

The Explorer's Sheet Transport and Communication

Explore and know: -

Emails and mobiles have killed the age-old postal service.

Ask your parents or google about the following and make a journal-

Stamps and different types of stamps.

Do you know different stamps have different value? Why is it so?

Philately is hobby of collecting stamps. Do you know you can open your own account with Indian Postal Service to get latest stamps and enveloped delivered to your home? Check out the link below.

<https://www.indiapost.gov.in/Philately/Pages/Content/Philatelic-Deposit-Account.aspx>

What is an inland letter? How was it different from the other letters? Design your own inland letter.

How is an inland letter different from a postcard?

What are picture postcards?

How money was sent using money order forms from one place to another?

What was the use of telegram and how was it sent? Which code was used to send it from one city to another?

Next time you visit a country, don't forget to collect some postal stationery from there.



Technology has changed not only the way we communicate but also our lifestyle. Ask your parents how the black phones with circular dials were used? How people used to remember so many phone numbers and maintain phone directories? How, in absence of internet, they used to find the phone numbers of various departments, schools, colleges and even

relatives. How they travelled safely without phones?

According to the People's Linguistic Survey of India, India has the second highest number of languages (780), after Papua New Guinea (840). Find out how many newspapers or magazines are published in different languages in these countries.

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