Asia A-Z Montessori Geography Unit



Non-Fiction Book

Each letter of the alphabet is represented by a photograph of an item found on this continent along with a brief description. You may want to bind these cards into a book or keep them separate and introduce them one at a time.



Terms in the book include:

Animals	Orchid
Bamboo	Panda
Camel	Queen
Diya	Rice
Elephant	Sari
Fan	Taj Mahal
Ganesha	Umbrella
Himalayas	Veil
Коі	Wall
Lotus	Xi'an
Matryoshka	Yak
Noodles	Zero

You may prefer to print two pages on one sheet of paper and cut apart to make picture and description matching cards. Consult your printer manual for instructions on how to print multiple pages on one sheet. These cards do not have a border. Mount on colored paper if you would like to have a border.

Taj Mahal

The Taj Mahal is located in the city of Agra in India. It was built over 400 years ago by the emperor Shah Jahan as the final resting place for his wife Mumtaz Mahal. "Taj Mahal" means "crown of palaces".

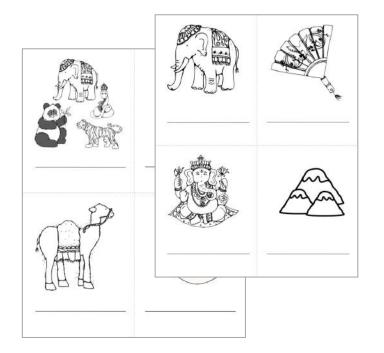
Non-Fiction Book- Alternative

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Alternative: A-Z Non-Fiction Book with Clipart

A smaller version of the A-Z book is provided with clipart as an alternative to the photos. This is a cheaper printing option.



Extension: Asia A-Z Booklet

Students can use these blacklines to make their own Asia A-Z booklet.

A-Z Matching Cards



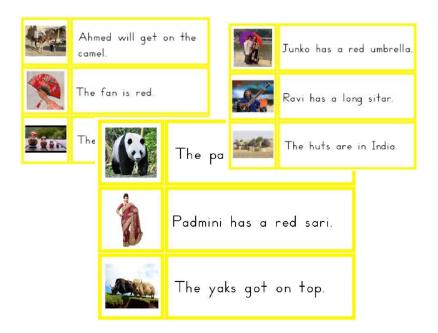
Print two sets to make matching cards.

Cut the labels off one of the sets to make 3-part cards.

Put in alphabetical order or match to letter cards (not included). The photos used are from the A-Z non-fiction book.

Black and white pages are not included for children to color their own book.

Phonetic Reading Sentences



Cut the cards apart. Students can read the sentence strip and find the correct picture. Add a color coding dot on the back as a control of error if desired.

A set with blue borders is also provided to coordinate with your pink-blue-green reading series.

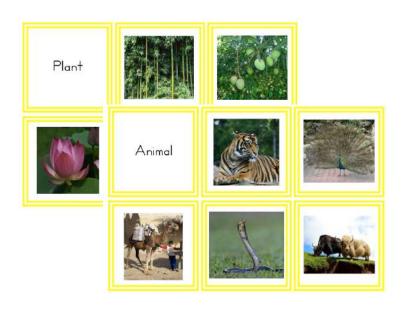
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Sorting Living and Non-Living



Compare living and non-living things. Sort the cards into two rows or columns

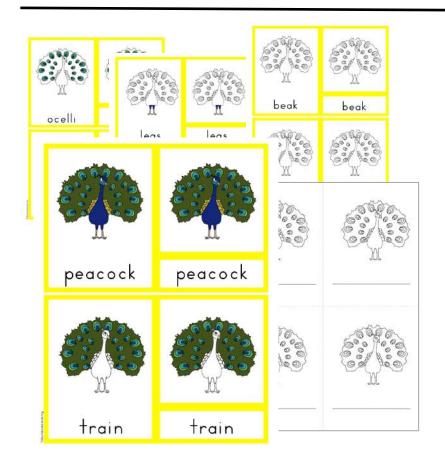
Sorting Plants and Animals



Compare plants and animals. Sort the cards into two rows or columns.

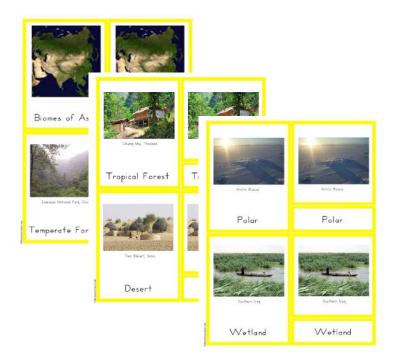
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Parts of a Peacock



Learn the various parts of a peacock using these 3-part cards. Students can make their own booklet using the blackline provided.

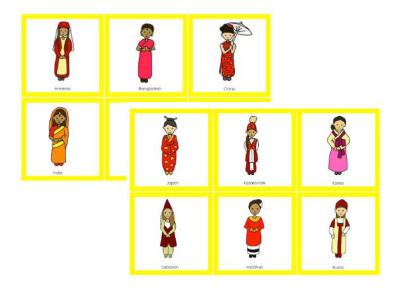
Biomes of Asia



Use these Biome 3-part cards to talk about the different types of climates found on this continent.

Use as a jumping off point to discuss the ways people might live in the different biomes.

Matching Cards



These are Asian clothing matching cards. Print two sets to make matching cards. For a more advanced activity, find the country on a map.

Bonus Activity: "By the River Ganges"



This emergent reader book is designed to go with the song "By the River Ganges" by Mr. I, Gary Q and the Rainbow Singers on the music CD entitled "Asia".

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