

Poem - Selling Coffee - SL



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English



Along come the coffee pickers,
Pick, pack, pick!
Off to the husk machine,
Walk, carry, walk!
In go the coffee berries,
Crash, skin, crash!





Off to the buyer,
Wait, happy, wait!
Along comes the buyer,
Weigh, scale, weigh!
Gives us the money,
Ten kina, ten!





Down to the supermarket,
Run, skip, run!
Food for our dinner,
Buy, happy, buy!



Check Your Understanding

- 1) Was there more than one coffee picker? How do you know?

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2) Why did they take the coffee to the river?

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3) Why do they need to weigh the coffee?

Check Your Understanding

4) How much does the farmer sell the coffee for?

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5) What would you spend your money on if you sold the coffee?

Check Your Understanding

6) What cash crops are grown around you?

Check Your Understanding

7) How does the farmer feel after he sells his coffee?

Check Your Understanding

Secretary's Message

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The Journal is intended as supplementary reading and should be available for children to read in the classroom.

Teachers are encouraged to read a story from the Journal to their class every day. In this way their children will become familiar with the stories and will want to read them for themselves.

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