

Exercises of Activity Book

Fourth section

Focus on writing

Punctuation: commas and numbers

1 Put full stops and commas in these numbers where necessary.

- a. The entire world is 510072000 square kilometres, but there are only 148940000 square kilometres of land. The rest, 361132000 square kilometres is under water.

510,072,000; 148,940,000; 361,132,000

- b. Brazil is the 12th country in size. It has a surface of 8511965 square kilometres. Of those, 55455 square kilometres are under water.

8,511,965; 55,455

- c. The Faroe Islands are 1399 square kilometres big.

1,399

- d. Pierre Curie (May 15th 1859 - April 19th 1906) is a Nobel Prize winner.

1859; 1906

- e. London Bridge is about 2000 years old.

2,000

Punctuation: commas in lists

2 Put commas in the correct places in the lists.

- a. Children's Museum Jordan is a very exciting place where you can learn explore discover and have fun.

Children's Museum Jordan is a very exciting place where you can learn, explore, discover and have fun.

- b. There is a library an art studio a museum shop and an imagination playground in Children's Museum Jordan.

There is a library, an art studio, a museum shop and an imagination playground in Children's Museum Jordan.

- c. There are some pears oranges lemons and plums in the kitchen.

There are some pears, oranges, lemons and plums in the kitchen.

- d. I always have potatoes tomatoes carrots and milk on my shopping list.

I always have potatoes, tomatoes, carrots and milk on my shopping list.

- e. Eat a lot of vegetables fruit and milk. They are good for your health.

Eat a lot of vegetables, fruit and drink milk. They are good for your health.

Spelling

3 Complete these words and match them with the pictures.

1. yoghurt d
2. tomatoes f
3. cheese a
4. milk c
5. coffee b

6. chocolate cake e

Linking words

but and however

4 Use these words to make sentences with but and However.

- a. There are over seven million objects in the British Museum / they are not all on show. (however,)

There are over seven million objects in the British Museum. However, they are not all on show.

- b. In the British Museum there is a glass dome / in the Louvre there is a glass pyramid. (but)

In the British Museum there is a glass dome, but in the Louvre there is a glass pyramid.

- c. There are a lot of mummies in the Louvre / in the British Museum there are 140 mummies. (However,)

There are a lot of mummies in the Louvre. However, in the British Museum there are 140 mummies.

- d. Dry seasons can be long in some places/ in other places there are floods. (but)

Dry seasons can be long in some places, but in other places there are floods.

- e. Cars produce a lot of carbon dioxide/planes produce much more. (However,)

Cars produce a lot of carbon dioxide. However, planes produce much more.

5 Write four pieces of information (two with but and two with However) about what you and your family or friends eat.

Students' own answers.