

People

Word Forms:

- people (n) There are 500,000 people living in this city.
- popular (adj) Soccer is a very popular sport around the world. Many people like to play it.
- population (n) This city has a population of 500,000 people.

Related Words:

- human (n) (also adj) There are many differences between humans and animals.
- human being (n) Human beings are different from animals in many ways.
- man (n) John is a man.
- woman (n) Joanne is a woman.
- mankind (n) "That's one small step for man, one giant leap for mankind," said Neil Armstrong as he stepped on to the moon.
- person (n) Michelle is a very funny person.
- personal (adj) "Don't forget to take all your personal belongings."
- individual (n) (also adj) Steve is a very interesting individual.
- public (adj) Julie goes to a public high school.

Exercises:

1. Some _____ think that asking others how old they are is a very _____ question.
2. There's a _____ swimming pool right across the street from our house.
3. The _____ body is a very amazing thing.

Questions:

1. Where do you think humans come from? Why do you think so?
2. Do you think people are by nature good or bad? Why do you think so?
3. What do you think is the purpose for people living on earth?

Bible Readings:

1. "God created humans in his image. In the image of God he created them. He created them male and female."
(Genesis 1:27, God's Word)
2. "All have sinned and fall short of the glory of God." (Romans 3:23, NIV)
3. "The reward for sin is death, but the gift that God freely gives is everlasting life found in Christ Jesus our Lord."
(Romans 6:23, God's Word)
4. "Christ himself died for you. And that one death paid for your sins. He was not guilty, but he died for people who are guilty. He did this to bring you all to God." (1 Peter 3:18, Easy-to-Read Version)

Questions:

1. Where does the Bible say that humans come from? (reading 1)
2. What problem do all people have? (reading 2)
3. What is the "reward" that all people should get because of their problem? (reading 3)

4. What is the free gift that God gives to people? (reading 3) Where is that gift found? (reading 3)
5. What did Jesus do so that people might receive that gift and be brought to God? (reading 4)