



A Cup of Tea

Tea Around the World

This exercise is meant to show you where the tea that we drink is actually grown and where it is drunk.

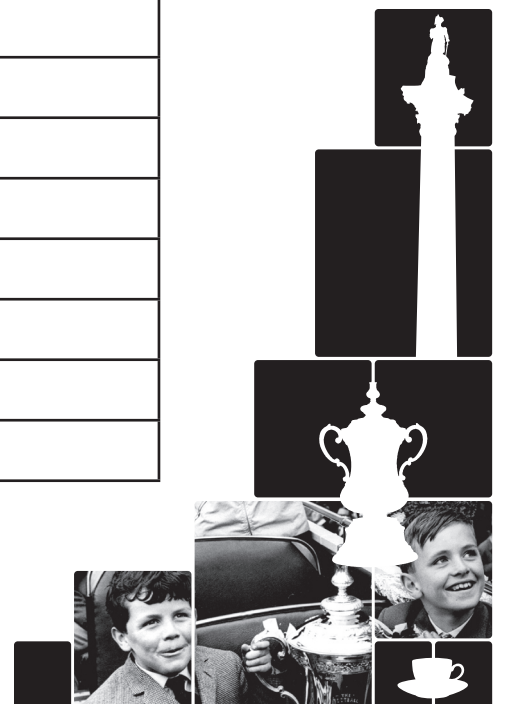
Growing tea

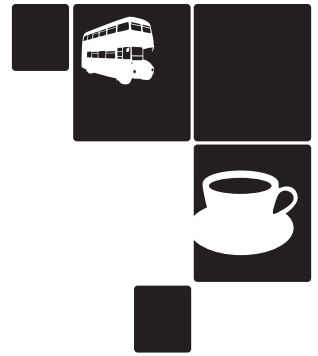
You need to start by looking at the Tea Trail website created by the Tea Council. You can find it at: <http://www.teatrail.co.uk/tt/world/trade.html>

This will show you which countries actually grow tea and how much tea they produce.

Use the information on this website to fill in the table below:

Tea-Growing Countries	Percentage (%) of the world's tea grown by this country	Population
China		
India		
Turkey		
Malawi		
Zimbabwe		
Kenya		
Indonesia		
Japan		
Argentina		
Sri Lanka		





☞ **Which country produces most of the world's tea?**

☞ **Which country has the largest population?**

☞ **Which country produces the smallest amount of tea?**

☞ **Which country has the smallest population?**

Drinking tea

Now that you know who produces the world's tea let's see if you can find out which countries drink the most. In small groups have a guess at the top five countries for tea-drinking. It doesn't matter about the order you put them in.

We think that the top five countries for drinking tea are:
1.
2.
3.
4.
5.

Now have a look at this website from the Tea Council in Australia. It shows which countries drank the most tea in 1997.

<http://www.tea.org.au/world/sub2.html>

Fill in the table below:

The top five countries for drinking tea are actually:
1.
2.
3.
4.
5.

How many did your group get right?

