



GET READY TO READ

A. Name what gods or concepts these people believe in:

CATHOLICS:

BUDDHISTS:

ISLAMISTS:

MAPUCHE:

B. Go to the dictionary or the web and find out what **WORLD VIEW** means. Write the definition in the space below.

Before you read the following text, guess if the sentences are true or false.



C. Write **'Yes'** on the space if the information is correct and **'No'** if it is incorrect.

1. _____ There is only one belief among all the mapuche communities.
2. _____ The mapuche world view can be taught using the kultxüg.
3. _____ They believe in many spirits, and a Divine Family.
4. _____ They think there are four 'lands' or dimensions.
5. _____ For them, the circle is important, starting from the North.

READING ACTIVITIES

A. Answer the following questions about the text:

1. How many planes does the Mapuche world view have? Name them.
2. What is the second paragraph about?
3. What do the expressions '*the latter*' and '*the former*' in line 4 refer to?
4. If you are wearing a black jacket, a red shirt and blue jeans, Can you go to a Gillatun? Why?
5. What does the underlined word '*which*' in line 21 refer to?
6. What is the main idea of this text?

B. SUMMARY CORRECTION: read the following summary of the text and correct the mistakes:

"The mapuche believe the natural world and the supernatural world are separate. Their world view can be divided in three dimensions. In the vertical plane, they have the four cardinal points, and in the horizontal plane, there are three spaces. Finally, colours are associated to the cardinal points. Black, for example, is good and is associated to the East and South."

