

Lila and the Secret of Rain

For weeks and weeks the sun beat down on the Kenyan village where Lila lived.

It was very hot, so hot that Lila, her mama and brother, and all the over villagers stayed in their houses to keep away from the burning sun.

It was too hot to gather fire wood, too hot to weed the village garden, and even too hot to milk the cow.

Where did Lila live?

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African city

Kenyan village

Kenyan farm

Village garden



What was it too hot to do in the village?

Write **two** different things.

1. _____

2. _____

Find and copy a word that means the same as "collect".

One night Lila overheard her mama talking about the well that had dried up and the crops that were failing. "Without water there can be no life," Lila heard her mama say.

Lila wanted so much for the sun to stop shining and for the rain to come.

But the sun did not stop shining and the rain did not come.

What happened to the well?

Find and copy a word that means the same as "speaking".

What did Lila's mama say? "Without water there can be no _____?"

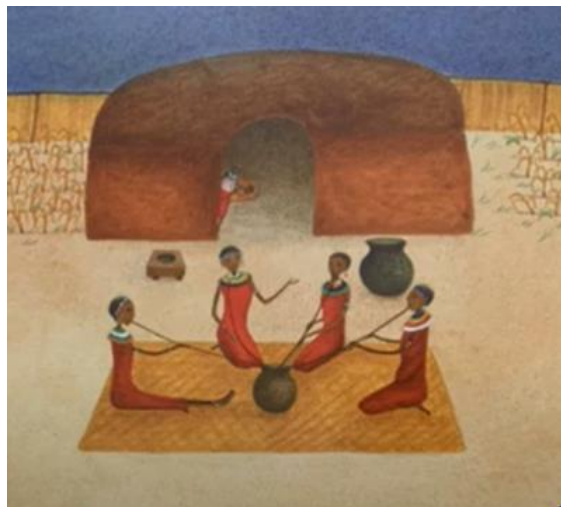
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rain

life

soup



What did Lila want?
