

for children

hello

NEPAL

How can you greet someone in Nepali?

Namaste

(Say "na-mas-TAY")



My name is Priyanka Murmu.

Age: 11

Lives in: Jahada, Nepal

I live with my parents, brother, sister, grandmother, great-grandmother and one uncle.

I go to school from Sunday to Friday. My school is not very far, so I walk with my sister and friends. I am in class 7 and like my teachers a lot. After school, I eat and play hide-and-seek and kabbadi (a team-based tag game) with my friends, then study.

I sometimes help my mom in her vegetable garden, and I'd like to have a garden of my own one day. I have another uncle who lives farther away, and he has three goats, an ox and a cow. Cows are my favorite animal because they give us milk. On special occasions, we visit my uncle, and I get to drink the cow's milk.

My favorite food: saag (cooked greens) and rice

My favorite subject: Nepali

What I want to be: teacher



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Dig up some veggies!

We've planted eight of the crops that Priyanka's mom and other women in Jahada grow in this word search. Can you unearth all of them? (Some words are spelled backwards.)

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| GREENS | CORIANDER |
| CHILE | EGGPLANT |
| GARLIC | OKRA |
| TOMATO | PUMPKIN |

