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**Basket Boats**

**(Story / Article / Play)**

 ***Let’s Draw***Do your own sketch/drawing/ diagram related to the journal or based on your own experiences.

 ***Who Am I?***

Choose any one of the characters in the journal and do a mini profile on them. This needs to include as much information about that character that you found in the journal.

 ***My Thesaurus***

Choose 5 words from the journal and write another word for each word chosen which has a similar meaning. E.g, Hot = Boiling . You may also like to do this as a Pictionary (drawing a picture of the similar meaning of the word).

Readability: 9-10 years

 ***Syllables***

Write down 2 words from the journal that have 2 syllables, and 1 word that has more than 2 syllables, E.g, Sometimes=some/timesSituation=sit/u/a/tion

 ***Chunking***

Write down 3 words from the journal that you can “Chunk” or split, so one word makes two words. E.g, Sometimes = some + times

***Did I Understand?***

*(Comprehension Questions)*

1. What country is this based in?

2. What are the basket boats called?

3. When does the fishing fleet head out to sea?

4. Explain how to make a “Thung Chai”.

5. What are used instead of nails?

6. How often do they need to put resin on?

7. How does the resin help the boat?

8. List all the pros of having a boat like this.

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 ***Word Study*** Write and/or draw meanings for these words.

1. Thung Chai

2. Headlamps

3. Mould

4. Bamboo

***What’s the Question?***

*(You write the question to the answer given below)*

1. Qui Nhon

2. Weaving

3. 7976



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 **My Opinion of the Story/Article** Rate the story/article you have just completed. Give at least one full good or bad point/reason of why you say this. This is what YOU thought of it.

***Activities*** *Choose one of the below (or your teacher will tell you which one to do) in relation to the story/article.*

Title Page Cartoon Drawing or similar

Model Wordfind / Crossword

Mini Pictionary Teacher Choice

Mobile/Craft Your Choice

 ***Picture Cues***

*Find the answers to these questions using the pictures in the story/article.*

1. How many people are on page 22?

2. How many tyres are on the boat on page 20?

3. What colour is the mans shirt on page 19?

4. How many basket boats are on page 19?

 ***Odd 1 Out***

*Which is the odd one out which was not in or related to the story/article?*



Hanoi

Qui Whon



Dunedin

Cambodia

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