

GOD IS

A SERVANT

Occupations

Term 3

Year 5

William Carey

Biography

Will Carey was very poor. He was a boot-maker and spent most of his time mending boots. Around the walls of his little shed where he worked, there were pictures of people in other parts of the world. He had a large round globe that he had made by sewing together bits of leather. He had made it so that there were dark pieces of leather for the countries and light brown pieces of leather for the seas.

Young Will had read everything he could about people who had traveled and found out new things about the world: Columbus and Captain Cook, for example. 'As he looked at his globe words from the Bible kept coming into his mind: "Go, then, to all peoples everywhere and make them my disciples: baptize them in the name of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit and teach them to obey everything I have commanded you. And I will be with you always, to the end of the age" (Matthew 28:19-20).

Will Carey longed to be able to go and tell some people somewhere in that vast world about how much God loved them. But how could he? He was young and he had no money. Who would send him?

He knew that many dreadful things were happening to people in some parts of the world. There were babies who were killed because they were not wanted; there were wives who were killed because their husbands had died; there were witchdoctors, who made up weird concoctions meant to cure the sick, but often they killed them; there were children were often afraid and they were often hungry.

Will Carey knew that all these dreadful things happened because the people had not heard about God's love. People who knew and loved and trusted God did not treat others like that. Children who knew about God's love were not afraid. I-le longed to be able to go and tell them. But who was he? A poor young man, a boot-maker with no money. Who would send him?

In Will Carey's day no one thought of sending missionaries to other places to tell people and show people that God loved them. It was a new idea. At last Will Carey found twelve people who were interested and they each gave a small amount of money to help him travel to India as the first Protestant missionary to that huge land. He settled in the swampy lands near Calcutta and began his work of telling the people that God loved them, and cared about them. He had to work hard all day for a living as a planter of indigo (a plant from which people got a dark-coloured dye for cloth).

He decided the way he could help people know best that God loved them was to translate the Bible for them so that they could read it in their own language. In the evenings, after work, he would visit people in the villages or some part of the city, talk to them, get to know them, learn their language, and then go home and work on his translations by candlelight until late at night. Before he died, he and some other helpers who later came to join him, had translated the Bible into 34 languages (or dialects) of India.

Thinking Skills

Year 5 Servant

<p>Occupations 1</p> <p>Write words or phrases next each letter – something to do with</p> <p>D E N T I S T</p>	<p>Occupations 2</p> <p>Think of 3 professions for a person who is good at art.</p>
<p>Occupations 3</p> <p>Think of 3 professions for a person who would like to work with animals.</p>	<p>Occupations 4</p> <p>List 5 things that vets have to do as part of their job.</p>
<p>Occupations 5</p> <p>What are some similarities between a taxi driver and a hairdresser?</p>	<p>Occupations 6</p> <p>What are some differences between a banker and a professions sports person?</p>

People and Work

Different people do different work. There are two types of work; paid and unpaid work. Unpaid work is usually work we do at home like washing dishes and feeding the pigs while in paid work a salary or wage is received for doing the work. A person's salary is calculated from the amount of time that is spent in doing the work.



Different types of Work

1. Casual workers - people only work when there is work to be done and the workers are paid as soon as the work is completed.
2. Temporary Workers – these workers usually work for a period of time and depending on the contract they sign before they begin to work.
3. Permanent Workers- these workers continue working until they retire from their work.
4. Voluntarily Workers – these workers are not paid for the work they do but provide their services free of charge in our communities.

For you to do

1. Draw up a table and write examples of workers that come under each group.

Casual	Temporary	Permanent	Voluntary
e.g. fruit picker	e.g. shop assistant	e.g. teacher	e.g. housework at home

2. Define the following words

- i) salary/wages
- ii) employer
- iii) employee
- iv) employment



Families Financial Commitments

Parents work so that they earn an income to meet the family's financial commitments. Our financial commitment will depend on the goods and services that we use daily at home. For example, we need to pay for electricity bills, buy our groceries and pay for bus fares. A budget should be prepared which would include all the family commitments that need to be paid.

For you to do

With the help of your parents, prepare a family budget.

In one month, how much does your family spend on food, electricity, entertainment, clothes, household bills from the council like rates and water.

Banks

Our money is safe when deposited in banks. Banks provide different financial services to the general public like exchanging of currencies, depositing and withdrawing of money, loans, and they also give us advice on how to save money. The first thing that a person must do is open an account in a bank before he can enjoy the services provided.

Today banking has been made easier with the use of technology, people do not need to visit the banks but we can be served from the bank from our home or even offices. We can withdraw money at any time convenient to us even when the banks are closed. The main focus for all banks is the customers that they serve. Banks would try to find more customers to bank with them by promoting their financial services through the media.

For you to do

1. List down the names of banks in providing services in Fiji.
2. What are some advantages of keeping money in the bank?
3. Find out the different types of financial services provided by each bank.
4. How do banks help communities?
5. Draw up a table and list the similarities and differences of each bank stated above.



Starting a Business

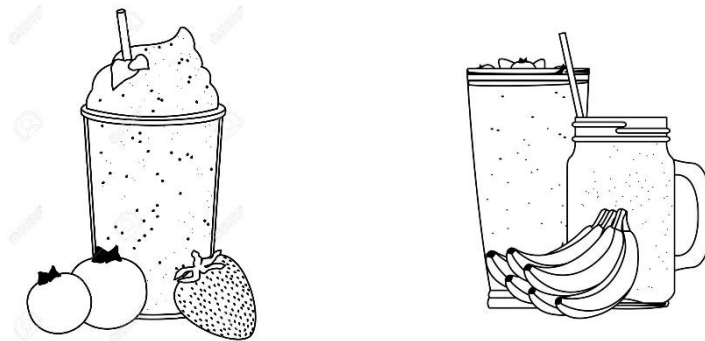
Promotion and Advertising

1. Choose a business that you would like to start.
2. What special name can you give to your business?
3. How do you plan to advertise your business?
4. What brochures or business cards will you prepare?
5. What special offers might you give to customers to keep up the sales?
6. Create a product or service description. Here is an example:

Product / Service Description

Business: A Juice Bar

My shop is called '*Bliss Juice Bar*'.
My shop is bright and fun for everyone to enjoy.
There is always friendly staff to help you.



You have the option to choose a particular drink available or choose what fruits you want to have in your drink.

There is a wide variety of drinks available.

Bliss Juice Bar will always serve you with drinks of the highest quality.

Curious About Careers: Mechanical Engineering

Did you like to build with blocks when you were young? Are you curious about how solar panels turn sun rays into electricity? Have you wondered how planes stay in the air? Do you wonder why putting petrol into cars causes the wheels to turn? Do you like to design and create new things? If you do, a career in mechanical engineering might be right for you!

A mechanical engineer is responsible for coming up with and designing mechanical systems. Mechanical systems can include machine design, heating and cooling equipment, power generation, and product design. Products like the latest cellphone begin with an engineer coming up with the idea.

Mechanical engineers are in high demand right now. That means that there are a lot of job openings for mechanical engineers, but there aren't enough people to fill those jobs. Because there is a high need for engineers, and the work requires specialized knowledge, engineers get paid more than some other careers.

To be a mechanical engineer, you need to graduate from college/university with a bachelor's degree. During your years in college, you will learn problem solving and critical thinking skills that will help you to succeed as an engineer.

Problem solving is very important in the field of mechanical engineering. People in this career need to be able to think about problems in different ways to figure out the best solution. You also need to be creative, because you may need to make something that's never been made before. Attention to detail is important, as well. Many designs rely on a lot of little details that need to work together.

Mechanical engineers should also be very comfortable using a variety of tools, such as calculators, high-speed cameras, measurement tools, and computers to assist them in completing their job. There are many computer programs mechanical engineers use to create designs in 3D, run scenarios, and analyze calculations. Engineers also use computers for research.

As with many other jobs, mechanical engineers need to be able to meet deadlines and work well with other people. Some jobs can be

done with just one person, but more often mechanical engineers are working on a team to complete a project. If an engineer cannot manage his or her time well and misses a deadline, the entire team gets delayed, which is not good for the company.

Some engineers work in an office, and some travel to different worksites while a machine or product is being built, so they can help solve any problems.

Mechanical engineering takes a lot of thought. It is a great career for people who like to make objects and machines work, solve problems, and be creative!

Questions:

1. What are two skills engineers should have to be successful?
2. Why is it important for engineers to be creative?
3. What does “*high demand*” mean in the 3rd paragraph? How do you know?
4. A printing company may need engineers to design a machine to make magazines. What other type of company might need mechanical engineers?
5. Would mechanical engineering be a good fit for you after secondary school? Why or why not?