

World Chess

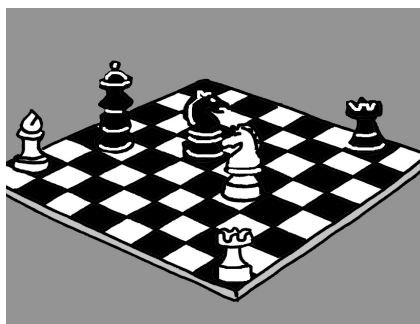
Tommy is making a booklet about chess around the world. He has collected all his information but he needs help with the headings and subheadings.

Can you help him present the information nicely by helping him make up a heading and subheadings for his information.

Give the booklet a heading and subheadings.

Headings and Subheadings are useful for presenting information clearly. It is easier to find information if it is under a particular heading, especially non-fiction writing.

Write a short piece of non-fiction writing about different places where you can enjoy playing chess, eg on the beach!



Historians believe that the oldest chess set comes from Persia. They called the game Chaturanga. The game then became popular around the world. At first, the boards were cheaply made and the pieces were made from bone. Some chess sets were beautifully crafted from expensive materials such as ivory, marble or delicately carved wood.

Up until now, Caspari Bogloff has been the youngest Chess Champion. He won the European title in 2001 in Gogreve, a small state near Russia.

Caspari was 18 when he won the title. Nola Fengworthy won the Asian Chess Tournament in 1997 when she was just 19, whilst Denny Evans was the winner of the North Eastern Island Competition in 1999. He was only 15.

Chess is a skilful game. The aim is to capture the enemy's King. The King is an important piece but the Queen is really powerful because she can go anywhere on the board. Other pieces are the Rook, the Knight, the Bishop and the Pawns.

Challenge

Tommy hasn't written about the different chess pieces. Write a small paragraph explaining what each piece does in the game and give each piece of writing a subheading.