**Unit 4: Daily Life as a Monk/Nun**

**Instructions:** Label each picture with what the monk is doing at that time during his day.







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* Imagine that you are a monk or nun and it is your first day in the monastery (*or convent, if you are a nun*).
* Look at all the things a monk might do in one day (from the front of the paper). Write a diary entry for one day, explaining all the things that you have done – try to include as much detail as you can, such as what food you ate, the jobs you did and how you feel about being in the monastery.
* Use the outline below to help you to structure your work: fill it out as a guide but you **must** write a full page on a separate sheet of paper in diary/journal format and staple it to this paper. Be creative! Use outside sources to add more detail to the entry.

*Dear Diary,*

*Today was my first day at the monastery/convent. I got up at ……*

*Once I was awake and dressed, the first thing I did was…*

*Later in the morning, I…*

*At 2 o’clock we had lunch, it was…*

*The afternoon passed quickly as I had plenty of things to do. I began by…*

*It was soon time for supper, which was…*

*In the evening I…*

*Finally, I was able to get some rest…*