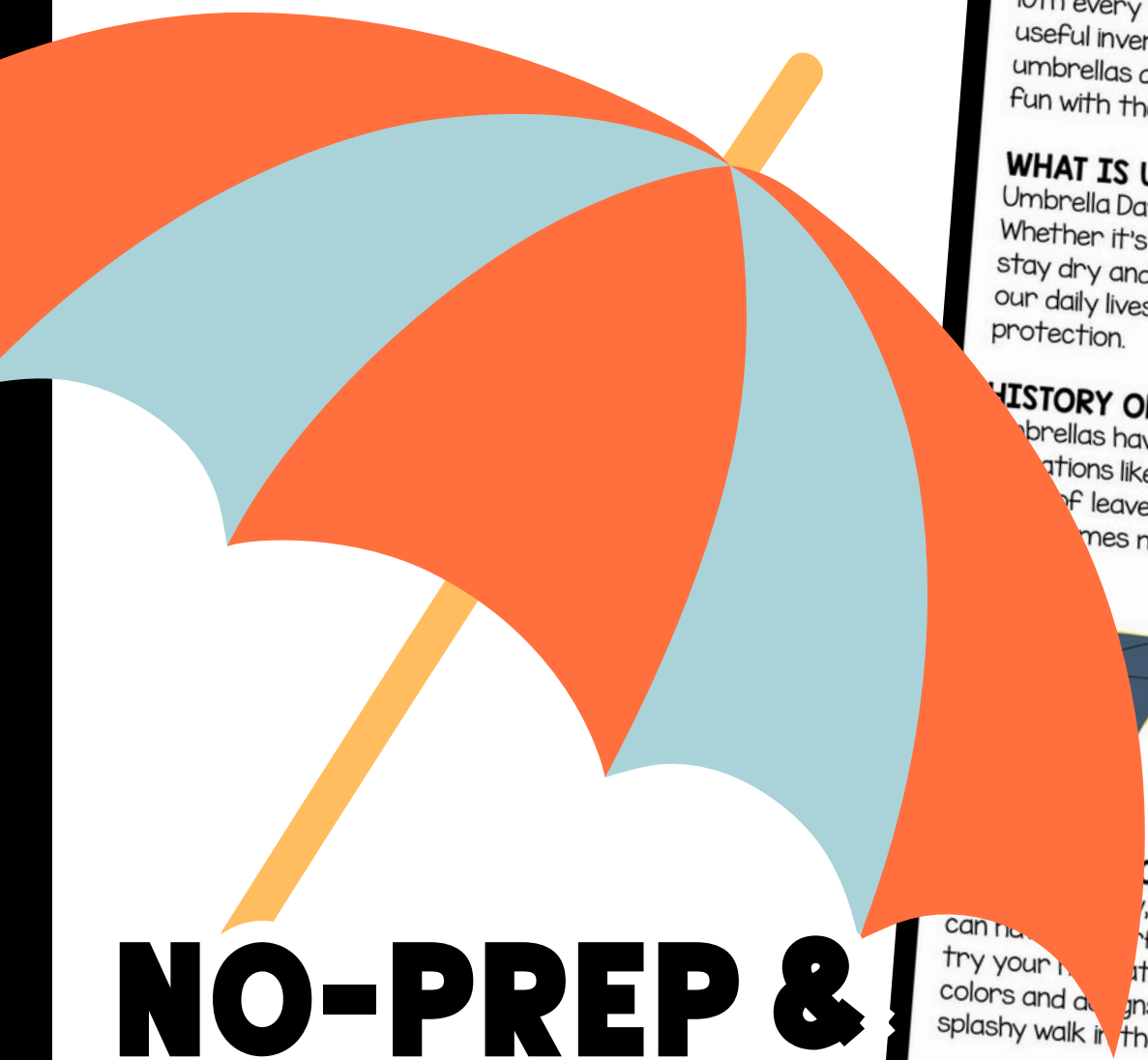
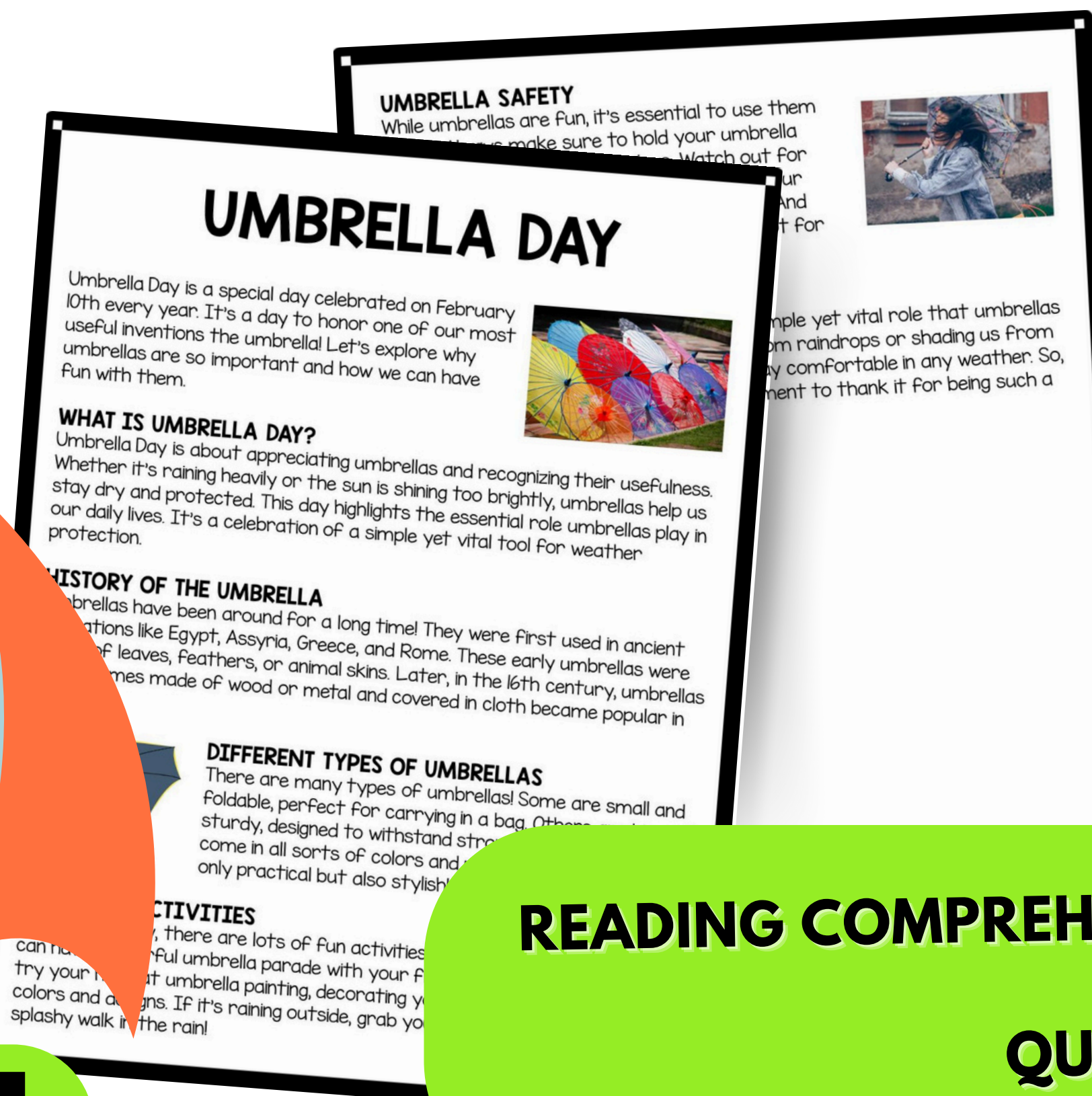


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UMBRELLA DAY

Umbrella Day is a special day celebrated on February 10th every year. It's a day to honor one of our most useful inventions the umbrella! Let's explore why umbrellas are so important and how we can have fun with them.



WHAT IS UMBRELLA DAY?

Umbrella Day is about appreciating umbrellas and recognizing their usefulness. Whether it's raining heavily or the sun is shining too brightly, umbrellas help us stay dry and protected. This day highlights the essential role umbrellas play in our daily lives. It's a celebration of a simple yet vital tool for weather protection.

HISTORY OF THE UMBRELLA

Umbrellas have been around for a long time! They were first used in ancient civilizations like Egypt, Assyria, Greece, and Rome. These early umbrellas were made of leaves, feathers, or animal skins. Later, in the 16th century, umbrellas with frames made of wood or metal and covered in cloth became popular in Europe.



DIFFERENT TYPES OF UMBRELLAS

There are many types of umbrellas! Some are small and foldable, perfect for carrying in a bag. Others are big and sturdy, designed to withstand strong winds. Umbrellas come in all sorts of colors and patterns, making them not only practical but also stylish!

UMBRELLA ACTIVITIES

On Umbrella Day, there are lots of fun activities you can do with umbrellas! You can have a colorful umbrella parade with your friends and family. Or you can try your hand at umbrella painting, decorating your own umbrella with bright colors and designs. If it's raining outside, grab your umbrella and go for a splashy walk in the rain!

UMBRELLA SAFETY

While umbrellas are fun, it's essential to use them safely. Always make sure to hold your umbrella securely, especially on windy days. Watch out for others around you when opening or closing your umbrella, so nobody gets poked accidentally. And remember, umbrellas are for keeping dry, not for playing rough games!



CONCLUSION

Umbrella Day is a time to appreciate the simple yet vital role that umbrellas play in our lives. Whether it's shielding us from raindrops or shading us from the sun, umbrellas are there to help us stay comfortable in any weather. So, next time you see an umbrella, take a moment to thank it for being such a handy invention!

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UMBRELLA DAY

DIRECTIONS CHOOSE THE CORRECT ANSWER.

1. When is Umbrella Day celebrated?
A) January 10th
B) February 10th
C) March 10th
D) April 10th
2. Where were early umbrellas first used?
A) Europe
B) Egypt
C) China
D) India
3. What were early umbrellas made of?
A) Plastic
B) Leaves, feathers, or animal skins
C) Metal
D) Wood
4. What activity can you do on Umbrella Day with your friends and family?
A) Go swimming
B) Have a picnic
C) Have a colorful umbrella parade
D) Play soccer
5. What can you do to use umbrellas safely?
A) Swing them around
B) Hold them securely
C) Leave them open indoors
D) Forget about others around you

SHORT ANSWER QUESTIONS

1. When is Umbrella Day celebrated?
2. What were early umbrellas made of?
3. What activity can you do on Umbrella Day with your friends and family?
4. How can you show appreciation for Umbrella Day?
5. What's the significance of umbrellas?

6. Which century saw the popularity of frames made of wood or metal?

- A) 21st century
- B) 20th century
- C) 19th century
- D) 18th century

7. What's the main purpose of Umbrella Day?

- A) Celebrating summer
- B) Appreciating umbrellas
- C) Planting trees
- D) Learning about clouds

8. What can you decorate on Umbrella Day?

- A) Shoes
- B) Umbrellas
- C) Hats
- D) Jackets

9. How can you show appreciation for Umbrella Day?

- A) By using them for different purposes
- B) By ignoring them
- C) By throwing them away
- D) By painting them black

10. What's the significance of umbrellas?

- A) They are fashionable accessories
- B) They protect us from weather elements
- C) They are used for playing games
- D) They are only used indoors

ANSWER KEY

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1. B) February 10th
2. B) Egypt
3. B) Leaves, feathers, or animal skins
4. C) Have a colorful umbrella parade
5. B) Hold them securely
6. C) 19th century
7. B) Appreciating umbrellas
8. B) Umbrellas
9. A) By using them for different purposes
10. B) They protect us from weather elements

SHORT-ANSWER QUESTION

1. Umbrella Day is celebrated on February 10th.
2. Early umbrellas were made of leaves, feathers, or animal skins.
3. On Umbrella Day, you can have a colorful umbrella parade with your friends and family.
4. You can show appreciation for umbrellas on Umbrella Day by using them for different purposes.
5. The significance of umbrellas is that they protect us from weather elements.

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