

BRAIN WARM-UP

REFUGEE: a person who has been forced to leave their country in order to escape war, persecution, or natural disaster.¹

IMMIGRANT: a person who chooses to migrate to another country, usually for permanent residence.²

More than half of children that have not enrolled in school live in sub-Saharan Africa.³

With your teacher's help, colour in sub-Saharan Africa on the map.⁴



In Nqutu, South Africa, children walk up to 10 miles to and from school every day.⁵

What is the distance in kilometers?

(1 Mile = 1.61 km)

How many steps would you take to walk 10 miles to school?

(1 Mile = Approx. 2,000 steps)

How early would you have to wake up to make it to school on time if you had to walk 10 miles?

¹ What is a Refugee? (n.d.). Retrieved from <https://www.unrefugees.org/refugee-facts/what-is-a-refugee>

² Immigrant Definition (n.d.). Retrieved from <https://www.dictionary.com/browse/immigrant>

³ Our World in Data. (2019). How many children are not in school? Retrieved from <https://ourworldindata.org/how-many-children-are-not-in-school>

⁴ Sub Saharan Africa Blank Map. (n.d.). Retrieved from <http://mapofafricanew.blogspot.com/2017/06/sub-saharan-africa-blank-map.html>

⁵ Harvard Law Today. (2015). What's so bad about a 10-mile walk to school? Two views of educational challenges in South Africa. <https://today.law.harvard.edu/whats-so-bad-about-a-10-mile-walk-to-school-two-views-of-educational-challenges-in-south-africa/>

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617 million youth worldwide lack basic mathematics and literacy skills.⁶

750 million adults, mostly women, could not read in 2016. Half of the global illiterate population lives in South Asia, and a quarter lives in sub-Saharan Africa.⁴

What are some things that would be difficult or impossible if you could not read?

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____



World Refugee Day is June 20th.

What is one thing you could do in recognition?

Why would you choose to do this thing in recognition of this day?

⁶ SDG Indicators. (n.d.). Retrieved from <https://unstats.un.org/sdqs/report/2019/goal-04/>



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