

Ziel 1: Ich kann Informationen über Indien verstehen.

The slums of India

- 1 India has one of the fastest-growing economies in the world and there are a lot of rich people in the country. However, there is a huge difference between the lives of the rich and the poor. A lot of poor people move from
- 5 Indian villages to the big cities, where they hope to find better jobs and opportunities. However, many of them have very little money, so they have to live in poor conditions in slums. Whole families often share one small room; they don't have toilets, bathrooms or clean
- 10 water. There is a lot of rubbish in the streets, which causes health problems. Some slums are near the city centres, and many of the people who live there work in the houses or businesses of richer people, as cleaners or factory workers. Those who cannot find a job try to make money by collecting rubbish, which they recycle and then sell at the side of the roads. Children of these poor families often don't go to school because they have to work to support their
- 15 families. Volunteers from organizations are trying to improve the conditions in the slums, and the government is building more flats, but progress is still slow.



Complete the sentences.

1. Poor people move to the big cities because they hope to find better jobs and opportunities.
2. They have very little money, so they have to live in poor conditions in slums.
3. Whole families often share one small room; they don't have toilets, bathrooms or clean water.
4. People who live in slums near the city centre often work in the houses or businesses of richer people as cleaners or factory workers and some recycle rubbish and then sell it.
5. Children often don't go to school because they have to work to support their families.

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Ziel 2: Ich kann Informationen per E-Mail erfragen.

You are interested in this project in Mumbai. Write an e-mail and ask about costs, accommodation and transfers from and to the airport. (Lösungsvorschlag)

Dear Sir or Madam,

I am very interested in your volunteer project in
Mumbai. Could you give me some more information?
Do you help volunteers to find accommodation?
Do you offer transfers to and from the airport?
Could you also tell me more about the costs?
I look forward to hearing from you.
Yours sincerely,

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Volunteering project in Mumbai

Help to improve the living conditions of poor people. Our construction teams build and repair houses.

Length: 8 weeks

For more information contact:
 n.patel@volunteer-india.org

Ziel 3: Ich kann eine Firma vorstellen.

Read the information and write a profile of the company. (Lösungsvorschlag)

Green Chili Entertainment is a film production company which was founded by Bollywood actress Salena Khatri in 2001. The company has offices in Mumbai and New Delhi but the film studios are in Mumbai. The company has produced 125 films since 2001. They have won 14 awards for their films. The company's most successful films are In Your Dreams and Super Cop.

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Ziel 4: Ich kann Texte über eine berühmte Person verstehen.

Read the texts on pages 40–43 in your book again. Complete the sentences.

1. Gandhi was killed on 30th January by a Hindu fanatic.
2. Gandhi's march showed that Indians were ready to fight for their freedom.
3. After Gandhi had been sent to prison, his followers collected salt in protest.
4. Almost 80% of Indians are Hindus and 14% of the population are Muslim.
5. Gandhi's protests were special because they were peaceful.

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Ziel 5: Ich kann Informationen aus Filmkritiken weitergeben.

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Soorma ★★★★★ (Sportdrama, 2018)

Soorma basiert auf der wahren Geschichte des indischen Hockeystars Sandeep Singh. Er spielt im nationalen Hockey-Team. Als er einen Unfall hat, sitzt er danach im Rollstuhl. Man sieht, wie er es in nur zwei Jahren schafft, sich davon zu erholen, wieder laufen lernt und sogar Kapitän des Hockey-Teams wird.

Die Schauspieler sind großartig und die Geschichte ist interessant. Trotzdem bietet der Film nicht wirklich Neues und auch die Lieder sind nicht besonders gut.

1. What type of film is it? a sports drama
2. What is the film about?
It's a true story about a hockey player who had an accident and was in a wheelchair. The film shows how he recovers and becomes captain of his team.
3. What positive and negative points does the review make?
The actors and the story are great, but the songs aren't very good.

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