

Grandfather's Journey



5 ACTIVITIES
PRINT & DIGITAL



Special Needs for Special Kids



These literacy units are something I created and started using in my classroom. I had students with significant challenges and most were **non-readers**. This is a great way to expose all students to some great books.

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In separate files:

- Directions and links to digital versions
- Activities in black and white

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This unit includes 5 activities to accompany this book, enough to last a full week of instruction.

This unit comes with a storyboard.

Storyboards are great for ALL students to assist with participation and engagement in group discussions.

Tips on how to use in the unit!!



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ERRORLESS



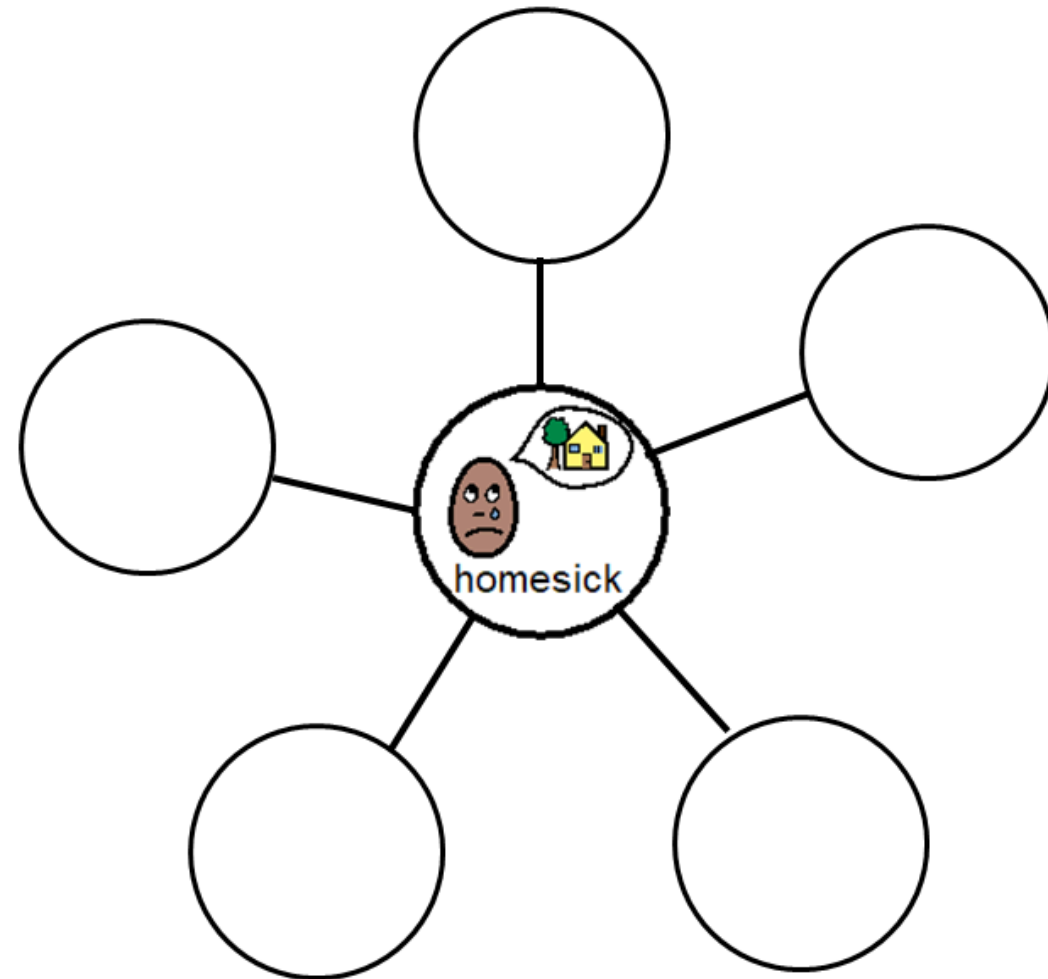
There is a circle map showing facts about taking a journey.

There is an option containing correct answers and another containing only wrong answers mixed in.

**WRONG ANSWERS
MIXED IN**

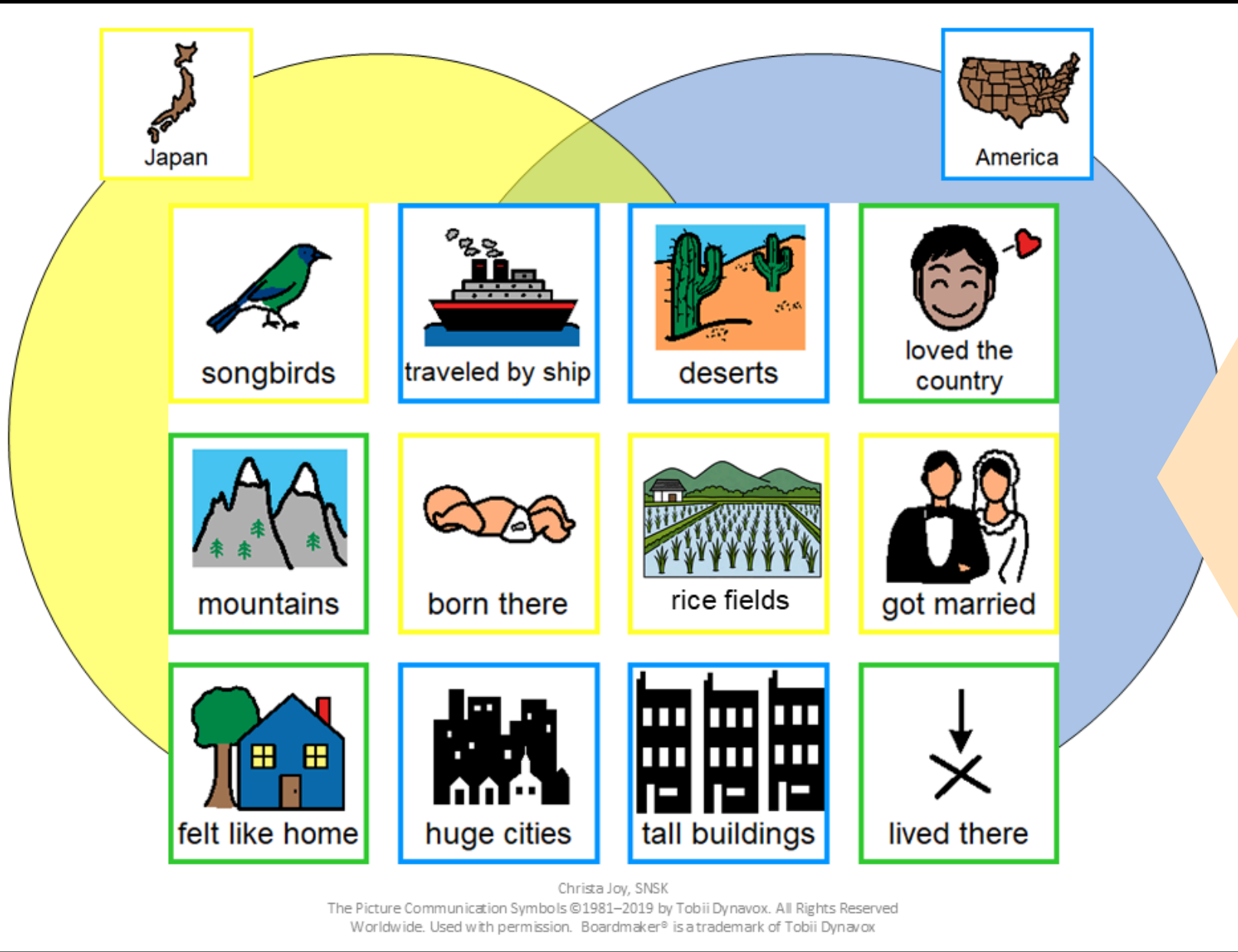


What does it mean to feel homesick?



There is a word map for the word "homesick."

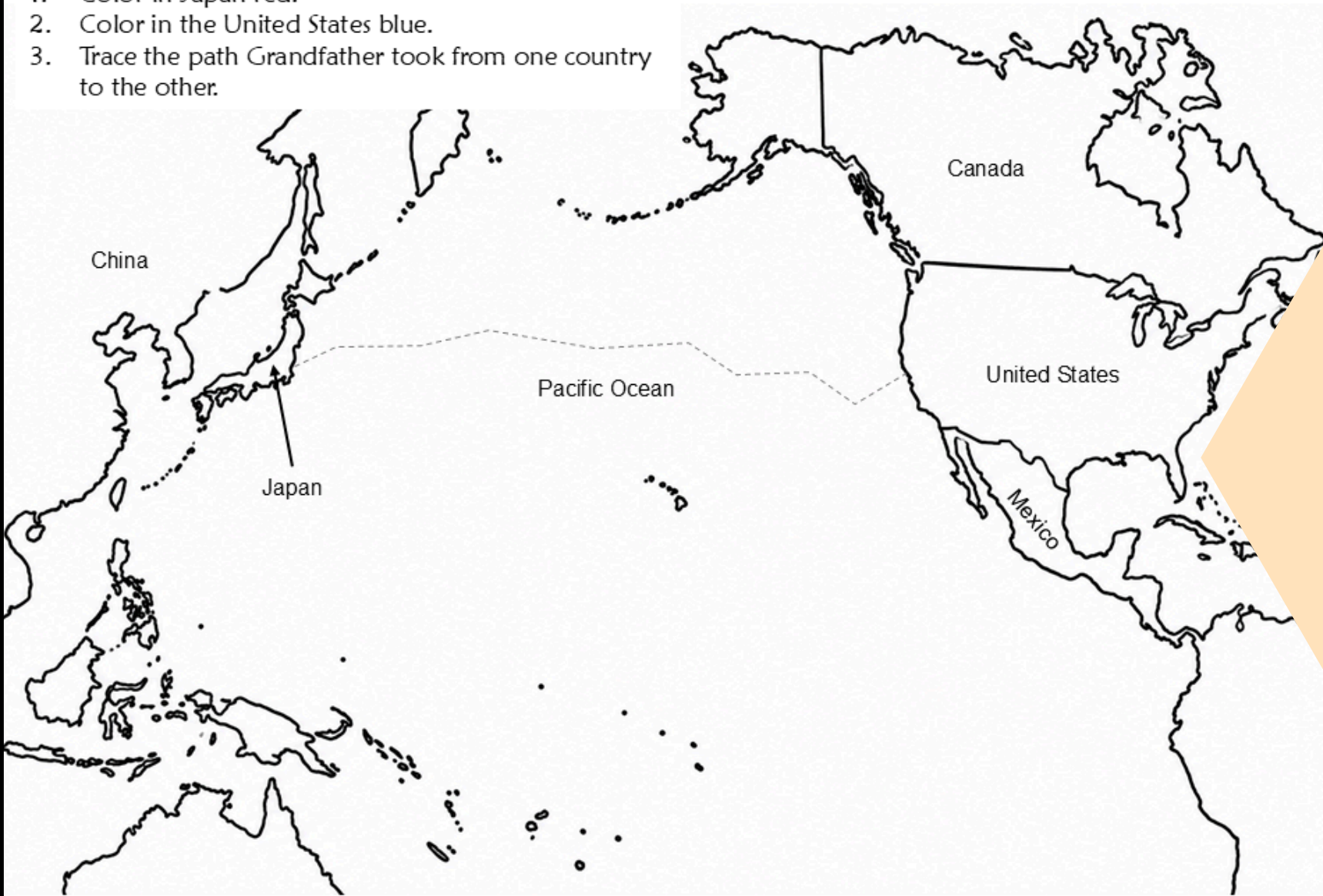
This is an errorless activity.



Students will complete a Venn diagram comparing what Grandfather sees in Japan and America.

There is a color-coded version included.

1. Color in Japan red.
2. Color in the United States blue.
3. Trace the path Grandfather took from one country to the other.



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Students will color in a map that contains Japan and America.



The best thing about home



I home.

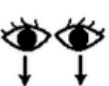
One thing I love about home is lives there with me.

That is also where my is.

My favorite thing to do at home is .

The best part about home is the way it .

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 like	 love	 wish I were	 I want to go	 am going	 am
 parents	 pets	 family	 grandparents	 brother	 sister
 bedroom	 teddy bear	 video game	 TV	 backyard	 trampoline
 sleep	 relax	 listen to music	 watch TV	 play video games	 play outside
 makes me feel	 looks	 smells	 reminds me of things	 is filled with family	 sounds

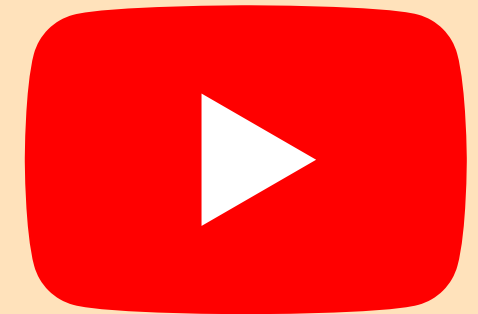
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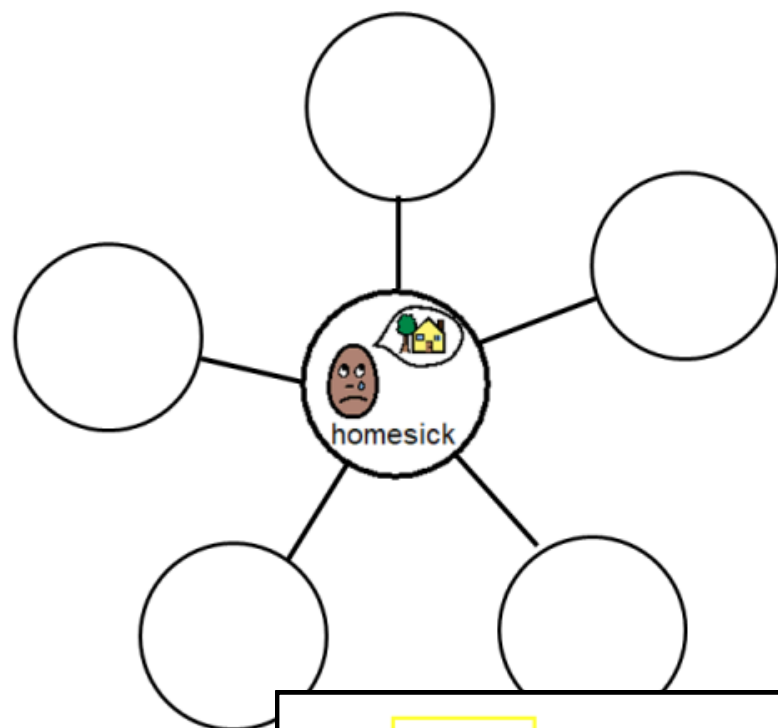
Students will write a story about the best thing about home.

This is an errorless activity that allows students to write their own story independently.

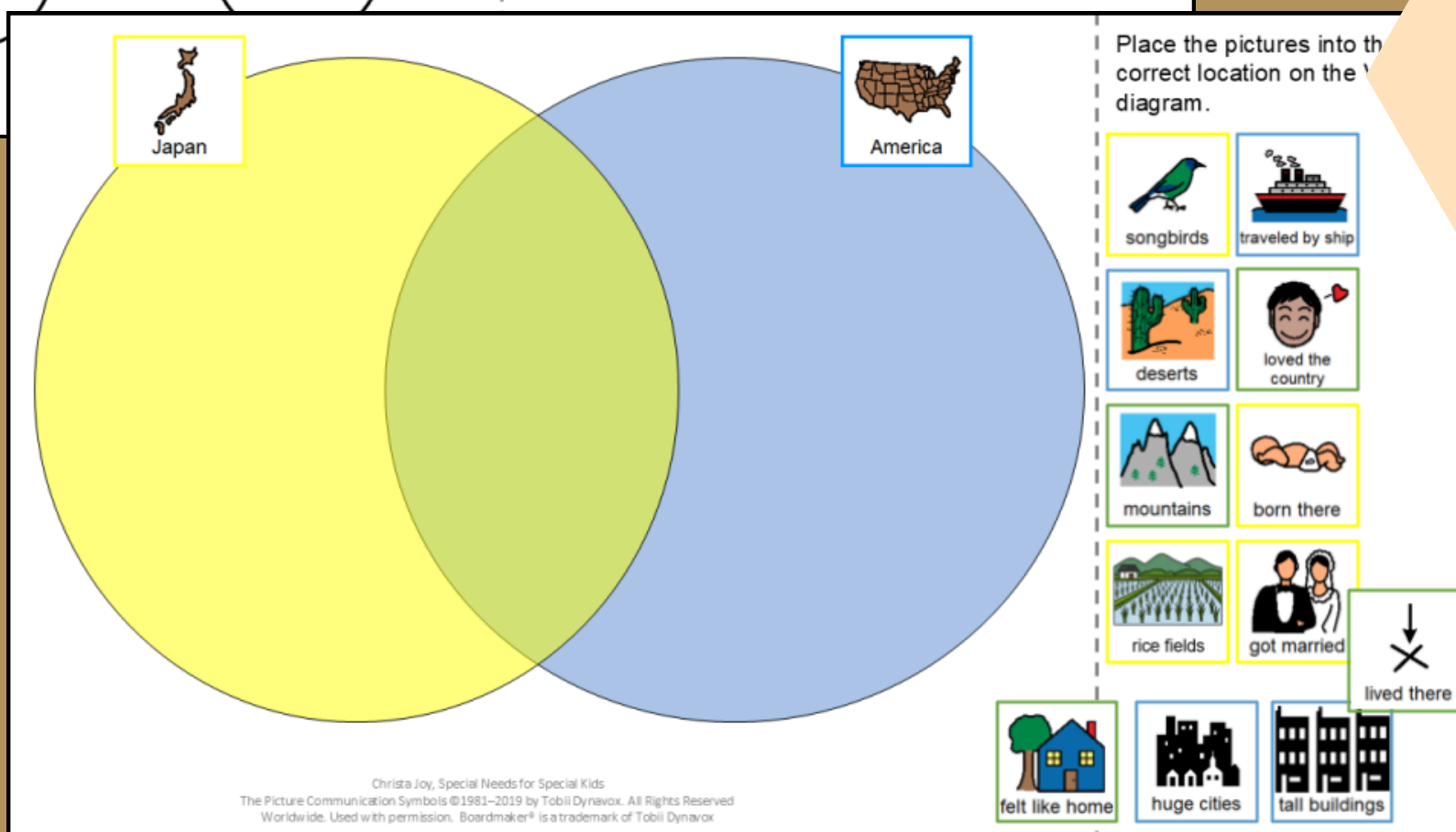


There is a video of the book read aloud. This is a video from YouTube.





Place the pictures in the empty circles showing what homesick feels like.



There are digital versions of the activities included. Students click and drag the answers.