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| Burundi Exercises | about-the-world.org/3147 | **Video + Exercises** |

**Match terms**

*Task: Match each term with the appropriate explanation!*

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| (E) | Bujumbura | (1) | no access to the sea |
| (E) | International aid | (2) | mild, with two rainy seasons |
| (F) | Ethnic groups | (3) | majority Hutu, minority Tutsi |
| (I) | Tropical climate | (4) | capital on Lake Tanganyika’s shore |
| (L) | Landlocked | (5) | mainly coffee and tea exports |
| (L) | Literacy rate | (6) | significant role of drums |
| (S) | Agricultural economy | (7) | known for primates and birds |
| (T) | Traditional music | (8) | approximately 87.5% |
| (Y) | Kibira National Park | (9) | crucial for economy |

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| **Keyword:** | \_\_\_ | \_\_\_ | \_\_\_ | \_\_\_ | \_\_\_ | \_\_\_ | \_\_\_ | \_\_\_ | \_\_\_ |
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**Complete sentences**

*Task: Match the beginning of each sentence with the end!*

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| (E) | Burundi is bordered by ... | (1) | ... Rwanda, Tanzania, and Congo. |
| (E) | Gained independence from Belgium ... | (2) | ... 20 degrees Celsius. |
| (G) | Trekking and hiking are popular ... | (3) | ... in 1962. |
| (I) | Main exports are coffee ... | (4) | ... and political center. |
| (N) | Bujumbura is the economic ... | (5) | ... and tea. |
| (N) | Music and dance are ... | (6) | ... integral to culture. |
| (V) | Average temperature is around ... | (7) | ... in the mountains. |

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**Questions (multiple choice)**

*Task: Answer the questions!*

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| 1. | What is Burundi’s climate? |
| (R) | temperate |
| (S) | tropical but mild |
| (V) | desert |
| 2. | What is the official language of Burundi? |
| (A) | English |
| (O) | Kirundi |
| (S) | Swahili |
| 3. | Where is Burundi located? |
| (C) | East Africa |
| (N) | South America |
| (R) | West Africa |
| 4. | What is the main focus of Burundi’s economy? |
| (K) | agriculture |
| (R) | tourism |
| (V) | technology |
| 5. | What is Burundi known for in its culture? |
| (A) | sculpture |
| (E) | music and dance |
| (S) | painting |
| 6. | Which ethnic group is predominant in Burundi? |
| (R) | Tutsi |
| (T) | Hutu |
| (V) | Maasai |

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| **Keyword**: | \_\_\_ | \_\_\_ | \_\_\_ | \_\_\_ | \_\_\_ | \_\_\_ |
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**Right or wrong?**

*Task: State whether the statements are true or false!*

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| right | wrong |  |
| (A) | (V) | 1. Burundi is located in East Africa. |
| (F) | (N) | 2. Burundi has access to the sea. |
| (R) | (C) | 3. English is the only official language of Burundi. |
| (H) | (R) | 4. The capital of Burundi is Bujumbura. |
| (O) | (T) | 5. Coffee and tea are the main exports of Burundi. |
| (A) | (R) | 6. The majority of the population in Burundi is Tutsi. |

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| **Keyword:** | \_\_\_ | \_\_\_ | \_\_\_ | \_\_\_ | \_\_\_ | \_\_\_ |
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**7 Questions about the text**

*Task: Answer the questions in one or two complete sentences!*

What is the capital of Burundi?

What are Burundi’s main exports?

What is significant about Burundi’s location?

What is the literacy rate in Burundi?

How does Burundi’s economy primarily function?

What is special about Lake Tanganyika?

What challenges does Burundi’s education face?

**Solution sheet 1**

**Burundi**

**Match terms**

Landlocked = no access to the sea

Tropical climate = mild, with two rainy seasons

Ethnic groups = majority Hutu, minority Tutsi

Bujumbura = capital on Lake Tanganyika’s shore

Agricultural economy = mainly coffee and tea exports

Traditional music = significant role of drums

Kibira National Park = known for primates and birds

Literacy rate = approximately 87.5%

International aid = crucial for economy

Keyword: LIFESTYLE

**Complete sentences**

Burundi is bordered by | Rwanda, Tanzania, and Congo.

Average temperature is around | 20 degrees Celsius.

Gained independence from Belgium | in 1962.

Bujumbura is the economic | and political center.

Main exports are coffee | and tea.

Music and dance are | integral to culture.

Trekking and hiking are popular | in the mountains.

Keyword: EVENING

**Questions**

What is Burundi’s climate?

tropical but mild

What is the official language of Burundi?

Kirundi

Where is Burundi located?

East Africa

What is the main focus of Burundi’s economy?

agriculture

What is Burundi known for in its culture?

music and dance

Which ethnic group is predominant in Burundi?

Hutu

Keyword: SOCKET

**Right or wrong?**

right

1. Burundi is located in East Africa.

4. The capital of Burundi is Bujumbura.

5. Coffee and tea are the main exports of Burundi.

wrong

6. The majority of the population in Burundi is Tutsi.

2. Burundi has access to the sea.

3. English is the only official language of Burundi.

Keyword: ANCHOR

**Solution sheet 2**

**Burundi**

**Questions and answers**

What is the capital of Burundi?

The capital of Burundi is Bujumbura.

What are Burundi’s main exports?

Burundi’s main exports are coffee and tea.

What is significant about Burundi’s location?

Burundi is a landlocked country in East Africa.

What is the literacy rate in Burundi?

The literacy rate in Burundi is approximately 87.5%.

How does Burundi’s economy primarily function?

Burundi’s economy is primarily agricultural.

What is special about Lake Tanganyika?

Lake Tanganyika is an important habitat for fish.

What challenges does Burundi’s education face?

The quality of education remains a challenge in Burundi.