Worksheet: THE AMISH



**MISSION 1**: TITLE 1:

TITLE 2:

TITLE 3:

TITLE 4:

TITLE 5:

**MISSION 2**: Read the 1st paragraph and complete the missing information

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| WHO? |  |
| ORIGINATE FROM… |  |
| NUMBER OF AMISH PEOPLE |  |
| WHERE DO THEY LIVE? Be precise… |  |

**MISSION 3:** Read the 2nd paragraph and complete the missing information

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| **CLOTHING** | **are allowed to wear** | **mustn’t wear** |
| **MEN** |  |  |
| **WOMEN** |  |  |
| **HAIR STYLE and others** | **Must have / must be** | **Mustn’t** |
| **MEN** |  |  |
| **WOMEN** |  |  |

Their clothes are very \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, and they represent \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ from the world.

**MISSION 4:** Read the 3rd paragraph and say whether these statements are TRUE or FALSE. Justify WITH YOUR OWN WORDS.

1. Technology is part of the Amish way of living. T F
2. They use tractors to plough their land. T F
3. Their main means of transportation is the horse-drawn buggy. T F
4. They never use telephones. T F
5. Children tend to leave their community when they are adults. T F
6. They live in very tiny places. T F
7. They attend religious ceremonies in the village church. T F

**MISSION 5:** Read the 4th paragraph and complete the missing information.

Amish children go to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ schools which are run by \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. They are essentially taught core subjects (= ) like \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ but they also have a more practical approach with\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. (= )

After the age of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, they do not attend school \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_and start \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_on the farm. At school, they do not learn anything about the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

world.

**MISSION 6:** Read the 5th paragraph and find the information

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|  | INFORMATION |
| MARRIAGE |  |
| DIVORCE |  |
| CONTRACEPTION |  |
| CHILDREN |  |
| SEXUAL ROLES |  |
| LANGUAGES |  |

**TRANSLATE:**

Beaucoup de gens ne comprennent pas la manière simple et lente de la vie Amish.

Les Amish croient que la société moderne est trop stressante et matérialiste.

Ils estiment que leur mode de vie est un reflet fidèle de leurs croyances religieuses. Certaines de leurs coutumes et croyances peuvent sembler étranges et dépassées pour beaucoup d'entre nous, mais en fait, on peut apprendre énormément en étudiant leur façon de vivre. Leur dévouement à la famille et la communauté et leur forte éthique de travail sont de bons exemples pour notre société.