

Find Facts in the World Almanac

Worksheets for grades 5–7 to be used with *The World Almanac and Book of Facts 2010*.

Use these worksheets to discover the best ways to find information using *The World Almanac*.

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ANSWER KEY

PAGE 1 Unlocking the Facts

- (91) Transportation and Tourism, Quick Reference Index
- (184) American Cartoonists, General Index
- (396) Education, Quick Reference Index
- (692) Mountains, Quick Reference Index
- (94) Airports, busiest; General Index

PAGE 2 Find Facts Fast

- (521) Arthur
- (458) Japan
- (339) Jupiter
- (92) France
- (730) Mackinac
- (929) Philadelphia
- (474) Colorado
- (373) Idaho
- (598) Ohio
- (250) The Appeal
- (351) Victoria Day
- (370) Georgia

PAGE 3 Connecting the Facts

- (454) New Jersey
- (458) Libya

- (225) Nashville, TN
- (823) Oslo
- (927) Whitey Ford, Yankees
- (133) Adm. Sidney W. Souers
- (329) Amelia Earhart
- (268) *The House in the Night*, Beth Krommes
- (520) 4 feet, 6 inches
- (888) Herschel Walker
- (509) Slavery abolished
- (287) RCA
- (262) Wangari Maathai
- (59) Salmon Chase
- (210) Chipping Sodbury, Eng.
- (350) Scorpio
- (456) Minnesota
- (283-84) Pt

PAGE 4 Cross-Country Trip

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|-------------|--------------|
| 1. (317) PA | 10. (94) CA |
| 2. (521) VA | 11. (452) TX |
| 3. (474) CA | 12. (455) GA |
| 4. (583) FL | 13. (474) UT |
| 5. (456) MO | 14. (650) WY |
| 6. (589) ME | 15. (734) NV |
| 7. (580) AK | 16. (597) NC |
| 8. (210) CT | 17. (602) TN |
| 9. (723) IL | 18. (976) RI |

PAGE 5 State the Facts

- Georgia (387)
- Ohio (598)
- New York (399)
- Illinois (585)
- Kukui (584)
- Yellowhammer (579)
- Union, Justice, and Confidence (588)
- Sugar maple (605)
- San Bernardino (631)
- Potomac (589)

PAGE 6 Armchair Traveling

Answers will vary

PAGE 7 Flags of the World

- One
 - White
 - No
 - A semi-circle
- Argentina (republic)
Spain (monarchy)
Denmark (monarchy)
Ghana (republic)
Cambodia (monarchy)
Luxembourg (monarchy)
Bolivia (republic)
South Africa (republic)
Uganda (republic)
Monaco (monarchy)

PAGE 8 Picking a President

- 270 (565)
- Franklin D. Roosevelt (521)
- 8 sons/7 daughters (533)
- Dwight D. Eisenhower (534)
- Andrew Johnson (534)

- Gerald Ford (530)
- James Buchanan (534)
- Libertarian (535)
- Virginia (534)
- 435 members of the House of Representatives + 100 Senators + 3 electors from Washington, DC (565)
- Polk
- Jackson
- Hoover
- Eisenhower
- Carter
- Kennedy
- Fillmore
- Arthur

PAGE 9 Facts and Figures

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|--------------|-------------|
| A. 500 (959) | I. 60 (258) |
| B. 10 (612) | J. 3 (457) |
| C. 34 (896) | K. 21 (586) |
| D. 16 (359) | L. 3 (520) |
| E. 80 (275) | M. 7 (521) |
| F. 8 (484) | N. 6 (440) |
| G. 5 (59) | O. 8 (284) |
| H. 2 (858) | P. 21 (234) |

PAGE 10 Getting Around the Facts

- T (973)
- H (92)
- E (288)
- W (313)
- H (322)
- E (329)
- E (88)
- L (483)

PAGE 11 Facts You Can Count On

- equals (361)
- not equal; 4 fluid drams (361)
- equals (357)
- not equal; 1,000 kilograms = 1 metric ton (359)
- equals (360)
- a. millionfold (359); b. billionth part (359) c. septillionth part (359)
- a. paper (362); b. ship speed (362); gold; precious stones (362)
- 2.54 centimeters (360)
- bu (361); gal (361)
- M (359)
- 90 dB (362)
- 15 square inches (358)

PAGE 12 Health Facts

Jumble: DO NOT START

- less (166)
- frostbite (167)
- iron (163)
- overweight (165)
- mineral (164)
- good (163)
- vitamin A (162)
- carbohydrates (162)