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## INDIA EARLY YEARS & KS1 COLLECTION

Please use the boxes on the right to check the items **IN** and then **OUT** before you return the collection.  
Please put the items back in the correct containers.

### **COOKING, EATING AND CLEANING (In Box 1)**

		IN	OUT
<b>Winnowing basket (made of dried coconut palm)</b>	The crop is ragi – millet – looks like mustard seed. They grind it into flour and make ragi bread/ porridge/ dhosa (pancake) Can also be used as a dust-pan – see below.		
<b>Brush</b>	1 x Bound with string and made from grass (greener in colour). Often dipped in water and used to sweep the floor.		
<b>Dishes x 6</b>	Made of the husk of the coconut flower, put into press whilst wet to shape. Is biodegradable. Mainly used for special occasions eg. used at weddings for sweets		
<b>Buttermilk churner</b>	Made of wood, use 2 hands and twizzle. Used for making yoghurt so not so lumpy and for separating curds and whey in buttermilk		
<b>Lemon squeezer</b>	Indian lemons look like “our” limes – small and green		
<b>Pickle pot</b>	For 4 different sorts of chutney		
<b>Tiffin tin</b>	A lunchbox – would contain curry/dahl and rice in separate compartments		
<b>Chapatti Board</b>	Made from wood. Used for rolling chapatti, also for chopping on. Every home has at least one of these. (see\chapatti recipe)		
<b>Chapatti Rolling Pin</b>	For rolling chapattis out		
<b>Flat Chapatti Pan</b>	For cooking chapattis		
<b>Karai</b>	2 handled cooling and serving pan.		
<b>Steel Cooking Pan (A)</b>	Flat-bottomed		
<b>Steel plate ( divided into 4 compartments)</b>	For 1 person to eat rice plus 3 dishes – 1 hot, 1 less spicy, 1 chutney ( a typical main meal)		
<b>Sieve (aluminium)</b>	For rice, washing vegs etc		
<b>Aluminium pot (kadai) (B)</b>	Wide based frying pot used to cook all sorts		
<b>Different sized Thali Dishes x 3 ( C)</b>	For sauces eg lentils, vegs – for serving		
<b>Large and small Thali Plates (steel) x 2 (D)</b>			
<b>Drinking Water Container with lid (E)</b>			
<b>Tiny Water Carrier (F)</b>			
<b>Cup (G)</b>	Would be drunk from without touching the lips		

To help identification, some cooking utensils are lettered (A – G) on their base.

### **DANCE, MUSIC & FESTIVALS**

<b>Puja set (Hindu)</b>	Ganesh – elephant headed god, garland for god, incense holder, incense, lamp, wicks, puja spoon, camphor tablets, flower dish, yellow and red powders		
<b>Orange Bell Sticks</b>	For dancing		
<b>Rangoli pattern sticker &amp; Cylinder</b>	Rangoli patterns are done around the entrance to the house at all festivals. They are made with rice flour or chalk. Done to ward off evil		

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	spirits/ confuse the ants/ as a ritual. The cylinder could be filled with chalk and rolled out to make a pattern.		
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PLAY		IN	OUT
Glove Puppet	Woman in sari (pink)		
Indian Doll	Female doll with pillow & doll's handbag containing change of clothes.		
Puppets x 2	Male/female in Gujurat state dress		
Jigsaw	EID – (Muslim festival) -Board and bag of pieces and picture		
Jigsaw	DIVALI – (Hindu festival) – Board, bag of pieces and picture		

#### MISCELLANEOUS

Wood Printing Blocks	6		
Foam Printing Blocks	4		
Map of India	A4 laminated		
Resources	1 x A4 sheet (Primary School resources available from GLADE).		
Peacock feathers x 2	Picked up from forest floor. Official bird of India		
Money box	Made of clay		
Blue jewellery	Worn at weddings and funerals down the centre parting		
2 Videos	(Meena's Story) - Count Your Chickens, Dividing the Mango		

#### BOOKS & PLASTIC WALLETS

W is For World	Book		
Diwali – preschool activity book	Book		
Wake Up World	Book		
World Focus: India	Book		
'I is for India'	Book		
A4 PLASTIC WALLETS x 7	Pooja Ceremony, Children and Animals, Indian objects, Recipes, Bangalore City Life, Daily Life, Clothing.		
A3 PLASTIC WALLETS x 5	Posters, Shompa, Kavita, Dance, Children In India.		

#### CLOTHES (in Box 2)

Skirts x 8			
Blouses x 4			
Scarves x 5			
Shirts (Kurta) x 5			
Waistcoats x 8			
Trousers x 9			
Dhoti x 1	Cream with border - Worn by men as a skirt.		
Salwar and kameez	Red material with white flower pattern (female) (top and trousers).		
Kurta and Pyjama	Beige cotton (male) (tunic and trousers).		
Red net head-dresses x 3	Worn at Eid, DSivali .		
Small Sari	Cream with gold edging – hand loom from Kerela, Southern India.		

See information on clothes in 'Clothing' plastic wallet in Box 1



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