

True or False

True or false questions rely on a pupils ability to decide whether a statement is correct or not. To do this they need to be able to locate evidence accurately.

Decide if the statement is True or False.
Put a tick in the correct box.

STATEMENT	TRUE	FALSE
There are around 10 million cocoa farmers in the world.		✓
Cocoa beans come from palm trees.		✓
Chocolate originated in South America.	✓	
Chocolate bars were invented in 1847.	✓	
The Aztecs thought chocolate was more valuable than gold.	✓	

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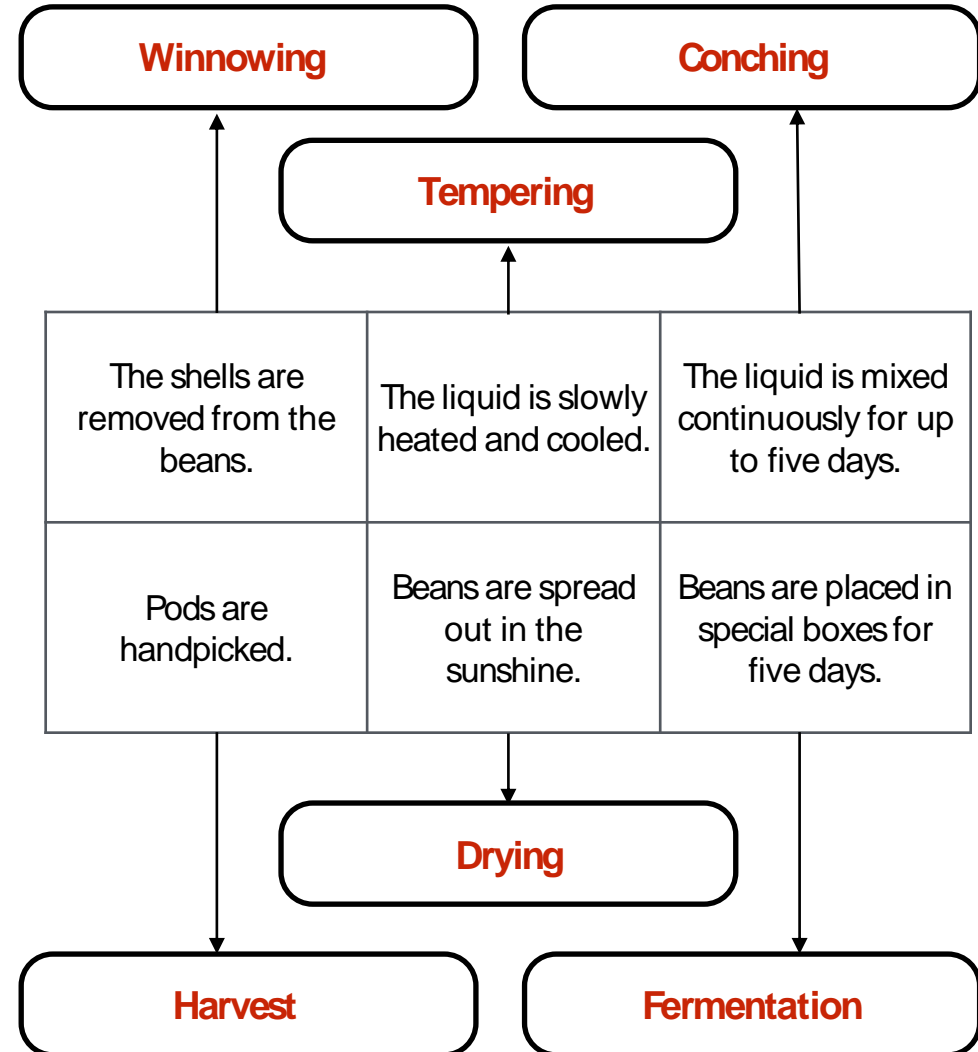


Ninja Tip:
Skim and Scan to locate information efficiently!

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Labelling often focuses on organisational features and requires a pupil to re-present the information.

Label the table below with the correct stage in the production of chocolate.

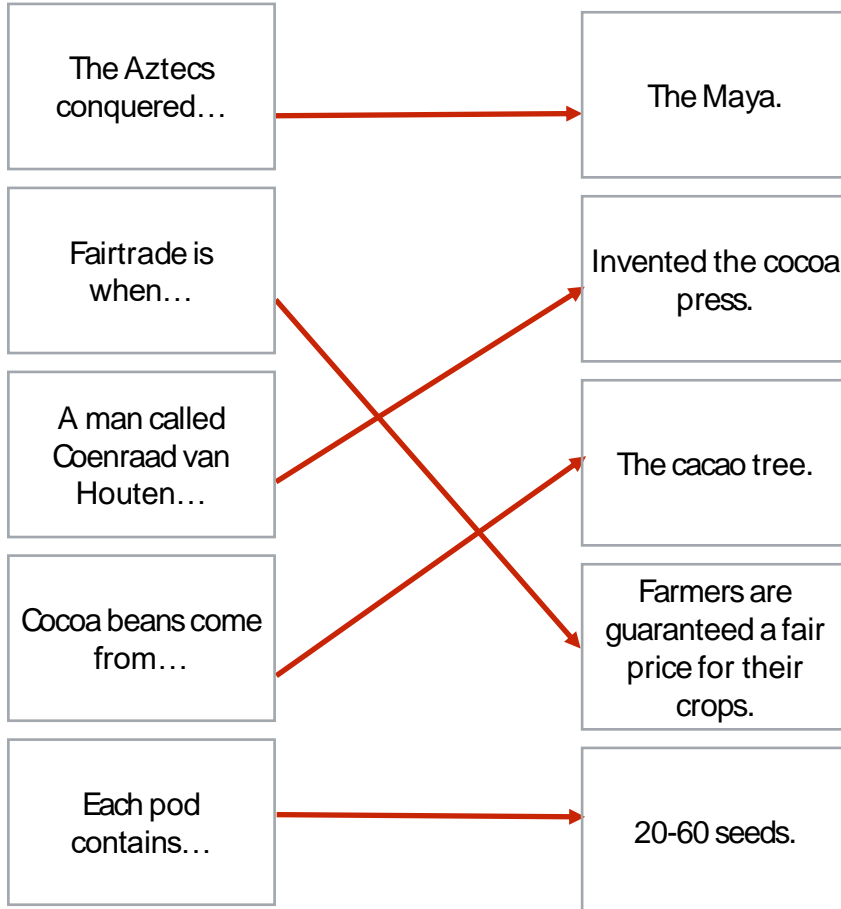


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Matching

Matching is an essential retrieval skill. Matching is where associated information is identified!

**Draw a line to the information that is linked in the text.
Remember to look back at the text to find the answer.**



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Underline / Highlight

Underline/Highlight is usually a word or phrase and can be linked to a pupil's understanding of meaning.

The History of Chocolate

Chocolate **originated** in South America. The **ancient** Maya used cacao beans to create a drink, by grinding and drying the beans then mixing the powder with water. It was nothing like the hot chocolate of today. It was **bitter** and often mixed with chilli. The Aztecs **conquered** the Maya and continued the love of chocolate. They loved it so much, they thought it was a gift from the gods and, to them, was more **valuable** than gold.

Underline (U) or Highlight (H)

Questions.

1	Underline or Highlight a word that means to have a sour taste. bitter
2	Underline or Highlight a word that means where something came from. originated
3	Underline or Highlight a word that means really, really old. ancient
4	Underline or Highlight a word that means worth a great amount. valuable
5	Underline or Highlight a word that means was taken over. conquered

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Fill in the GAP

Requires completion of a sentence or phrase with words drawn from the text.

Retrieve the exact word or words from the text.

1	When he took some back to Spain, they added sugar or honey to sweeten it.
2	Some people even say they are addicted to it!
3	Roasting: beans are roasted for 10-15 minutes to sterilise them.
4	They need a warm, wet climate to grow.
5	Next time you are tempted to have a chocolatey treat, look for the Fairtrade logo .
6	After that, chocolate took off in Europe, with all the rich aristocracy drinking the sweet liquid.
7	The trees produce fruit called Pods .
8	1847, British chocolatier, JS Fry and Sons developed the first ever solid chocolate bar.

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FIND AND COPY

Requires pupils to locate information by skimming and scanning. Then locating words based on meanings or suggested synonyms.

Find and copy the words for the suggested meaning.

1	Look at the The History of Chocolate . Find and copy a word that means really good to eat.
	delicious
2	Look at the first paragraph . Find and copy a word that suggests chocolate is only eaten sometimes because it is special.
	treat
3	Look at The History of Chocolate . Find and copy a word that means less expensive.
	cheaper
4	Look at Chocolate Production . Find and copy a word that means without stopping.
	continuously
5	Look at Chocolate Production . Find and copy a word that means promised.
	guaranteed






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sequencing

Sequencing requires pupils to put events/information in chronological or other specific order.

First  LAST

Draw a line to identify the order in which these events occurred in The History of Chocolate.

1st	JS Fry and Sons developed the first ever chocolate bar. 
2nd	Hernán Cortés discovered the spicy chocolate drink. 
3rd	The ancient Maya used cacao beans to create a drink. 
4th	The Aztecs conquered the Maya. 
5th	Coenraad van Houten invented the cocoa press. 

Red arrows connect the boxes on the left to the boxes on the right in the following order: 1st to 3rd, 2nd to 4th, 3rd to 1st, 4th to 5th, and 5th to 2nd.

Ninja Tip:

Find these facts in the text! Then put symbols next to them in the order that they happen!

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multiple choice

Multiple choice requires pupils to choose from a range of options. They must refer back to the text to find the key information.

1. The ancient Maya added this to the cacao bean drink: (Circle one answer)

Vanilla

Sugar

Honey

Chilli

2. We can support the production of chocolate by buying: (Circle one answer)

Bigger bars

Fairtrade

More Easter eggs

Cacao trees

3. In Europe, only these people drank chocolate: (Circle one answer)

The rich aristocracy

The British

The poor

Everyone

4. Cacao trees only grow near: (Circle the answer)

The North Pole

The South Pole

Coastlines

The equator

5. This is left over when the shells are removed from the beans: (Circle the answer)

The nub

The nib

The seed

The pod

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