

Postcard



Ken is reading a postcard from his cousin Jeff.

Dear Ken,

How are you? I am now in Vietnam on a volunteer trip with my mum. We talked to a boy at a welcoming party yesterday. His name is Hung and he is ten, the same age as us!

Today, we visited Hung's home. He lives with his family on a farm. Every morning, he helps water the plants and feed the animals before he goes to school. His family grows corn and sugar cane. **They** make a living by selling the food in the market.

Hung told us his favourite subject is Maths because he finds it interesting. He wants to be an architect when he grows up. Then he can earn more money for his family and make their lives less difficult.

I think we are lucky to live in Hong Kong. It's much easier to get what we need there, so we have to treasure the things we have. See you when I get back!

Best wishes,

Jeff



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A Choose the best answers by blackening the circles.

1. How old is Jeff?

- A. Five B. Seven C. Ten D. Eleven

2. Read line 9. Who does the pronoun 'They' refer to?

- A. Jeff and his mum B. Ken and Hung
 C. Hung and his family D. Hung and Jeff's parents

3. What does Hung's family grow?

(1)



(2)



(3)



(4)



- A. (1) and (2) B. (2) and (3) C. (1) and (3) D. (2) and (4)

4. Hung likes _____.

- A. helping on the farm C. doing sums
 B. going to the market D. earning money

Q4

What subject does Hung find interesting?



5. Which of the following is NOT true about Jeff?

- A. He visited Hung's family.
 B. He met Hung at a welcoming party.
 C. He thinks children in Hong Kong are lucky.
 D. He wants to be an architect when he grows up.

B Fill in each blank with a word from the text.**Q7**

What does Hung's story tell us?



Dear Jeff,

Your trip is meaningful! The poor needs our help because they only

6. _____ a little money. In Hong Kong, we can always get food and toys easily. I'll learn to **7.** _____ what I have after reading Hung's story.

Best,

Ken