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- Ollie:** Hey, Daiz, you remember that Mum was talking about putting videos up on her blog?
- Daisy:** Yeah.
- Ollie:** Well, she's got the first one up. It looks pretty cool.
- Daisy:** Oh, right. Where is she at the moment? Peru, isn't it?
- Ollie:** I think she's in Bolivia now, but the video's from yesterday, when she was on the Peruvian side of Lake Titicaca.
- Daisy:** OK, let's have a look.
- Sophie:** Hi, everyone. Today I'm visiting the floating Uros Islands on Lake Titicaca.
- Sophie:** The people who live here have had the same kind of lifestyle for hundreds of years. The amazing thing about these islands is that they are man-made and made out of plants. The islanders pick the tall reeds that grow at the sides of the lake and use them to make the islands. Every three months they have to put down new reeds. If they didn't, the islands would sink into the lake! Oh, yeah, and as I said, the islands float, so they have to be anchored to the bottom of the lake with rope, like a boat.
- Daisy:** Hey, it's really good!
- Sophie:** The islands are kind of bouncy to walk on, but they're pretty strong. The Uros people make fires, which they use for cooking. OK, there's a house made of reeds, but that grey thing, which you can see on the roof there, isn't very traditional. That's a solar panel – technology gets to every corner of the world nowadays.
- Ollie:** Mmm, it's a bit like a geography lesson, but it's interesting.
- Daisy:** Yeah, I think it's great.
- Ollie:** OK, let's write a nice comment and 'like' it.