

Egg Prices

Podcast Listening Comprehension

PDF & Digital Formats



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Middle School Teaching Resources

RESOURCE INCLUDES

- ☐ Teacher Instructions
- ☐ Graphic Organizers
- ☐ Journal Entry
- ☐ Answer Key
- ☐ Individual PDFs for Google Drive™
- ☐ Google Slides™

EXAMPLE PAGES

LESSON PLAN

Cost of Living - Egg Prices - Are They Worth It?

Lesson Overview: Students will learn about a variety of economic topics after listening to a brief podcast segment.

Materials Needed:

- ☐ Access to reliable technology computer, data projector, Wi-Fi
- ☐ Cost of Living graphic organizers (class set)
- ☐ Cost of Living Podcast Episode: ["The multi-million dollar business of discarded stuff"](#) - September 4, 2022 Segment "What are you paying for when you buy organic, free-range eggs?"
- ☐ Select one of these videos depending on the interests of your class(es):
 - [The difference between pastured and industrial chickens](#)
 - [Cage Free, Free Range & USDA Organic Eggs - Ask Organic Valley](#) (Stop at 3:16)

Teacher Instructions:

- Start the lesson by using the pre-listening questions to spark conversations.
- Next, ask students to fill out the Pre-Listening Cost of Living graphic organizer. Have a brief class discussion and write down some of the answers that students share.
- Then, have students watch the suggested videos. After watching, have a brief discussion on what they learned.
- Have the class listen to the brief segment "What are you paying for when you buy organic, free-range eggs?" from the Cost of Living Podcast Episode: ["The multi-million dollar business of discarded stuff"](#) - September 4, 2022.
- After listening to the podcast, have the students complete the remaining sections of the Post-Listening graphic organizer.
- If time permits, have students complete the journal entry. Assess the journal entry using [this method](#).

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COST OF LIVING

Egg Prices Pre-Listening



Think of your family's last trip to a store. Did your family buy eggs?

Do you know anyone who produces their own eggs with backyard or barn chickens?

Would you pay extra for eggs if it meant that the chickens had an outdoor living environment? Explain.

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THINKING QUESTION

Assessment	Below Expectations	Meets Expectations	Above Expectations
	✓-	✓	✓+

Would you ever want to have your own backyard chickens to produce eggs for your family? Explain.

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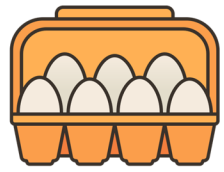
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GRAPHIC ORGANIZER

SAMPLE ANSWERS

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Think of your family's last trip to a store. Did your family buy eggs?

Answers will vary. Here is a sample answer:
Yes, my family bought eggs because we eat them on the weekends for breakfast.

ANSWER KEY

THINKING QUESTION

Assessment	Below Expectations	Meets Expectations	Above Expectations
	✓ -	✓	✓ +

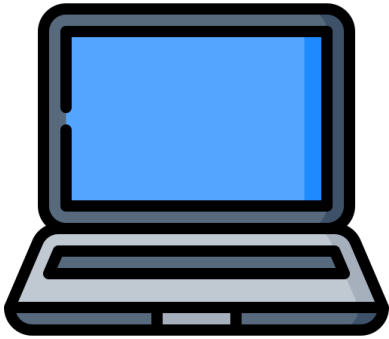
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JOURNAL ENTRY

LESSON FORMATS



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Lessons are ready for
in-person and online learning.