

St Mary's

My Y4 Easter Home Learning Pack

Hello everyone!

Please find attached some Easter craft ideas and some fun activities to keep yourself busy! If you'd like to send in any pictures or work you have completed, then email your teachers.

Keep working hard and we will see you all very soon!

Mr Gibbs, Mrs Gill and Miss McGregor

Easter Challenge

Hello Everyone,

We hope that you are all well and looking after yourselves. As it is Easter next weekend, we have put together a few challenges for you to do over the next two weeks.

Firstly, we would like you to try and make your very own Easter Garden. Here are some examples below to get some ideas:



Before you start making your garden, you will need to design it first. Think about what you want your garden to represent. You could: re-tell the Easter Story, create a mini Easter egg hunt, show our school values or just create something that makes people smile when they see it.

You could make your Easter Garden using soil and plants from your own garden or you could use some arts and crafts equipment to make each part.

Once you have done this, we would like you to write a poem based on how you feel when you are in your Easter Garden. Try to get those exciting similes and metaphors in there. E.g. When I'm in my Easter Garden, I feel as free as a bird, soaring high in the sky.

We would also like you to use your maths skills by calculating the perimeter (all the sides added together) of your Easter Garden.

We've also included some colouring, challenges, maths, English and other activities.

We'd love to see what you've been up to so feel free to get your parents to e-mail the Year 4 teacher pictures of your Easter Gardens and poems.

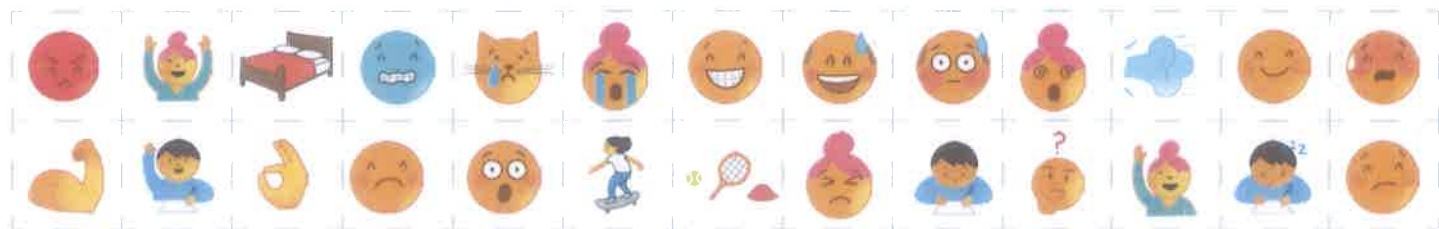
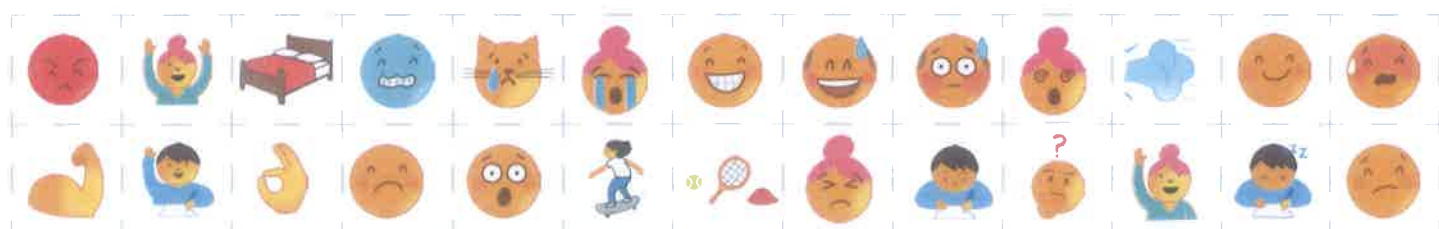
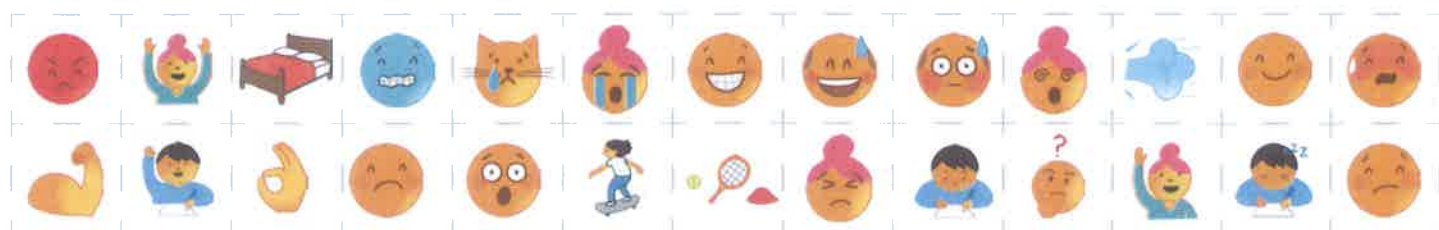
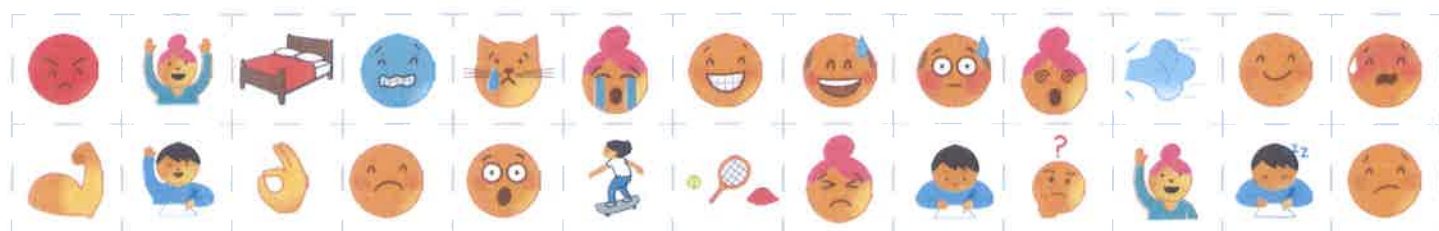
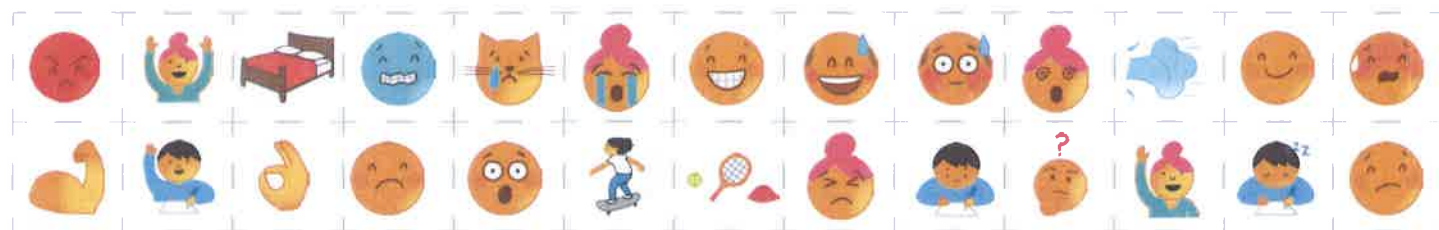
Have fun everyone and take care.

The Year 4 Team

Emoji Easter Holiday Write-Up Sheet

Write about your Easter holiday. You can use emojis in your sentences by cutting and sticking them into your writing. Not all sentences need to have an emoji and you don't have to use them all.

For example: On the first day of the Easter holiday, I was feeling 🙄 so Mum suggested I go with my friends in the park. I arranged to meet up with them and we practised some new 🛹 tricks. When I returned home, I was really pleased to see that Mum had made a lasagne; it tasted 👍. Following the meal, we watched a funny film together as a family. The next day.....



Work out the following maths calculations. Then write the corresponding letter of the alphabet from the table to reveal a secret message.

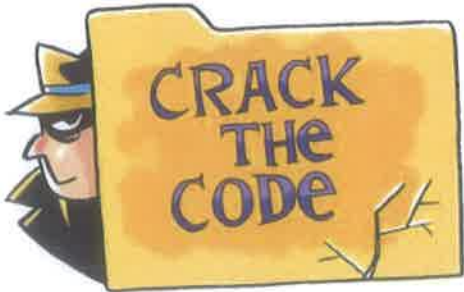
Crack the code

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21	13	22	91	4	38	65	56	7	81	18	48	15
N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z
3	70	0	9	24	12	83	5	6	69	34	72	99

7x8	3x7	96÷16	2 x 2	18+3	11+17	35÷7	33÷11	42÷2	1+2	9 x 9	3x8

48÷12	60-12	76-55	17x2	63÷9	12÷4	5x13	92-88	11+10	36÷3	25+58

36÷9	4x6	30-17	12x2	40÷10	63÷3	9x2



Secret
Message: _____

Spring Hink Pinks!!

Hink Pinks are clues to a silly two word answer that rhymes. For example, “meat stealer” is “beef thief”, and “complimentary oak” is “free tree”. How many Hink Pinks can you solve?

1) Twin rabbits _____

2) Season ruler _____

3) Daffodil building _____



4) Bunny routine



5) Posh Sheep

6) Celebration Scoffer _____

7) Holiday place _____

8) Hat poem _____

9) Fast bird _____

10) Eccentric flower _____



Can you think of a Spring Hink Pink of your own?

Create your own Easter acrostic poem!

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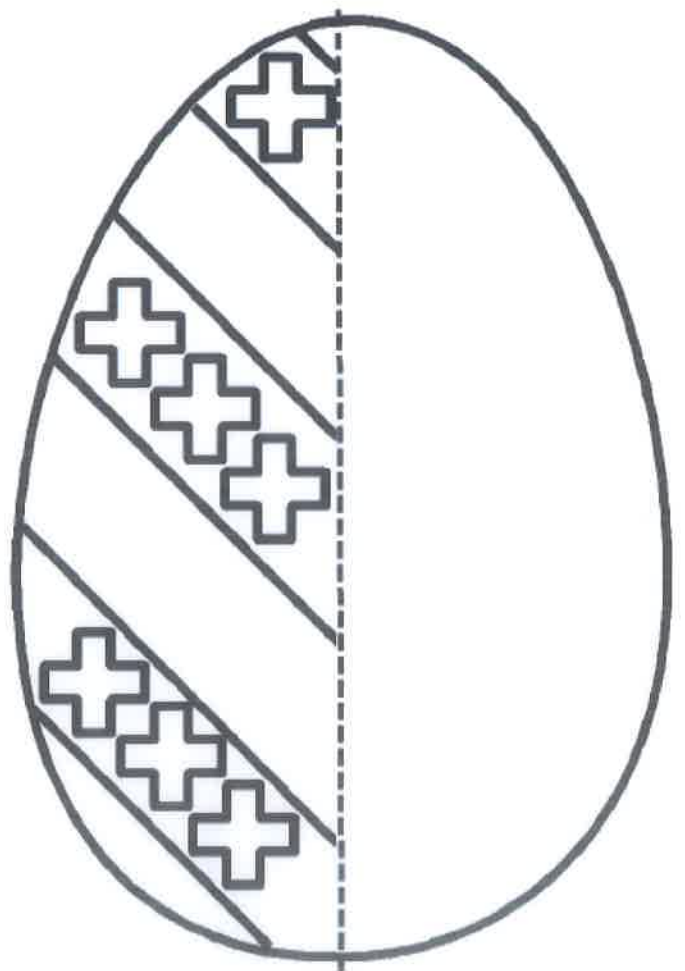
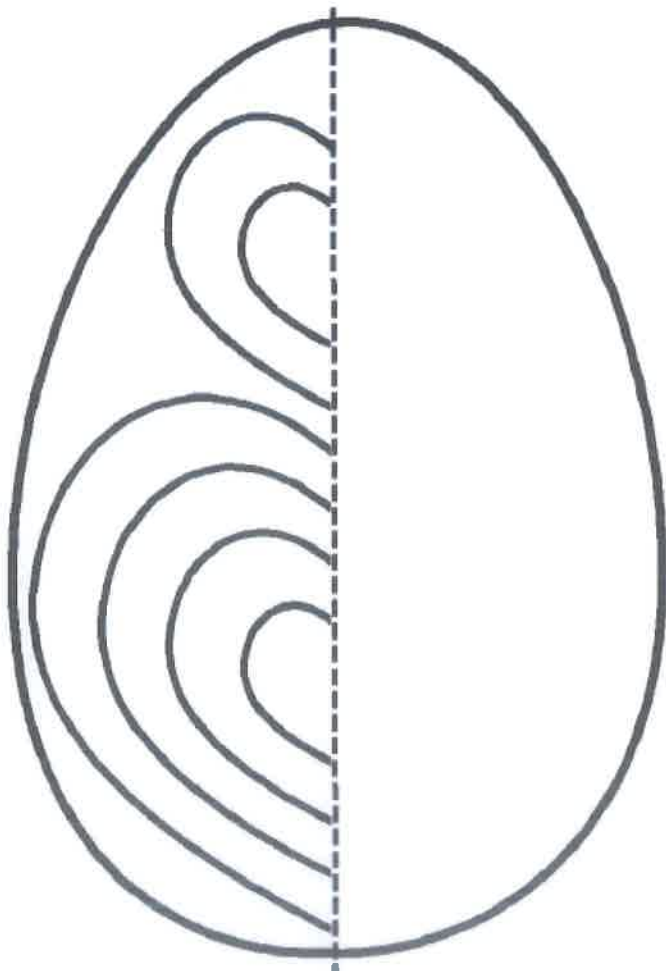
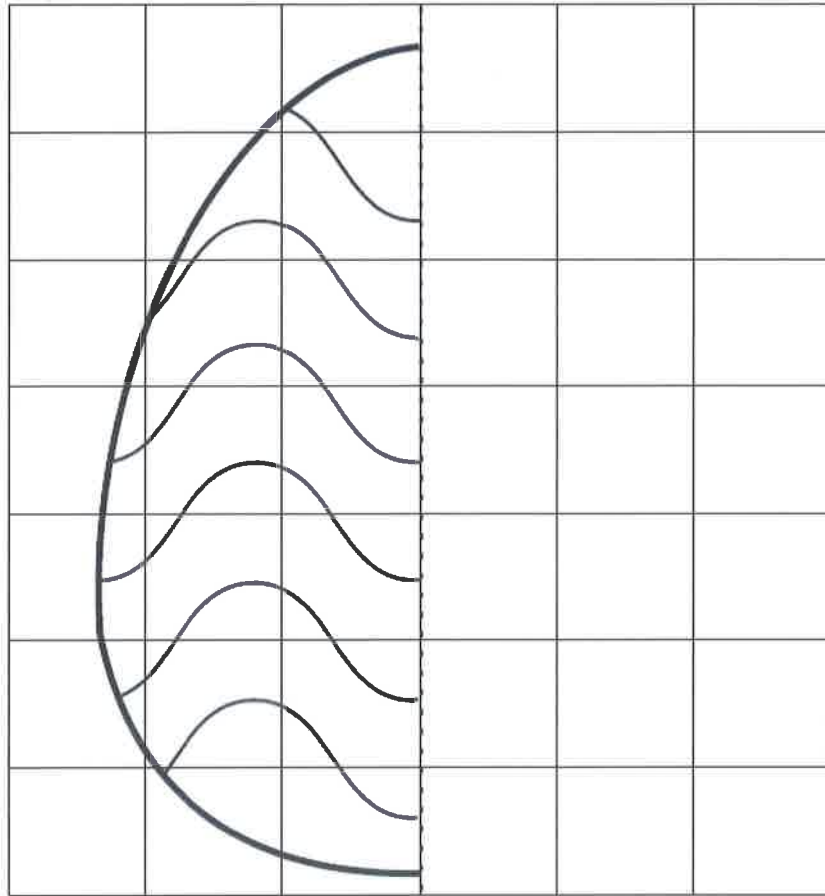
E _____

R _____



Egg-cellent symmetry!

Complete and colour the eggs so that they have a vertical line of symmetry.



Gardening Scavenger Hunt

Gardens are full of interesting things! Go on a scavenger hunt and enjoy looking at all the different things you find. Tick each item when you have found it. If you have a tablet or camera, you could take a photo of what you have found.

You will need:

- Clipboard
- Pencil
- Magnifying glass (optional)
- Tablet or camera



Items to find:

- ☐ something prickly
- ☐ something furry
- ☐ something soft
- ☐ something hard
- ☐ a seed
- ☐ something green
- ☐ something red
- ☐ something yellow
- ☐ something man-made
- ☐ a seed
- ☐ an interesting looking leaf
- ☐ a colourful stone
- ☐ an insect
- ☐ something unusual - write what it is here: _____

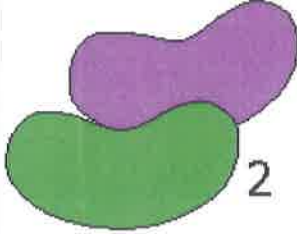
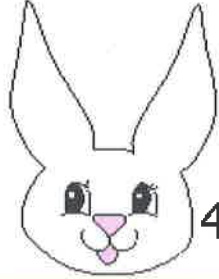
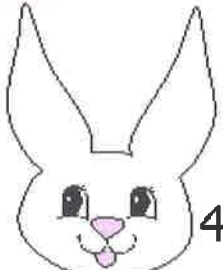
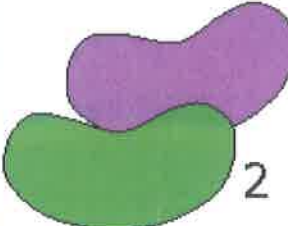

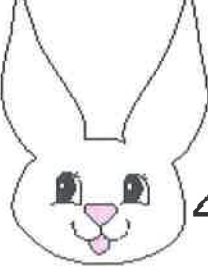
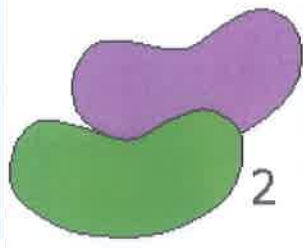
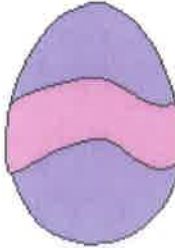
Ways to extend the activity:

- Find out the name of the plant that the leaves and seeds come from.
- Find out the name of the insect.
- Do an observational drawing of something that was found.

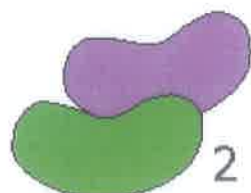
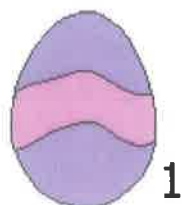
National Curriculum Link

Identify and name different types of plants.

Easter Sudoku

 2			 4
	 4	 2	
 3		 4	
	 2		 1

Each row, each column and each of the large four squares should have one of each image. Fill in the blanks!



Reading Comprehension

Read the following passage carefully, then answer the questions on the next page.



DANA'S FLOWER GARDEN

Dana loves flowers. Her favourites are daisies, tulips, and daffodils. Tulips and daffodils come up every spring, and daisies come up later in the summer. These plants are perennials; they come up year after year. Dana loves the spring because she can go to the flower market to buy her annuals. The annuals only last one season, but they add a lot of colour to the garden.

Dana got up Saturday morning very early. She wanted to get to the market early so she would have time to plant everything when she got home. Off she went to Barton's Flower Market. She ran into some friends. "Hi, Dana," they called out to her. "Hi," said Dana with a big smile. "Let's look around together!" Dana and her friends saw pansies, geraniums, periwinkles, and petunias. "Oh, so many pretty flowers!" exclaimed Dana. "I love them all."

Dana decided to buy red and yellow pansies, blue periwinkles, and purple petunias. That will add a lot of colour to my garden, thought Dana. She said good-bye to her friends and went home. Dana happily began planting her new flowers around the tulips and daffodils. Dana was so happy. She loved her flower garden, and she knew she would enjoy it all summer long. Dana had a perfect day.

Reading Comprehension Questions

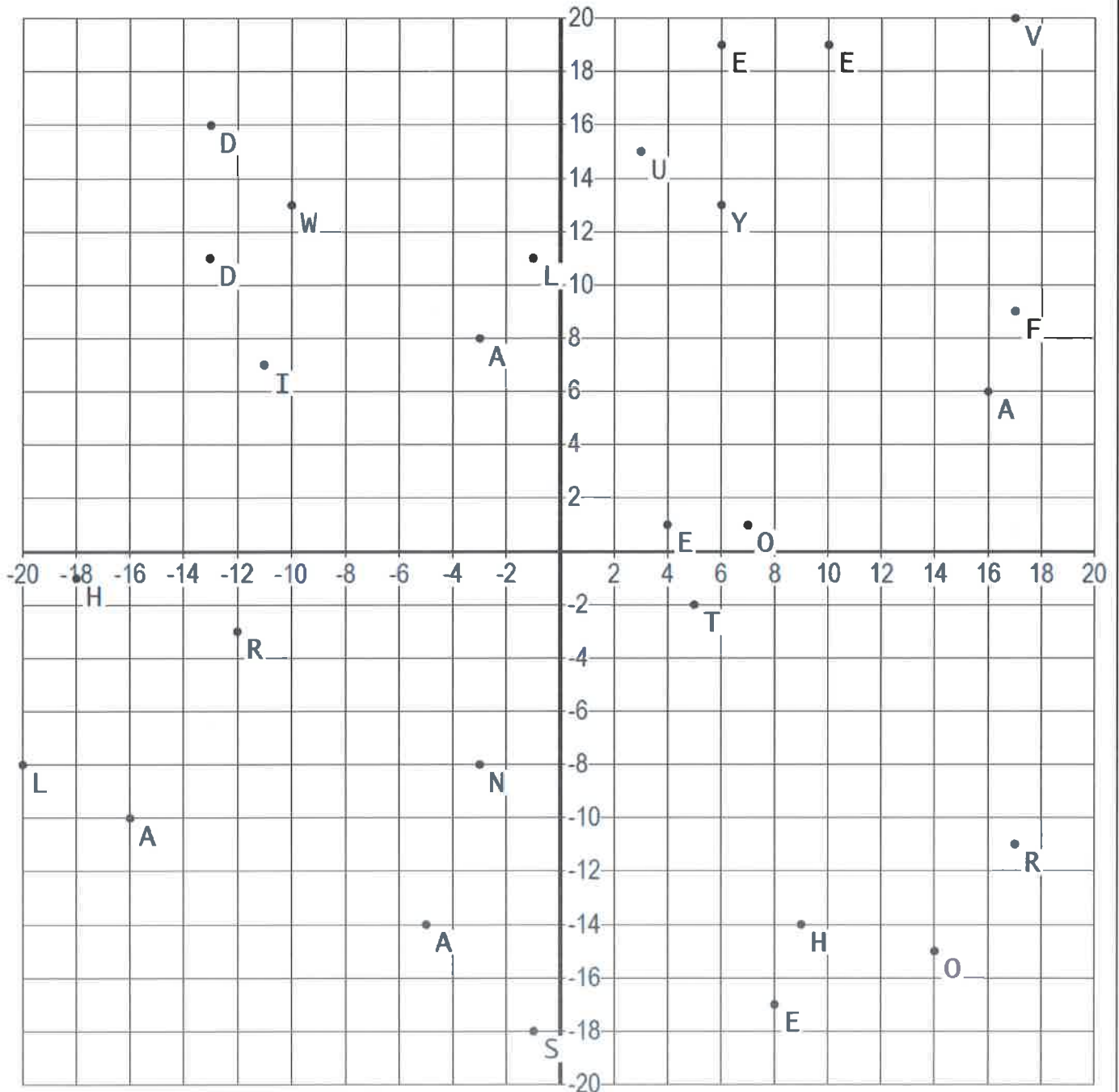
1. According to the story, Dana liked to
 - a. cook food from the garden
 - b. plant flowers in the garden
 - c. pull weeds from the garden
 - d. none of the above
2. Daffodils and tulips are
 - a. perennials
 - b. annuals
 - c. need to be planted each year.
 - d. none of the above
3. Annuals are flowers that
 - a. come up year after year
 - b. add color
 - c. must be planted each spring
 - d. both b and c.
4. Dana bought
 - a. every flower at the market
 - b. tulips and daffodils
 - c. pansies, petunias, and periwinkles
 - d. none of the above
5. In this story, Dana's mood was
 - a. sad
 - b. surprised
 - c. happy
 - d. all the above

Explain the difference between a perennial and an annual.

Coordinate Code



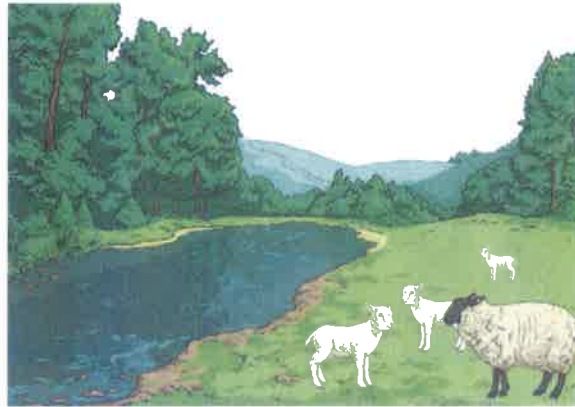
Fill in the boxes with the letters of the points identified by each pair of coordinates. When you have them all filled in, they will reveal a secret message!



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$(6, 19)$	$(16, 6)$	$(-1, -18)$	$(5, -2)$	$(10, 19)$	$(17, -11)$	$(9, -14)$	$(14, -15)$	$(-1, 11)$	$(-11, 7)$	$(-13, 16)$	$(-3, 8)$	$(6, 13)$

As Pretty as a Picture

Look at this beautiful springtime scene. Can you write four sentences about the lovely things you can see, using an appropriate preposition? Use the bank of prepositions below to help you.



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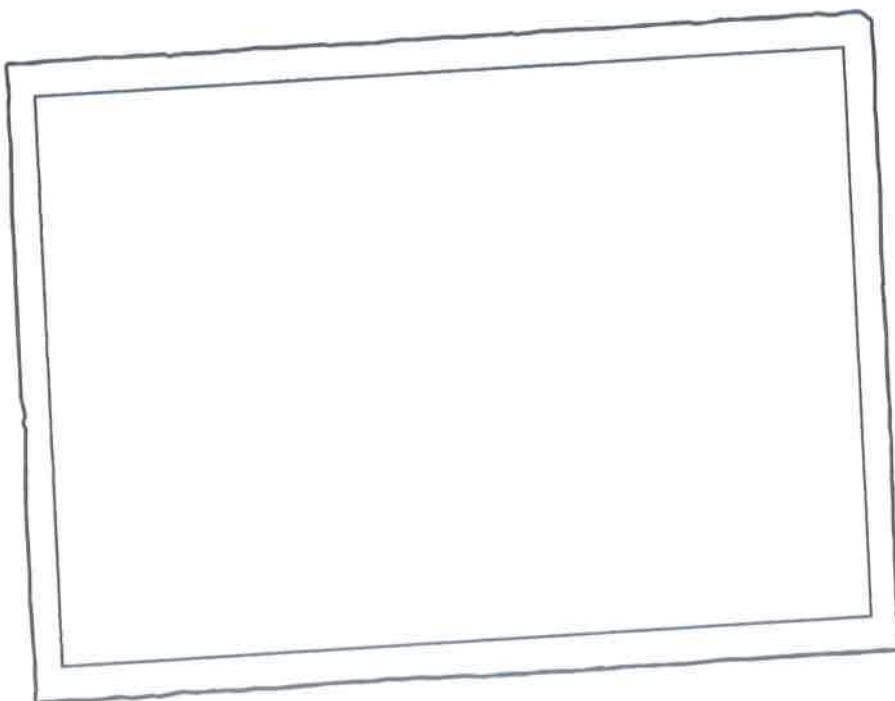
beside

beneath

over

behind

Draw your own spring scene and write a short description of what you can see. Use a preposition in every sentence.



Easter Multiplication Mosaic

Multiplication 3x, 4x, 8x

Solve the maths problems to reveal the hidden picture. Each answer has a special colour:

3, 4, 6, 9, 15, 21, 27, 36 and 56 – **yellow**

8, 12, 16, 20 and 30 – **purple**

24, 32, 33, 40 and 48 – **pink**

28, 64, 72 and 80 – **blue**

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12×3	3×9	2×3	3×4	8×2	4×4	5×4	3×5	9×3	7×3
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Easter Multiplication Mosaic

Multiplication 3x, 4x, 6x, 7x, 8x

Solve the maths problems to reveal the hidden picture. Each answer has a special colour:

3, 4, 9, 24, 32, 64 and 72 - **brown**

6, 12, 33, 48, 54 and 63 - **blue**

7, 15, 27, 36, 44, 56 and 96 - **green**

14, 16, 18, 28, 42 and 84 - **pink**

8, 20, 21, 30, 35, 40 and 60 - **orange**

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9×7	6×1	8×3	4×18	3×1	4×1	6×12	8×8	3×4	21×3

Easter Multiplication Mosaic

Multiplication 3x, 4x, 6x, 7x, 8x, 9x, 11x, 12x

Solve the maths problems to reveal the hidden picture. Each answer has a special colour:

28, 33, 36, 54, 60, 80, 84, 108 and 132 – **grey**

8, 9, 12, 14, 42, 44, 48, 56, 63 and 66 – **blue**

32, 35, 45 and 72 – **pink**

15, 16, 18 and 21 – **white**

88, 90, 96 and 144 – **black**

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Easter Jokes

Can you match the joke with the correct answer?

How does the Easter Bunny stay fit?

Hip Hop!

What kind of music do bunnies like?

It might crack up!

Why did the Easter egg hide?

With the letter R!

Why shouldn't you tell an Easter egg a joke?

Eggs (X) marks the spot!

How does Easter end?

Ones with hoppy endings!

What's yellow, has long ears, and grows on trees?

EGG-xercise!

How can you tell where the Easter Bunny has been?

To prove he wasn't chicken!

How did the Easter Bunny rate the Easter parade?

He was a little chicken!

What kinds of books do bunnies like?

He said it was eggs-cellent!

Why did the Easter Bunny cross the road?

The Easter Bunana!

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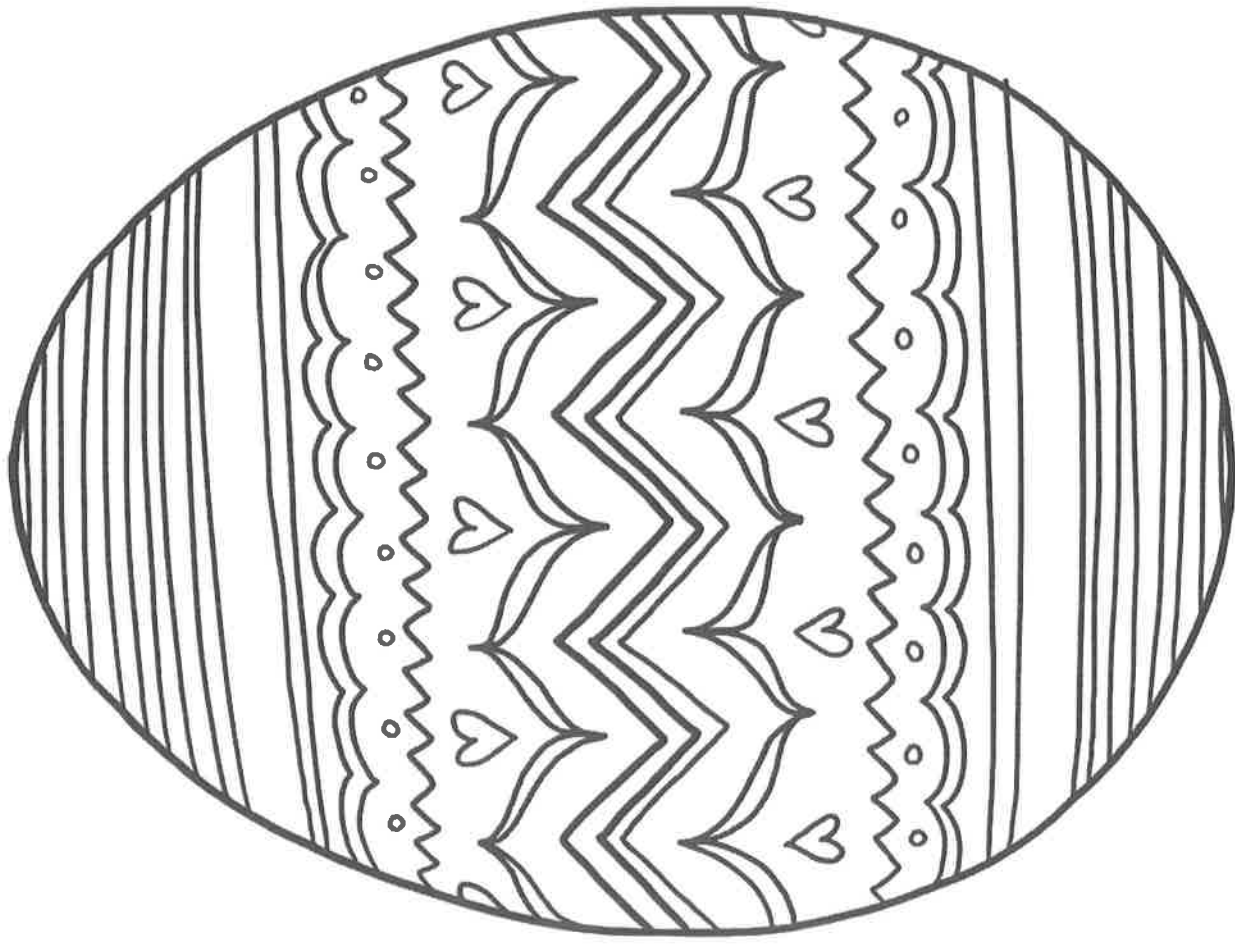
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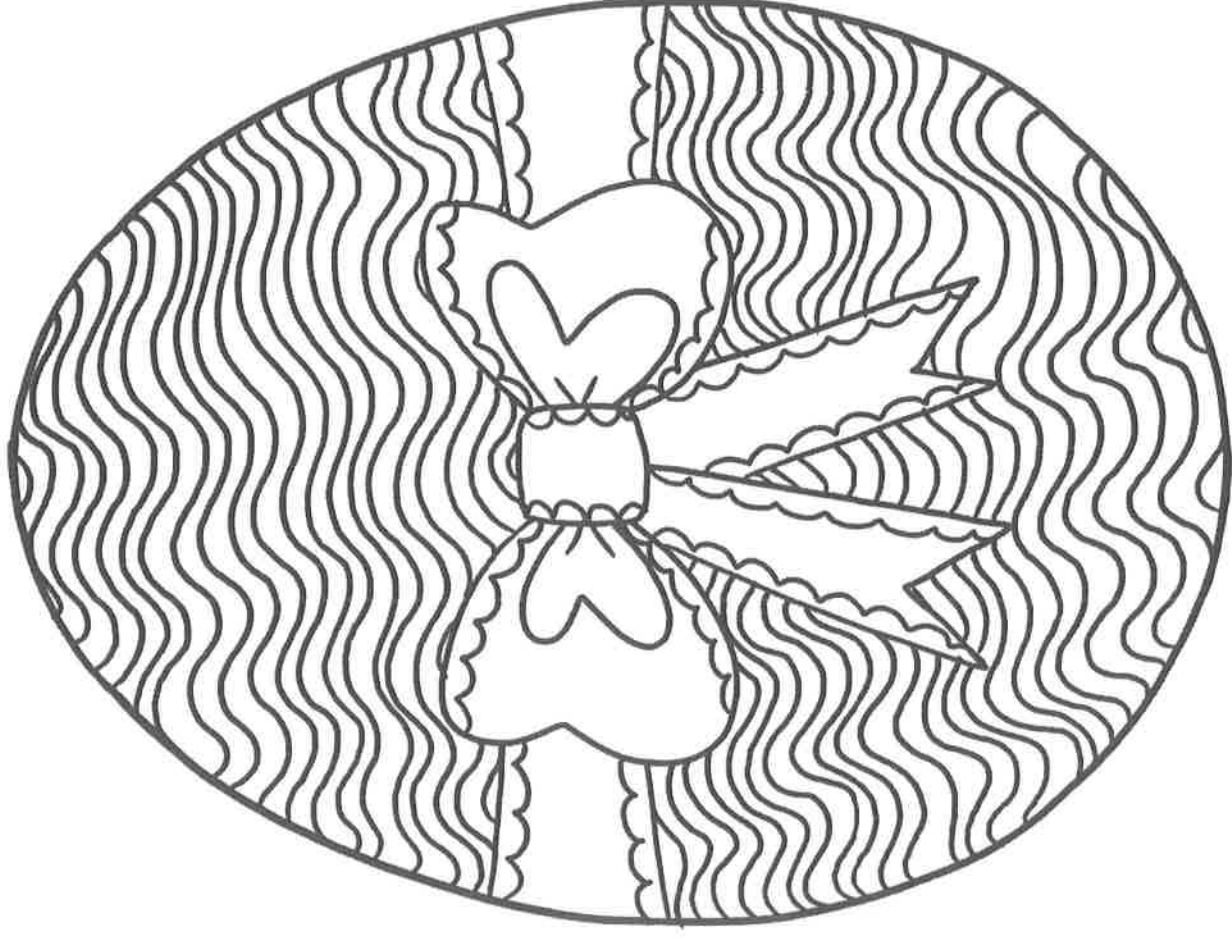
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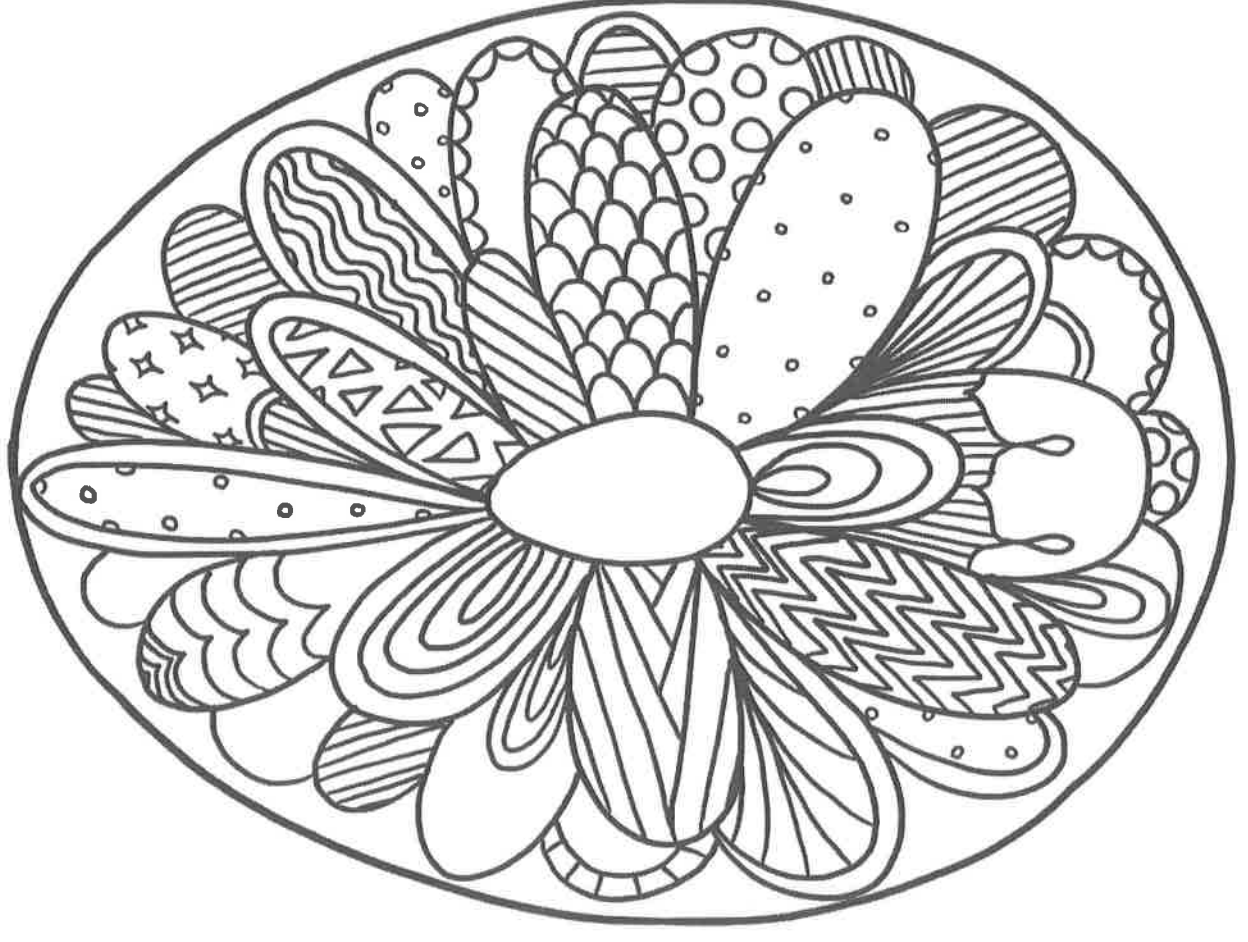
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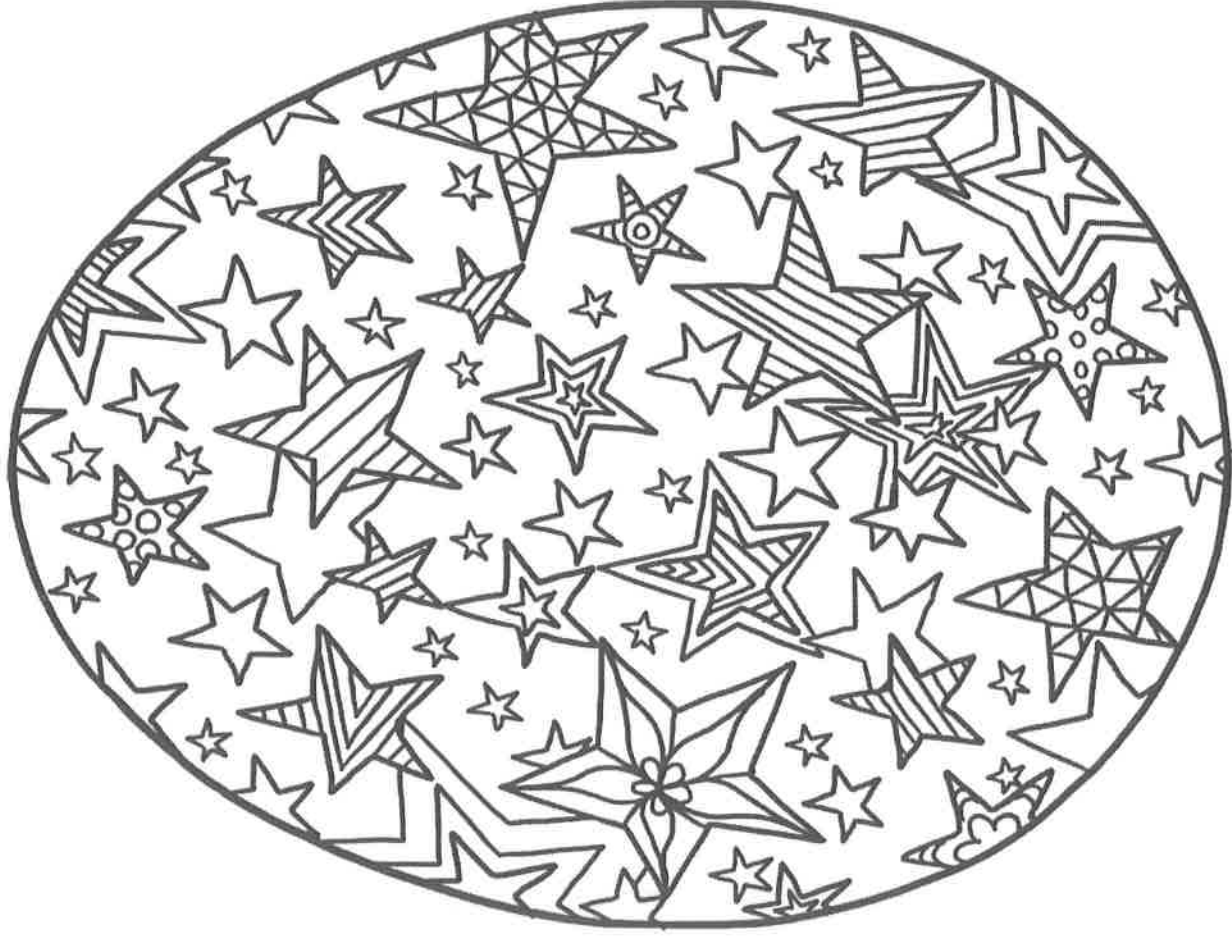
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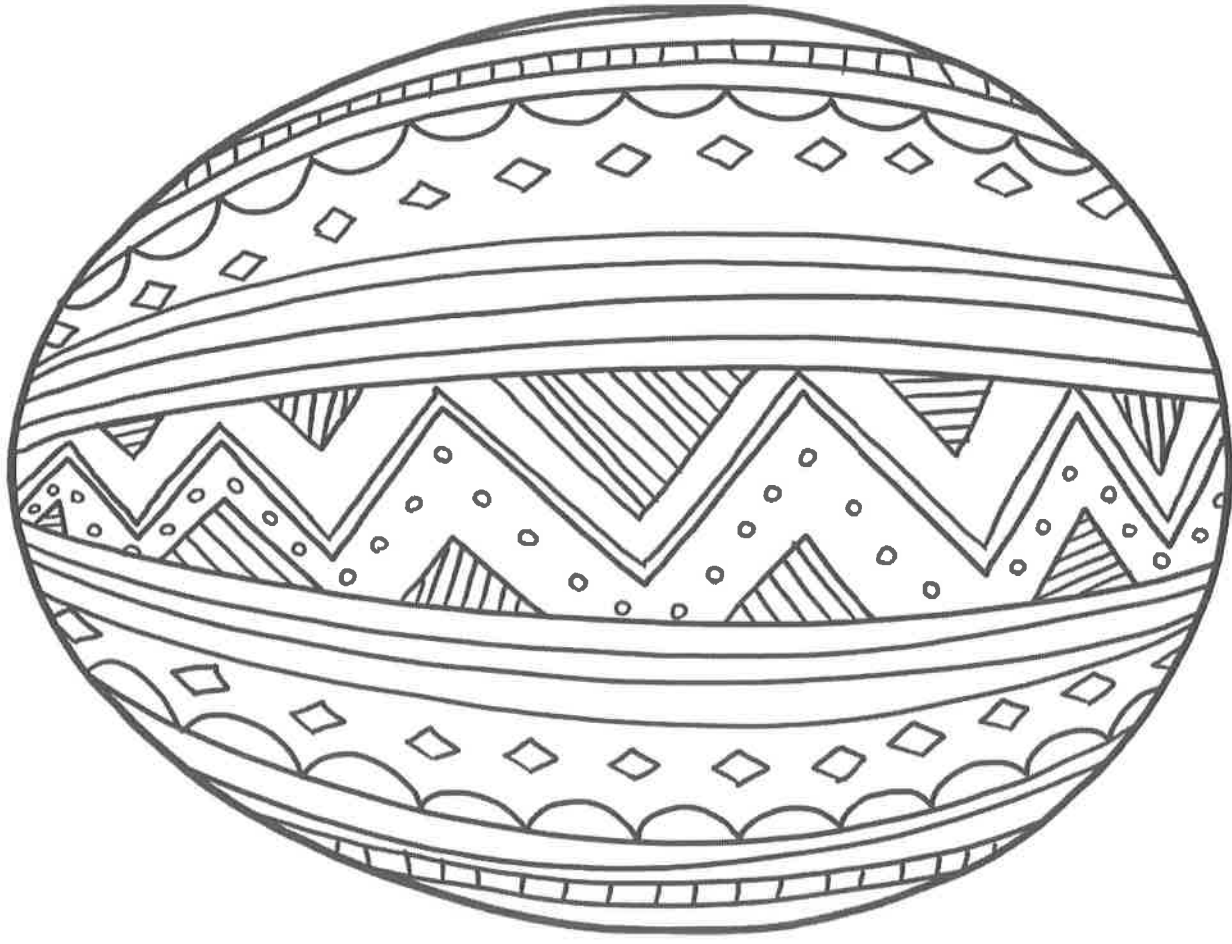
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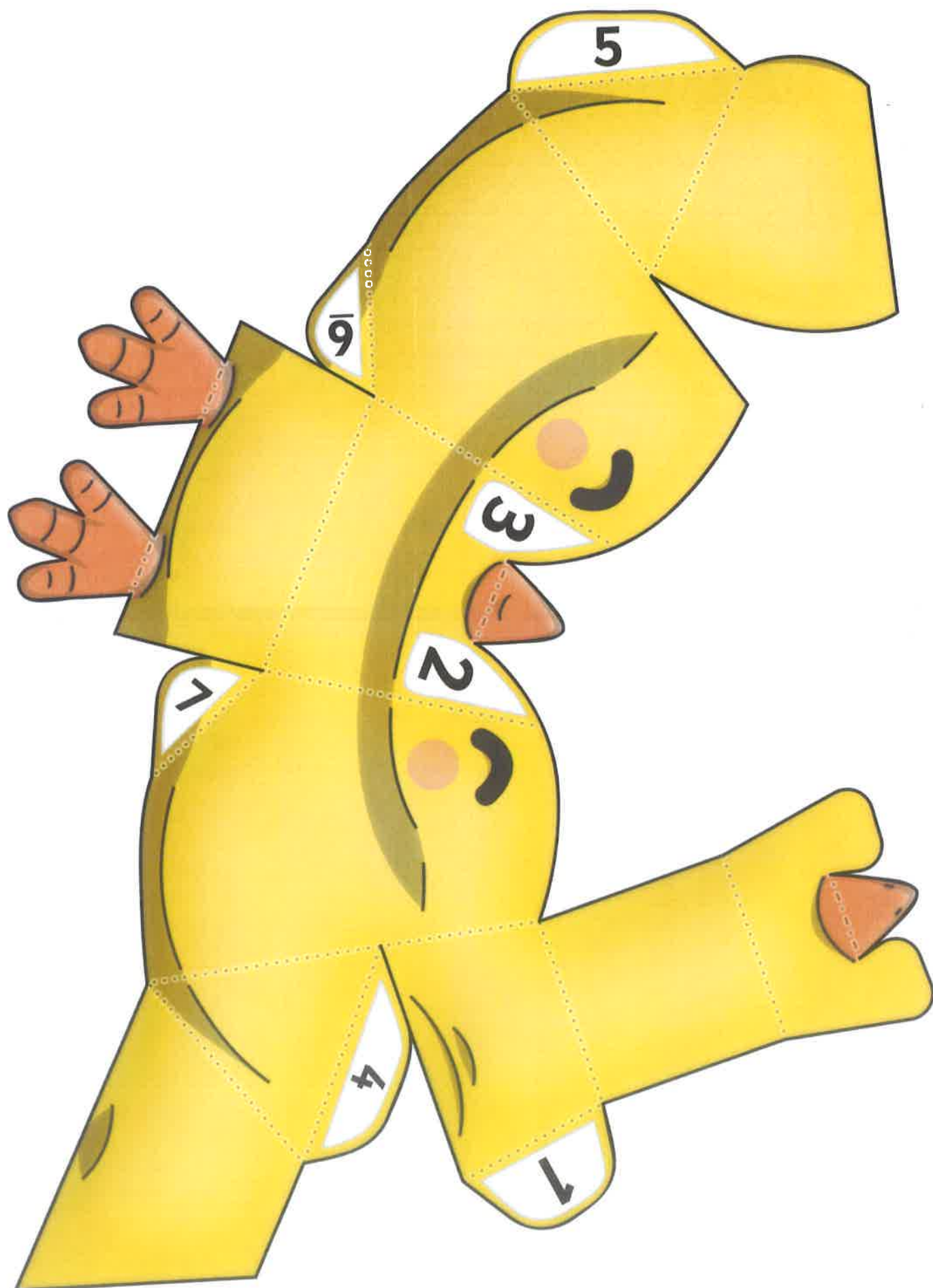
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Easter Chick Paper Model



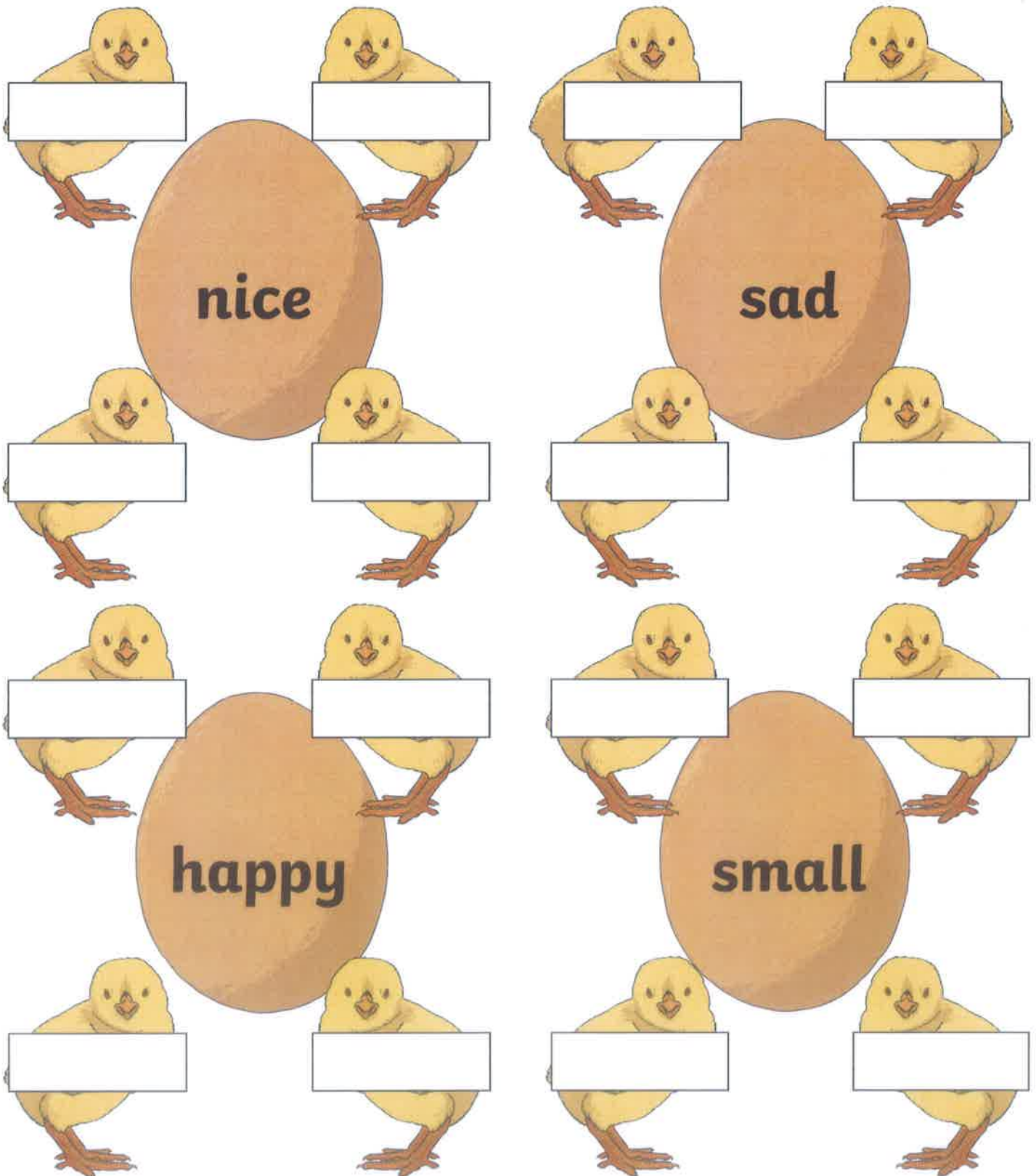
- 1) Cut _____
- 2) Hill Fold _____
- 3) Valley Fold _____
- 4) Glue 1 2 3

Hill Fold (Fold up)

Valley Fold (Fold down)

Egg-cellent Adjectives!

These adjectives are so boring that they've made the chicks not want to hatch! Can you think of four new adjectives for each word which mean the same thing but are far more exciting? Write one adjective on each chick to make them want to come out of their shell.



Spring Spelling Search

Your spelling words are hidden in the word search below. Can you find them all?

a	t	u	e	m	k	z	q	j	o	f	z
s	u	r	p	r	i	s	e	n	p	a	e
w	z	w	o	m	a	n	a	l	p	m	q
w	p	f	i	r	y	j	h	r	o	o	u
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l	x	i	b	w	k	g	d	f	i	s	s
c	o	e	p	e	d	k	l	p	t	f	t
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y	a	w	x	u	i	l	e	e	m	f	n
c	r	w	n	k	w	s	g	v	z	n	j
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although

believe

exercise

famous

opposite

question


surprise

woman

Write each one of the words you find in a sentence below.

Emoji Easter Holiday Write-Up Sheet

Write about your Easter holiday. You can use emojis in your sentences by cutting and sticking them into your writing. Not all sentences need to have an emoji and you don't have to use them all.

For example: On the first day of the Easter holiday, I was feeling  so Mum suggested I go with my friends in the park. I arranged to meet up with them and we practised some new  tricks. When I returned home, I was really pleased to see that Mum had made a lasagne; it tasted . Following the meal, we watched a funny film together as a family. The next day.....



How To Make...

Easter Recipes



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How to make... Easter Egg Nests

Ingredients

225g/8oz of plain chocolate broken
into pieces
2tbsp of golden syrup
50g/2oz of butter
75g/3oz cornflakes
36 mini chocolate eggs
Water



Equipment

12-hole fairy cake tin
12 paper bun cases
Bowl
Hob
Pan
Fridge



What you do...

1. Line the fairy cake tin with the 12 paper bun cases.
2. Put some water into the pan and let it gently simmer.
3. Put the chocolate, golden syrup and butter in a bowl.
4. Put the bowl on top of the pan, but don't let it touch the water. Stir the mixture as it heats until it is smooth.
5. Remove the bowl from the heat and gently stir in the cornflakes. Keep stirring until the cornflakes are completely covered in chocolate.
6. Divide the mixture between the paper cases and press 3 chocolate eggs into the centre of each nest.
7. Chill the buns in the fridge for 1 hour or until they are completely set.



How to make... Hot Cross Buns

Ingredients



175g mixed dried fruit
Zest of 1 orange
1x7g sachet of fast action dried yeast
175g caster sugar
300ml semi-skimmed milk, warm
600g strong white bread flour
3tsp of mixed spice
0.5tsp of ground cinnamon
A grating of nutmeg
75g of unsalted butter, softened
1 tablespoon of melted butter
The yolk of one medium egg, mixed with
1tbsp of milk
50g plain flour



Equipment

Small bowl
Jug
Food processor
Large bowl
A clean surface
A lightly oiled bowl
Oiled clingfilm
Oven
Baking trays
Greaseproof paper
Wire rack
Small pan



What you do...

1. Mix together the dried fruit and orange zest in a bowl and then set it aside. Put the yeast in a jug with 15g of the caster sugar. Pour over 4 tablespoons of the warm milk and then leave it to foam for 5 minutes.
2. In a food processor, pulse the bread flour, 110g of the caster sugar, a pinch of salt, the mixed spice, cinnamon, nutmeg and softened butter until it resembles bread-crumbs. Tip into a large bowl and make a well in the centre. Pour in the yeast mixture and most of the remaining milk. Mix to a sticky dough.
3. Tip the mixture onto a floured surface and knead for 8-10 minutes until smooth and elastic. Add the dried fruits and zest mixture and continue kneading until combined. Put this into a lightly oiled bowl and cover with oiled clingfilm and leave in a warm place to rise for 1 hour until it has doubled in size.
4. Press the dough into a rectangular shape. Divide and shape into 16 balls of equal size. Place, almost touching, on baking trays lined with greaseproof paper. Cover them with a damp tea towel and leave in a warm place until they've doubled in size and joined together. This could take up to an hour.
5. Meanwhile, preheat the oven to 230°C, fan 210°C, gas mark 8. Gently brush the buns with the egg yolk and milk mixture.
6. Mix together the plain flour and melted butter with 4 tablespoons of water to form a paste. Spoon into a piping bag with a plain nozzle and pipe a cross onto the top of each bun. Bake in the oven for 5 minutes, then reduce the oven temperature to 190°C, fan 170°C, gas 5, and bake for a further 10-15 minutes until golden.
7. Remove from the oven and cool on a wire rack. Meanwhile, gently heat the remaining 50g of sugar with 2 tbsp of water to dissolve. Bring to the boil and then brush the mixture over the buns. Allow to cool completely before serving.





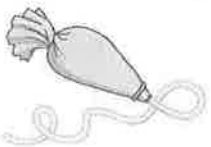
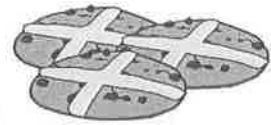
How to make... Hot Cross Cookies

Ingredients

- 200g of softened butter, plus extra for the trays
- 100g of light muscovado sugar
- 1 egg
- 250g of plain flour
- 1 tsp of cinnamon
- 2 tsp of baking powder
- 100g of sultanas
- 200g of white chocolate chips

Equipment

- Oven
- Two baking trays
- Large mixing bowl
- Sieve
- Wooden Spoon
- Small bowl (for chocolate melting)
- Microwave
- Piping bag (or teaspoon)
- Cooling rack



What you do...



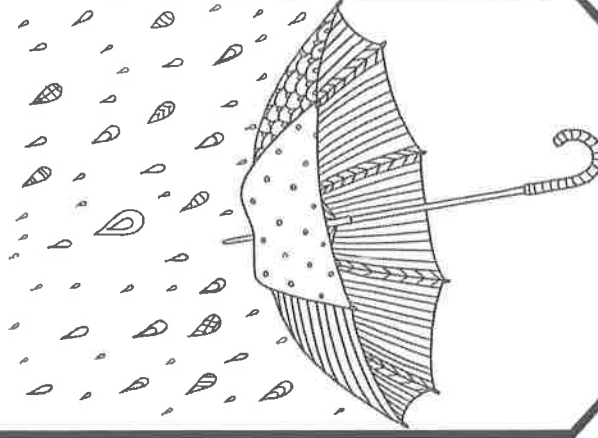
1. Turn on the oven at 180°C or gas mark 4. Lightly butter the baking trays.
2. In the large bowl, beat the butter, sugar and egg until it is smooth.
3. Sift the flour, cinnamon and baking powder into the bowl and then combine to make a dough. After doing this, add the sultanas and 100g of the white chocolate chips. Mix everything together.
4. Roll lumps of dough into balls roughly the same size as golf balls. Flatten these onto the trays.
5. Bake in the oven for 10 minutes until they look golden and yummy.
6. When baked, remove the cookies from the tray and place them on a cooling rack. While they're cooling, get the remaining white chocolate and melt it in the microwave on low in 20 second bursts.
7. Using a small piping bag or a teaspoon, carefully drizzle a cross on top of each cookie. Leave the icing to set before eating.



You could either give these away as Easter gifts or you can eat them yourself with a warm glass of milk!

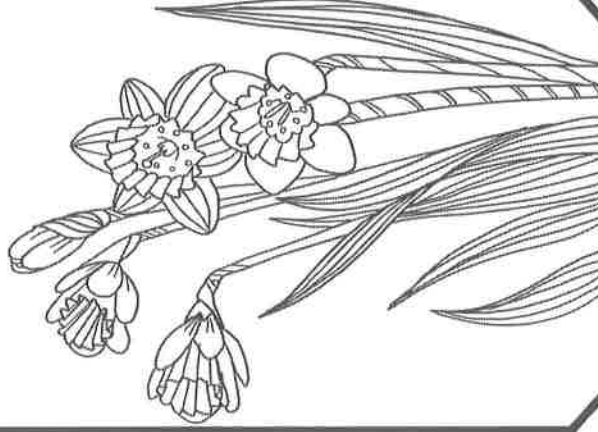


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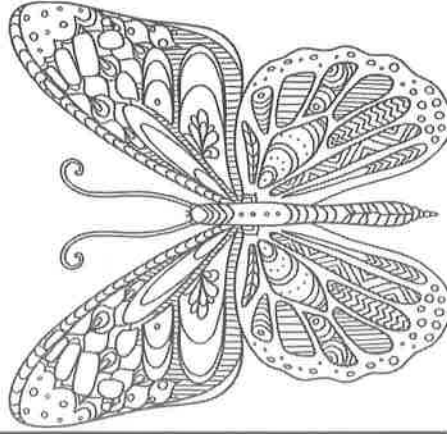
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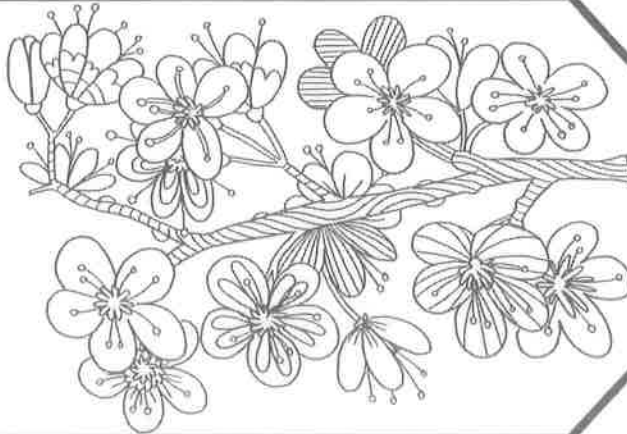
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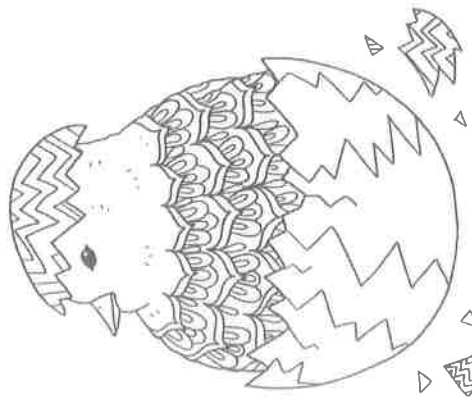
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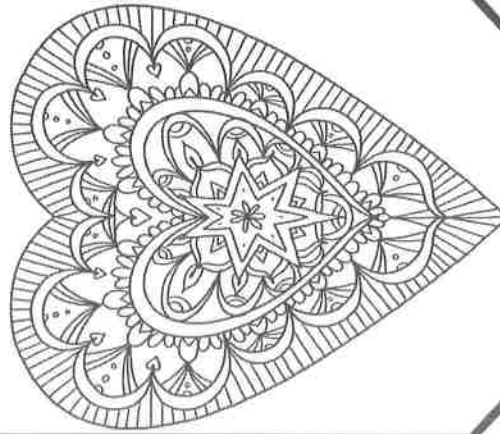
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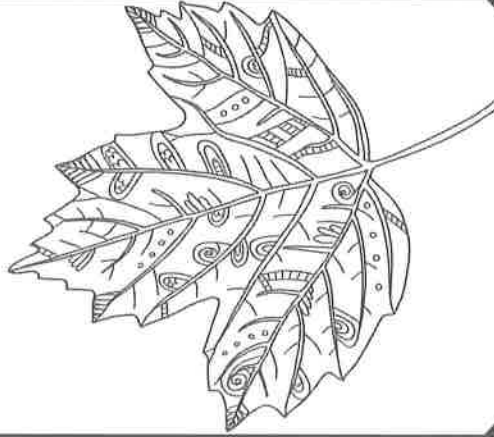
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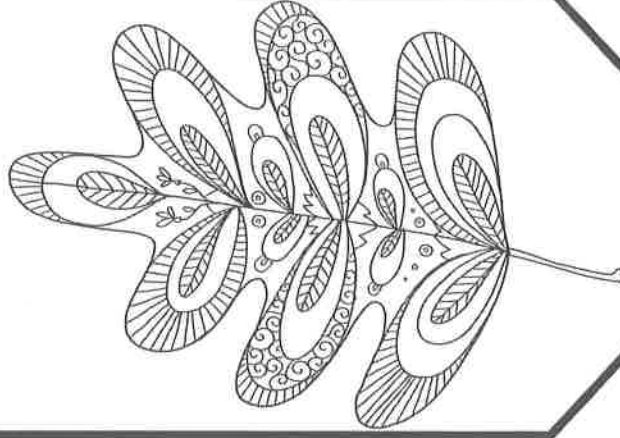
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