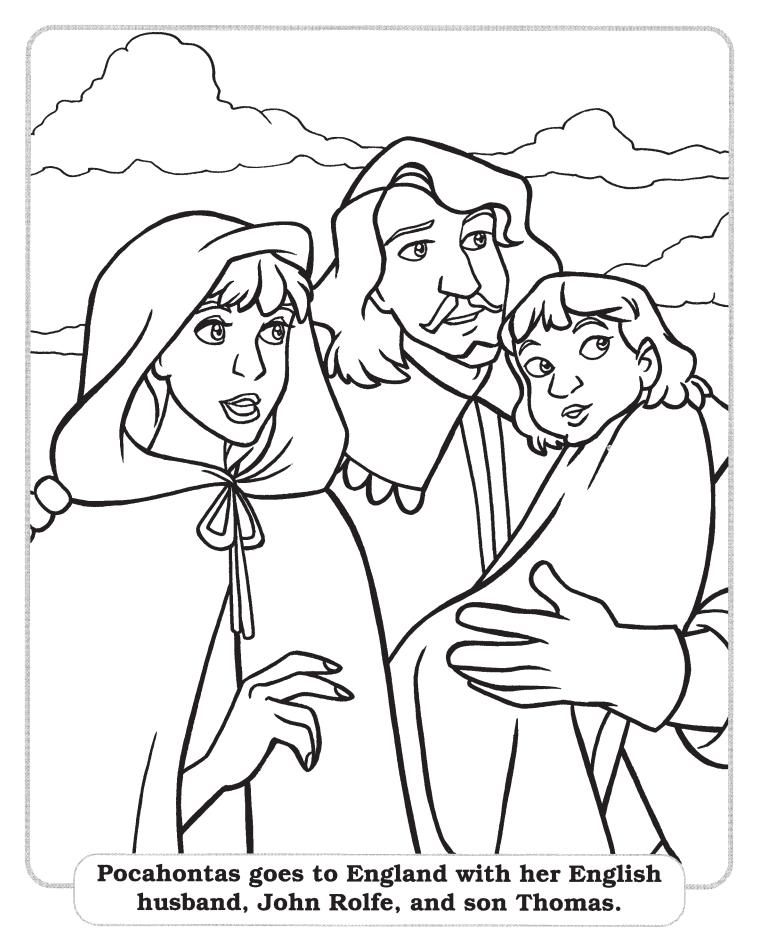
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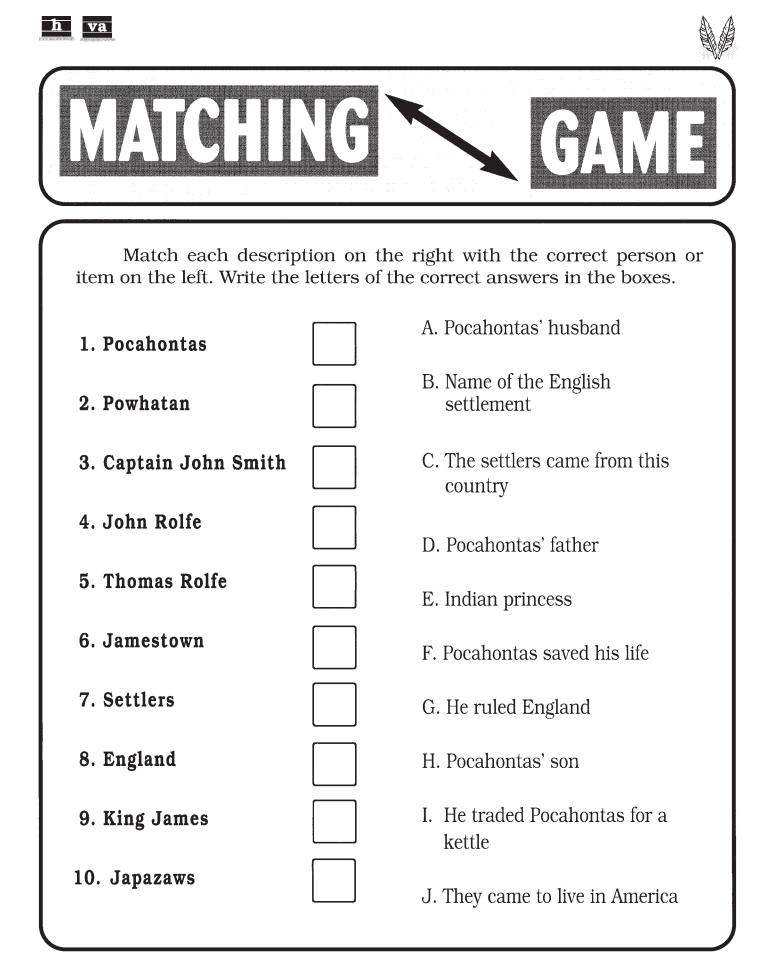
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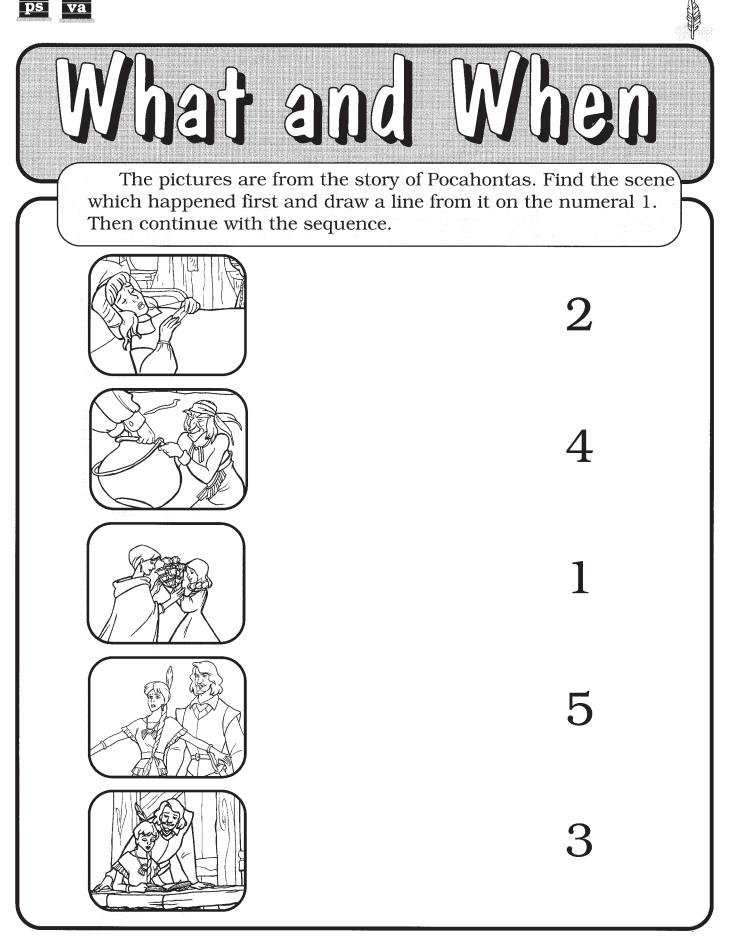
**Step 2:** Write the circled letters on the blanks below.

Pocahontas' English name was

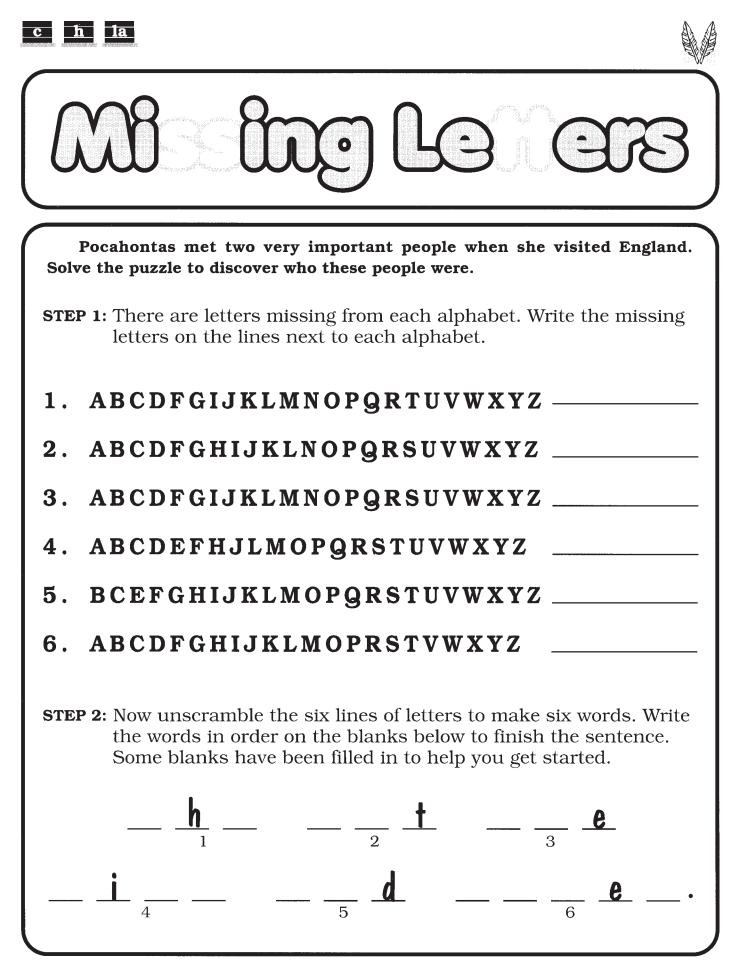








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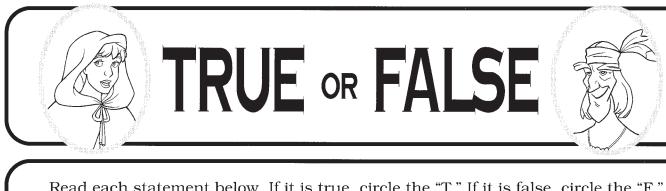


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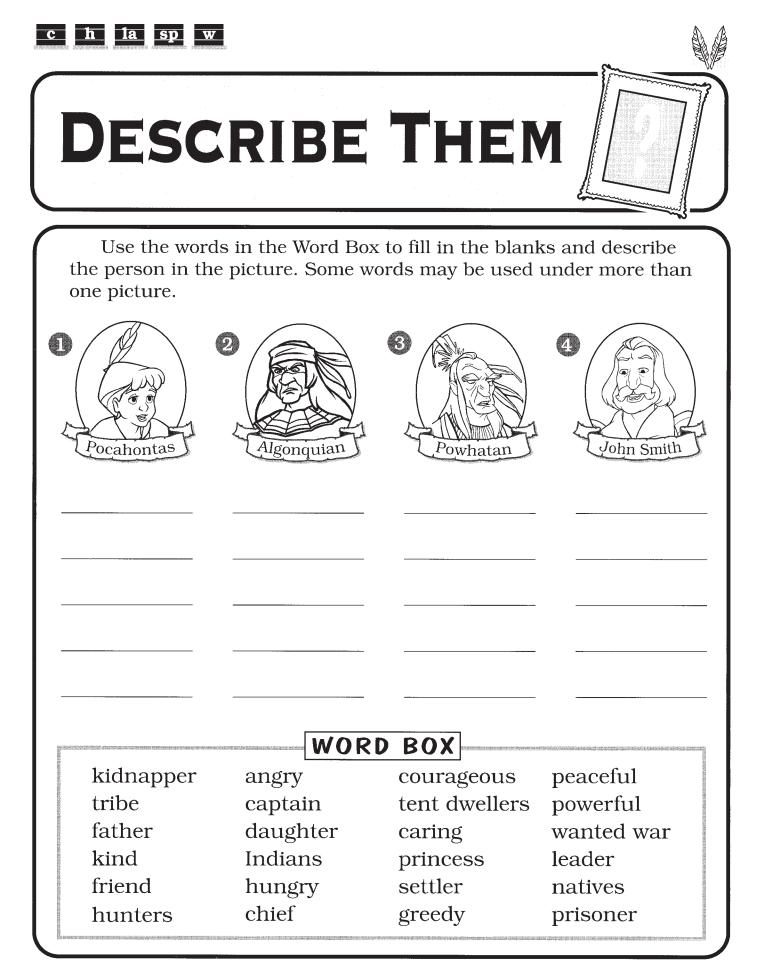




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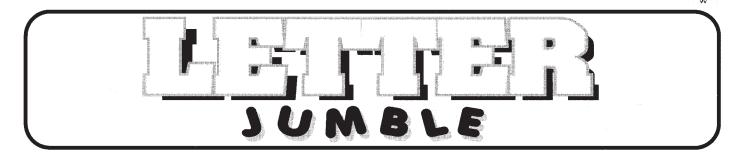
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Read each statement below. If it is true, circle the T. If it is faise, circle the T.		
1. Pocahontas was an Indian princess.	Т	F
2. Pocahontas' father was named Japazaws.	Т	F
3. Some English people came to live in America.	Т	F
4. Captain John Smith did not like the Indians.	Т	F
5. Pocahontas did not save John Smith's life.	Т	F
6. Pocahontas brought food to the settlers.	Т	F
7. The English settlement town was called Jamestown.	Т	F
8. England was ruled by King John.	Т	F
9. Pocahontas married Thomas Rolfe.	Т	F
10. Pocahontas sailed for England with her husband and son.	Т	F
11. Pocahontas did not meet the king and queen of England.	Т	F
12. Pocahontas died on the way back to America.	Т	F



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Pocahontas went to England with her husband, John Rolfe, and was supposed to return to America. She never returned. Solve the puzzle below to find what happened to Pocahontas.



**Step One:** The two alphabets below have extra letters in them. Read each alphabet and circle the letters that do not belong.

# ABSCDEHFGHIEJKLMDNOIPQRSETUVDWXYZ

## **AOBCDFEFGHAIJKLMFNOEPQRVSTUEVWXRYZ**

**Step Two:** Copy the circled letters in order on the blanks below to discover what happened to Pocahontas.

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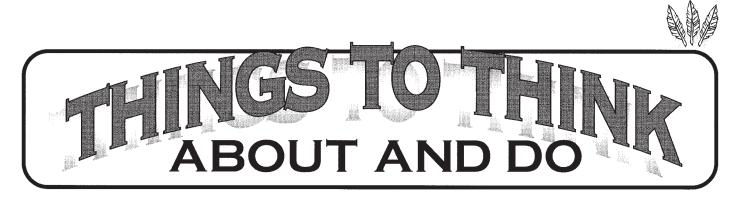
- To which Indian tribe did Pocahontas belong?
  What was her title?
- What was the name of Pocahontas' father?
  What was his title?
- 3. From which country did John Smith and the settlers come?
- 4. What was the name of the settlement town?
- 5. How did Pocahontas help the new settlers?
- 6. What did Pocahontas do for John Smith?
- 7. Who kidnapped Pocahontas?

For what was she traded?

- 8. What happened to John Smith's ship when he sailed back to England?
- 9. Who did Pocahontas marry?

What was her new English name?

- 10. Where did Pocahontas and John Smith meet for the second time?
- 11. Who did Pocahontas meet while she was in England?
- 12. What happened to Pocahontas when she sailed back to America?



## NOTE TO THE TEACHER: These are activities for a group to think about and do.

It took great courage for the English settlers to leave their homes behind and take a long sea voyage to a strange, new land. Traveling by ship in the early seventeenth century took much longer than it does today. It was also more dangerous. Many ships were crowded, dirty and unsanitary. Why do you think the settlers were willing to make the trip in spite of these problems?



Imagine that you were one of the English settlers. Captain John Smith has asked you to make up a list of supplies needed for the voyage to America. How much food and water will be needed? What food can you take that won't spoil? What tools and repair supplies will you need? Can you pick up fresh food and water along the way? Remember, storage space is limited.

3 Everyday life for Pocahontas' tribe, the Algonquian, was very different from the everyday life of the settlers. Discuss some of the differences in housing, clothing, food gathering and education.

> The settlers learned to trade, or barter, with the Indians for items they needed. What are some of the advantages of the barter system? What are some of the disadvantages?



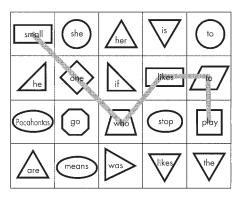
5 The Indians introduced the settlers to many food plants that are now used around the world. They also invented many things that we still use today. See how many food plants and inventions you can list. You may need to use an encyclopedia.



#### **SHAPE THE ANSWER** - PAGE 5

Answer: Pocahontas' tribe was the  $\underline{A} \mid \underline{g} \circ \underline{n} q \sqcup \underline{i} a \underline{n}$ .

#### SHAPE MAZE - PAGE 6

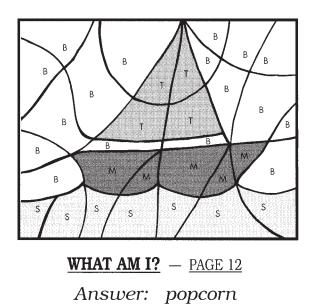


Answer: Small one who likes to play.

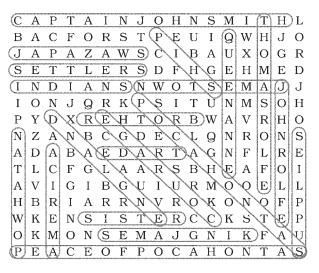
**NUMBER SEQUENCE** – PAGE 8

Answer: ENGLAND

**MYSTERY PICTURE** – PAGE 9



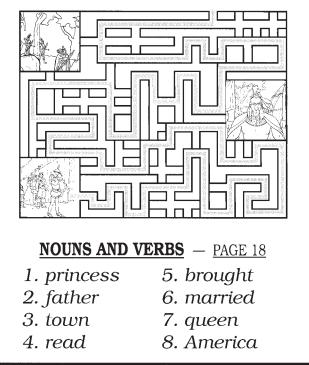
#### WORD SEARCH - PAGE 13



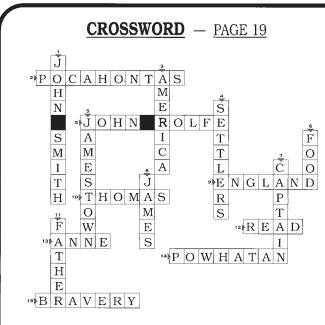
#### WORD WHIRLS - PAGE 15

1. John Smith	2. John Rolfe
3. Jamestown	4. Powhatan

JOURNEY TO JAMESTOWN - PAGE 16



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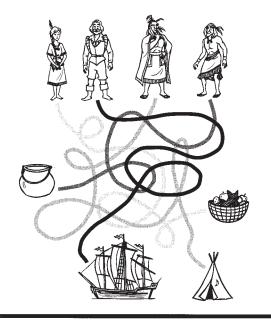
MIX 'N' MATCH CODE – PAGE 20

Answer: Pocahontas saved Captain John Smith's life!

### MYSTERY RHYMES - PAGE 22

Answer: Courage

FOLLOW THE LINE - PAGE 23



#### **POCAHONTAS SCRAMBLERS** - PAGE 24

- 1. Pocahontas 4. Jamestown
- 2. Powhatan 5. John Rolfe
- 3. England 6. King James

#### **SAFETY FIRST** - PAGE 25

Answer: "Be careful with fire, don't play with matches."

#### FUN WITH MATH & WORDS - PAGE 26

Answer: It caught fire.

#### **IN SHAPE WITH HISTORY** - PAGE 27

Answer: He exchanged her for a copper kettle.

THE SECRET SENTENCE - PAGE 28

Step One:

P<u>o</u>ca<u>h</u>on<u>t</u>as En<u>g</u>l<u>a</u>n<u>d</u> John <u>R</u>olfe s<u>u</u>ppli<u>e</u>s

> Step Two: He taught her to read.

#### NUMBER PAIRS - PAGE 30

Answer: She married a man named John Rolfe.

WORD WHEEL – PAGE 31 Answer: "Peace of Pocahontas."

### **BEFORE & AFTER** — PAGE 32 Answer: Pocahontas' English name was Rebecca. **MATCHING GAME** – PAGE 34 6. B 1.E2. D 7.J8. C 3.F4. A 9. G5. H10. I WHAT AND WHEN- PAGE 35 2 5 3 MISSING LETTERS — PAGE 36 Step One: 1. EHS 4. GIKN 2. EMT5. ADN6. ENQU 3. EHT Answer: She met the king and gueen. **TRUE OR FALSE** — PAGE 38 5. False 9. False 1. True 2. False 6. True 10. True 3. True 7. True 11. False

8. False

12. True

#### DESCRIBE THEM - PAGE 39

- 1. daughter courageous caring princess prisoner
- 2. tribe Indians tent dwellers hunters natives
- 4. captain hungry settler leader friend

leader

3. father

chief

powerful

wanted war

## **LETTER JUMBLE** – PAGE 40

Answer: She died of a fever.

## **<u><b>GUESTIONS**</u> – <u>PAGE 42</u>

#### Answers:

- 1. She belonged to the Algonquian tribe. She was a princess.
- 2. His name was Powhatan. He was the chief of the Algonquian tribe.
- 3. They came from England.
- 4. It was called Jamestown.
- 5. She brought them food and supplies.
- 6. She saved his life.
- 7. Japazaws kidnapped her. He traded her for a copper kettle.
- 8. The ship caught fire.
- 9. She married an Englishman named John Rolfe. Her new English name was Rebecca.
- 10. They met for the second time in England.
- 11. She met the king and queen.
- 12. She died before reaching America.

4. False

