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## THAILAND COLLECTION

Please use the boxes on the right to check the items **IN** and then **OUT** before you return the collection.

		IN	OUT
<b>Woven Basket</b>	Used for storing koneo (a glutinous sticky rice) after it has been cooked and to keep it hot and sticky. Koneo is a favourite food in Thailand and is often eaten with somtan (a kind of hot coleslaw made with papaya) and just using your fingers.		
<b>Ladle</b>	Made from a coconut shell and used for many purposes, but usually for ladling water.		
<b>Hats x 5 (in large polythene bag)</b>	Hats are very important in Thailand, especially for farm workers, - the sun is very hot. The hat with the flat top is a traditional Thai hat. It is made from bamboo and cane and protects people from the sun. The fold-up hat is made from bamboo and palm bound with blue fabric.		
<b>Model Thai House</b>	This is a model of a traditional Thai house built of wood. People live upstairs and the animals and equipment are kept downstairs. Nowadays, many houses are made of concrete because wood is not so easy to find (due to the felling of teak forests) with the bottom half sometimes covered in. Wooden houses are now very expensive.		
<b>Toy Car</b>	A child's toy made from bamboo. This cost 35 baht (the currency of Thailand) or about 50p in £ sterling. Many toys these days are the same as can be found in the west.		
<b>Musical Instruments x3</b>	These three models are made of bamboo and are blown to make music. The smaller instrument has to be rotated to and fro whilst blowing with the rounded top resting on the chin.		
<b>Small Model Fish Trap</b>	This is made from cane and is dragged along the riverbed to trap the fish. It is similar to the fish traps used by the monks on the Somerset Levels many years ago.		
<b>Fish Trap (in large polythene bag)</b>	The trap is half-submerged in water with the gap underneath. The fish swim through the gap and are trapped.		
<b>Fishing Net (in large polythene bag)</b>	Dragged to and fro in the water to catch fish. Tradition suggests that villagers used to use the net in the water after a person had been fatally injured in an accident. This was thought to catch the soul so that it could be placed next to the body so that the person's soul could find its way to paradise.		
<b>Small Model Fish Basket</b>	A basket like this would be used for storing fish after they have been caught.		
<b>Cassette tape</b>	A tape of traditional Thai music using authentic instruments.		
<b>Thai Food Packets x2</b>	These are exported from Thailand. They can be found in supermarkets in Britain and make the food taste spicy.		
<b>Thai Cookbook</b>	Typical Thai recipes.		
<b>Fan</b>	Used for fanning the coals or charcoal in a cooking fire or barbecue.		
<b>Chopsticks</b>	Used when Thais have Chinese meals.		
<b>Vegetable Peeler</b>	In Thailand, people peel their vegetables away from themselves.		
<b>Small Woven Baskets x3</b>	Two round, one square. These are for storing and serving individual portions of koneo.		

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<b>Khanom Crock Pot x 9 pieces</b>	A clay pot for cooking rice cakes. A small fire is lit in the bottom and the cooking top placed over the fire. Then the rice cakes are cooked in the holes and the little lids placed over them.		
		<b>IN</b>	<b>OUT</b>
<b>Greeting Cards x 4</b>	Thailand is not a Christian country so they do not celebrate Christmas. However they do celebrate three New Years; January 1 <sup>st</sup> , Chinese New Year in February and Buddhist New Year in April.		
<b>Picture Jigsaws</b>	A4 pictures complete and cut up to get children to use their reasoning skills to interpret each piece of the jigsaw without reference to the whole picture.		
<b>Photo Album</b>	Photos of everyday life in Thailand		
<b>Map of Thailand</b>			
<b>Neck Cushion</b>	Made in north-eastern Thailand, the material is woven from traditional patterns.		
<b>Seeds</b>	Used for some children's games. ( <i>Activity cards 1-5</i> )		
<b>Blouse</b>	Thai silk blouse. The silk is woven in villages in a traditional ikat pattern and handed down to each generation.		
<b>Fabric x 27 pieces</b>	A selection of material pieces from north-eastern Thailand, mostly silk. Most material is hand-woven in the villages on wooden looms. There are some small factories ( <i>see photo wallet – Crafts</i> )		
<b>Skirt</b>	Woven in a traditional north-eastern Thai pattern.		
<b>Purse</b>	The material is woven from a traditional north-eastern Thai pattern.		
<b>Trousers</b>	These navy trousers are worn by fishermen or for relaxing at home. They are very comfortable and cool.		
<b>Toiletries x5</b>	Various examples of toiletries available in Thailand. Many toiletries are the same as in the west; eg. Shampoo, soap, body scrub, bath milk, and face scrub.		
<b>Pakama x 1 piece</b>	This multi-coloured checked fabric is wrapped around the waist on a man and around the chest on a woman. It is worn when taking a bath in the river or when people want to wash when other people are around.		
<b>Necklace</b>	A Thai necklace. Thais like gold and silver jewellery.		
<b>Flowers</b>	Made from latex rubber.		
<b>Exercise Book</b>			
<b>Early Textbooks x 4</b>			
<b>Thai Newspapers x 3</b>	In Thai and English		
<b>Travel Brochures x 2</b>	On Asia and Thailand		
<b>Guide Books x 4</b>	Amazing Bangkok, Grand Palace, Bang Pa-in Palace & Cha-am and Hua-Hin.		
<b>Tour Thai Poster</b>			
<b>Mosquito Coil</b>	Mosquitoes are a problem in Thailand. These are lit and as they emit a smell that mosquitoes do not like, they keep away.		
<b>Plastic Wallets x 16</b>	Manat's Village      Buddhism      Crafts Geography      Thai Fruits and Markets      At Home School for the Deaf      Festivals      Shopping and Transport      Education & Play      Out & About      Frontiers		



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	People Stories; <i>Jim Thompson, A Remarkable Man, A Monk's Tale, The Community Shop, Dek, A Village Girl, Laminated photos. Jigsaws.</i> Day in a Life; <i>A Nurse, A Schoolboy, An Office Worker, A Rice Farmer, An Orange Worker.</i>		
<b>34 Laminated Labels</b>	Item descriptions.		