

PROJECT UNIT - AWAY FROM HOME

1. Look at the pictures and answer the questions.



1. Where are they going?
2. How do they feel?
3. Who are they?

2. (a) Listen to the song and fill in the gaps.

If you miss the train I'm on,
You will know that I am gone,
You can hear the whistle blow, a hundred
miles.

A hundred miles, a hundred miles,
A hundred miles, a hundred miles.

You can hear the whistle blow, a hundred
miles.

Lord, I'm _____, Lord I'm _____

Lord, I'm _____, Lord I'm _____,

Lord, I'm _____ hundred miles away
from home.

Away from home, away from home

Away from home, away from home

Lord I'm _____ hundred miles away
from home

Not a _____ on my back,

Not a _____ to my name,

Lord, I can't go back home this ole-way.

This ole-way, this ole-way, this ole-way,

This ole-way, this ole-way, this a-way.

Lord, I can't go back home, this ole-
way.

If you miss the _____, I'm on, you will
know that I am gone,

You can hear the whistle blow,

a hundred miles.

A hundred miles, a _____ miles,

A hundred miles, a _____ miles.

You can hear the whistle blow,

a hundred miles.

You can hear the whistle blow

a hundred miles

2. (b) Answer the questions.

(a) Where is the man now? _____

(b) Has he got money or clothes? _____

(c) Why is he leaving home? _____



3. There are many refugees in the world. Cyprus has refugees, too. Mr Stelios Petrou is a refugee. Listen to Mr Petrou and complete the sentences with words from the box.

fourteen, shouting, invaded, left, car, crying, running, refugee, tent, missed, occupied, was

Mr Stelios Petrou is from _____. On 20th July 1974 it was his birthday. He was _____ years old. On that morning he heard people screaming and _____. His mother said Turkey _____ Cyprus. They _____ in his uncle's _____. His friend Marios was _____, Sotiria was _____ to find her dog and Hasan _____ scared. Stelios was now a r _____. He lived in a _____ for months. He _____ his friends.

Now, Stelios is getting old. His village is still _____. His dream is to be old with his friends Marios and Hasan and live together in their village again.

4. Costas is a refugee, too. Read his letter and circle the right answer.

Dear Mr President,
My name is Costas. I'm 12 years old and I live in Cyprus. Me and my family are refugees. My mum and dad were forced to leave their home in 1974 when Turkey invaded Cyprus.
In 1974 many people were killed, many became refugees and lived in tents away from their homes and families. My parents come from a pretty village called Kythrea but it is now occupied by Turkish soldiers. Please help unite Cyprus. My parents, my grandparents, my sister and I all want to go back to our pretty village and live together in our house. We want to live in peace with our friends and family. We hate war. Please help bring peace to the world and help the Cyprus refugees return to their homes.
Yours sincerely,
Costas Symeou

- Refugees are people who
(a) are forced to leave their homes
(b) leave their homes
(c) travel to other countries
- Turkey _____ Cyprus in 1974.
(a) came to
(b) invaded
(c) visited
- Costas village is _____.
(a) endangered
(b) occupied
(c) far away
- Costas wants a _____ Cyprus.
(a) occupied
(b) united
(c) pretty

5. Costas and his friends made posters and wrote poems about peace and a free Cyprus. Make your own posters and poems.



PEACE

Peace is a smiling face.
 Peace is a walk on the beach.
 Peace is a beautiful moon.
 Peace is dancing with a friend.
 Peace is singing a song.
 Peace is eating an ice-cream.
 Peace is what we want.

PEACE

Peace is a _____ .
 Peace is a _____ .
 Peace is a _____ .
 Peace is _____ .
 Peace is _____ .
 Peace is _____ .

WAR

War is a crying baby.
 War is scared children.
 War is sad people.
 War is running away from home.
 War is losing your friends.
 War is living in a tent.
 We hate war!

Send your poems and posters to people in other countries.

Write a letter and send it to someone who can help.

