Anthony jumped off the school bus and raced through the front door, leaving his jacket, shoes and backpack in a trail behind him.

“Mom, Mom, Mom!” he called. “Guess what we studied in school today?”

Anthony’s mom had been cutting celery to go with some peanut butter for his afternoon snack. Smiling at his excitement, she stopped what she was doing and asked “What did you study?”

“We learned all about Canada today!” Anthony answered. “That’s where you’re from right?” he asked.

His mom nodded her head. “Tell me what you learned.”

“Well,” Anthony started as he sat down on a chair at the counter, “we learned that Canada has almost thirty-four million people. We learned that there are two official languages, English and French.”

“Oui!” said his mother with a smile.

“We learned that lots of neat things come from Canada!”

“Like what?” Anthony’s mom asked.

“My teacher says that Canada produces tons of wheat and fish, like salmon. He also said that a lot of movies and some TV shows are filmed up in Canada. He says that many celebrities, like actors and singers come from Canada too!”

His mom was smiling again as she put Anthony’s snack in front of him.

“My teacher asked who we thought was the most important and influential person who came from Canada.”

“Oh, and who would that be?” his mom asked, sitting down on the chair beside him.

“I told him it was you, Mom!” Anthony said with a big grin as he bit into the celery.
1. Which fact about Anthony's mom do we find out in this story?
   a. She visits Canada all the time.
   b. She spent her entire life living in Canada.
   c. She was born in a different country than Anthony was.
   d. She loves to eat celery sticks.

2. When does this story take place?
   a. in the kitchen
   b. in the living room

3. How did Anthony feel as he was telling his mom about school? Why did he feel this way?
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   ________________________________________________________

4. How many people live in Canada?
   a. 340,000
   b. 3,400,000
   c. 34,000,000
   d. 340,000,000

5. When Anthony tells his mom that Canada has two official languages, she answers by saying, "Oui!" What does this mean?
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Super Teacher Worksheets - www.superteacherworksheets.com
Oh, Canada!
by Nikki Aksamit

Match words with their meanings.

1. celebrities  a. plant used to make bread
2. counter  b. moved up and down
3. languages  c. famous people
4. wheat  d. place for preparing food
5. nodded  e. sets of words spoken by people

Use the letter-number key to decode the answers to the questions.

What type of leaf is on the Canadian flag?  13 1 16 12 5 12 5 1 6

What city is the capital of Canada?  15 20 20 15 23 1

What brown animal is one of Canada's national symbols?  2 5 1 22 5 18

Which Canadian city has the most people in it?  20 15 18 15 14 20 15

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In the story, Anthony's mom is from Canada. Anthony tells her lots of facts about her home country that he learned in school.

Look up the word Canada in an encyclopedia. Write five facts about Canada that you learn from your research.

1. ______________________________________________________________________________
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1. Which fact about Anthony’s mom do we find out in this story?  **b**
   - a. She visits Canada all the time.
   - b. She spent her entire life living in Canada.
   - c. **She was born in a different country than Anthony was.**
   - d. She loves to eat celery sticks.

2. When does this story take place?  **d**
   - a. in the kitchen
   - b. in the living room
   - c. in Canada
   - d. in the afternoon

3. How did Anthony feel as he was telling his mom about school? Why did he feel this way?

   He was very excited to tell his mom what he had learned in school. Since his mom was born in Canada, he wanted her to hear about all the things he had found out.

4. How many people live in Canada?
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5. When Anthony tells him mom that Canada has two official languages, she answers by saying, “Oui!” What does this mean?

   **Oui is a French word for yes.**
Match words with their meanings.

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