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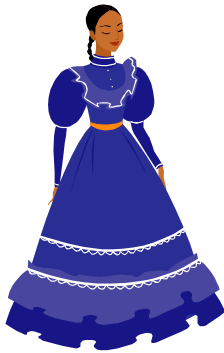
Activity Sheet

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★ Preparing for fiesta (page 3)

Write the words in alphabetical order.



woman

1. _____

sleeve

2. _____

dress

3. _____

man

4. _____

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Fill-in the missing words.

1. Sandra Castro is _____ a dress.

2. It is a traditional _____.

3. The dress is _____.

4. She wears the dress at a festival in _____.

5. The _____ is Fiestas Patrias.

★★★ Washington's race has same runners (page 1)

Match the sentences to make correct statements.

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| a. Christine Gregoire | one term. |
| b. Dino Rossi | Rossi passed laws. |
| c. Gregoire has served | wants to become the governor. |
| d. As a senator | Gregoire helped children get healthcare. |
| e. As a governor | is the governor of Washington. |

Extra Credit Question: Go to one of the candidate's website. Write down one thing you learned on the website. Share with a partner. Which candidate do you think will make the best governor?

★★★★ Brazilian dam threatens Amazon (page 1)

Write **T** for true and **F** for false.

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| _____ | The Belo Monte Dam will be the world's third most powerful hydroelectric dam. |
| _____ | The dam will destroy homes and land in the Amazon. |
| _____ | The Indians in the Amazon and people who love the environment want the government to build the dam. |
| _____ | Hydroelectric power is clean. |
| _____ | Brazil's economy is growing slowly. |
| _____ | Brazil has many construction projects, including roads. |
| _____ | The Atlantic-Pacific highway to Bolivia will help take Brazil's products across the Andes Mountains. |

Reader Story (page 2)

Omar Pajarillo is a GED student. He dropped out of high school when he was 18. Now he is studying at community college and has a goal to join the military or do auto body repair. What is a goal that you have for your studies? Share your goal(s) with a classmate.

