

# Welcome to Cora's Farm

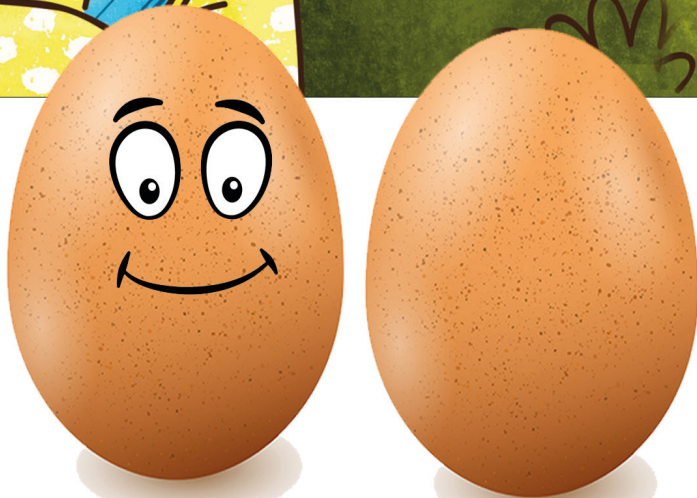


Cora has cheeky chickens on her farm.

What do they say?  
'Cheep, cheep, cheep',  
all through the day.

## Fun Fact

Chickens dream  
when they  
sleep.



This is Chuck.  
He's a really cheeky chicken.  
Where's he off to?  
Can you help find him?

**DRAW YOUR OWN  
EGGY SMILE.**





Colour in the missing letters

Colour the crayon in your favourite colour?

# Fun Fact

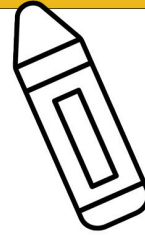
Cora's favourite colour is blue.

RED BLUE

YELLOW

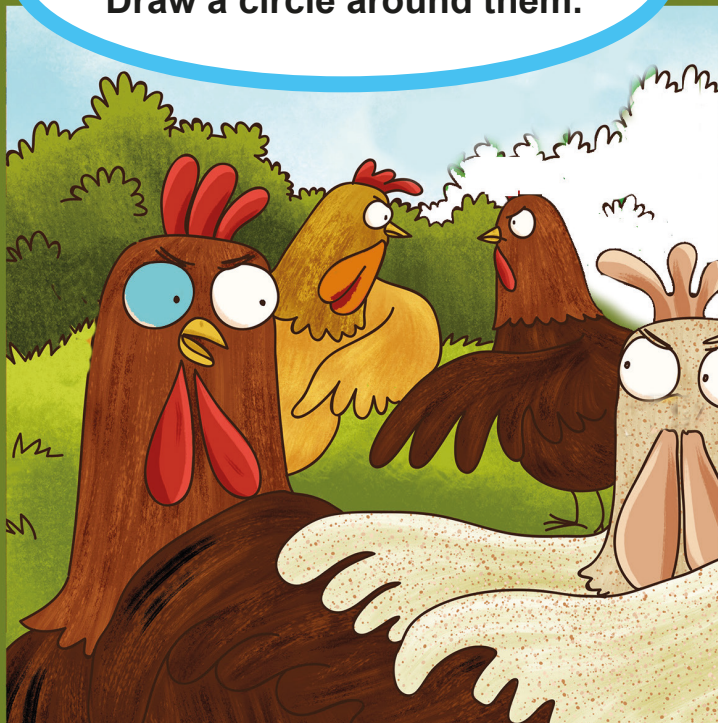
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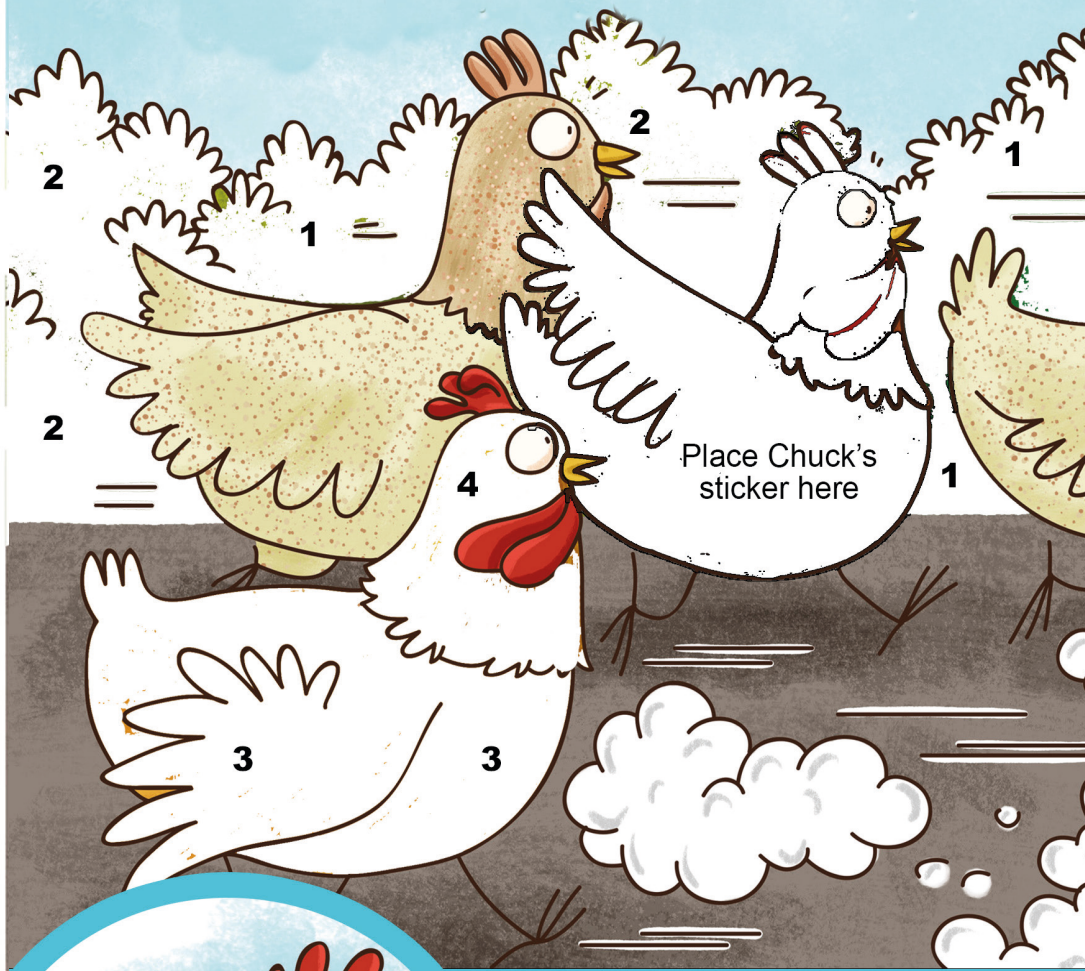


Can you spot 6 differences?  
Draw a circle around them.

Cora's chickens are all different colours







Read all about Cora's Cheeky Chickens.



**Fun Fact**  
Chickens don't have teeth.



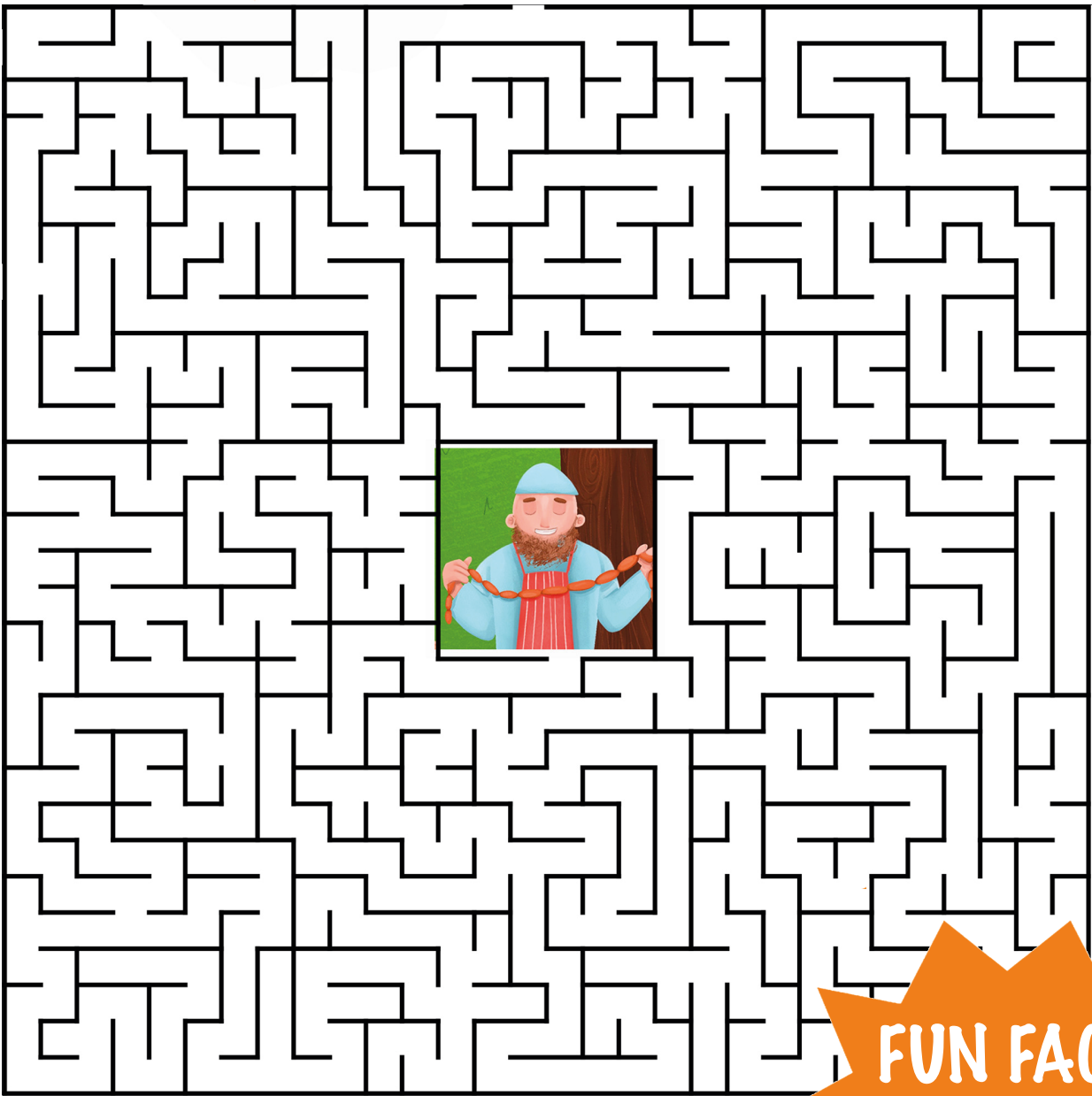
Cora has nice white teeth because she brushes them in the morning and before bedtime.





# MEOW MAZE

Mr Jangles has been very naughty, he's run off with sausages. Can you help Barney The Butcher find them?



## FUN FACT

Cats will purr when they are relaxed





# The Marvellous Mr Jangles



Mr Jangles lives with Vinny at the vet clinic.

There's always lots of different patients coming to visit. Today Miss Mitzy has brought along her parrot, Proteus Porter.

He's hurt his wing!

"Let's get that fixed," said Vinny



"Puuurfect!" thought Mr Jangles, as Proteus Porter flew out with his fixed wing.







Mr Jangles loves to chase Proteus Porter.

Yet, he can fly **very high** and Mr Jangles has to climb higher and **higher** up the tree to try and catch him.



Poor Mr Jangles is stuck.

'Meow, Meow!' cried Mr Jangles, stuck in the tree.

### Fun Fact

Cats love to climb.

"Oh dear!" said Vinny and Miss Mitzy wondering what they should do.







# Ne Nor, Ne Nor!

They had decided to call Fireman Buck for help.

“Oh, Mr Jangles, what have you been up to now?” he laughed.  
“I’ll have you down in a jiffy!”

In no time at all Fireman Buck had climbed his ladder and rescued Mr Jangles.

“There’ll be no more chasing parrots or climbing trees for you today!” said a very happy Vinny.



**Fun Fact**  
Fireman Buck’s first name is Billy.



Read the full story!



# ă

Mr Jangles's name is



spelt with a short **ă** sounding word.

Say **out loud** what the pictures are.

If you hear the short **ă** sound, write **ă** to finish the word.

Draw a circle around the picture that doesn't have the **ă** sound when you say it **out loud**.



b \_ t



t \_ p



b \_ e



c \_ t



r \_ t



h \_ t



Match the short sounding **a**  
word to the pictures

**Circle** the odd one out?



man

map

sad

bag



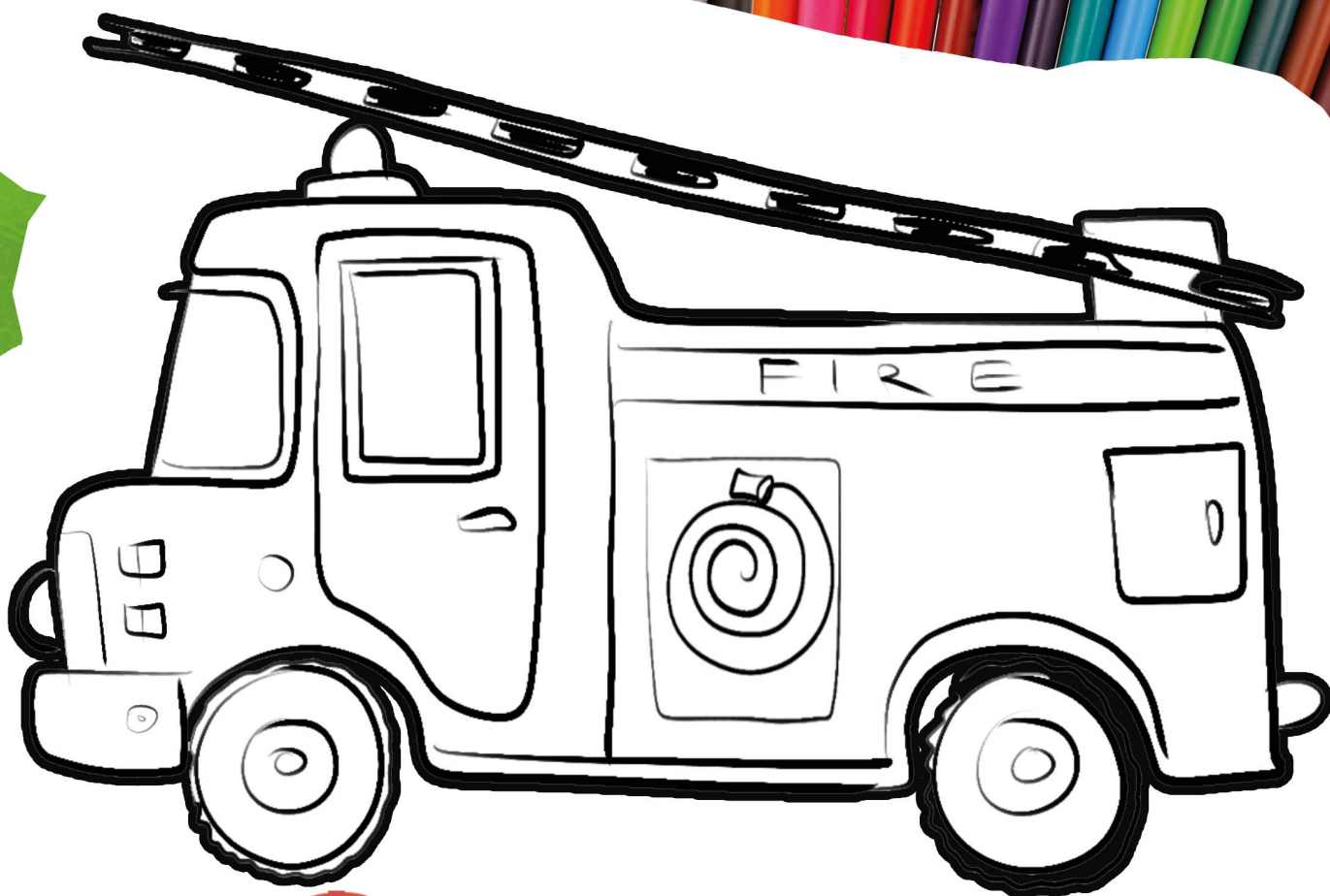
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Can you say  
**a**



NEE NOR,  
NEE NOR  
COLOUR ME IN



FIREMAN BUCK'S  
TRUCK





# ABC

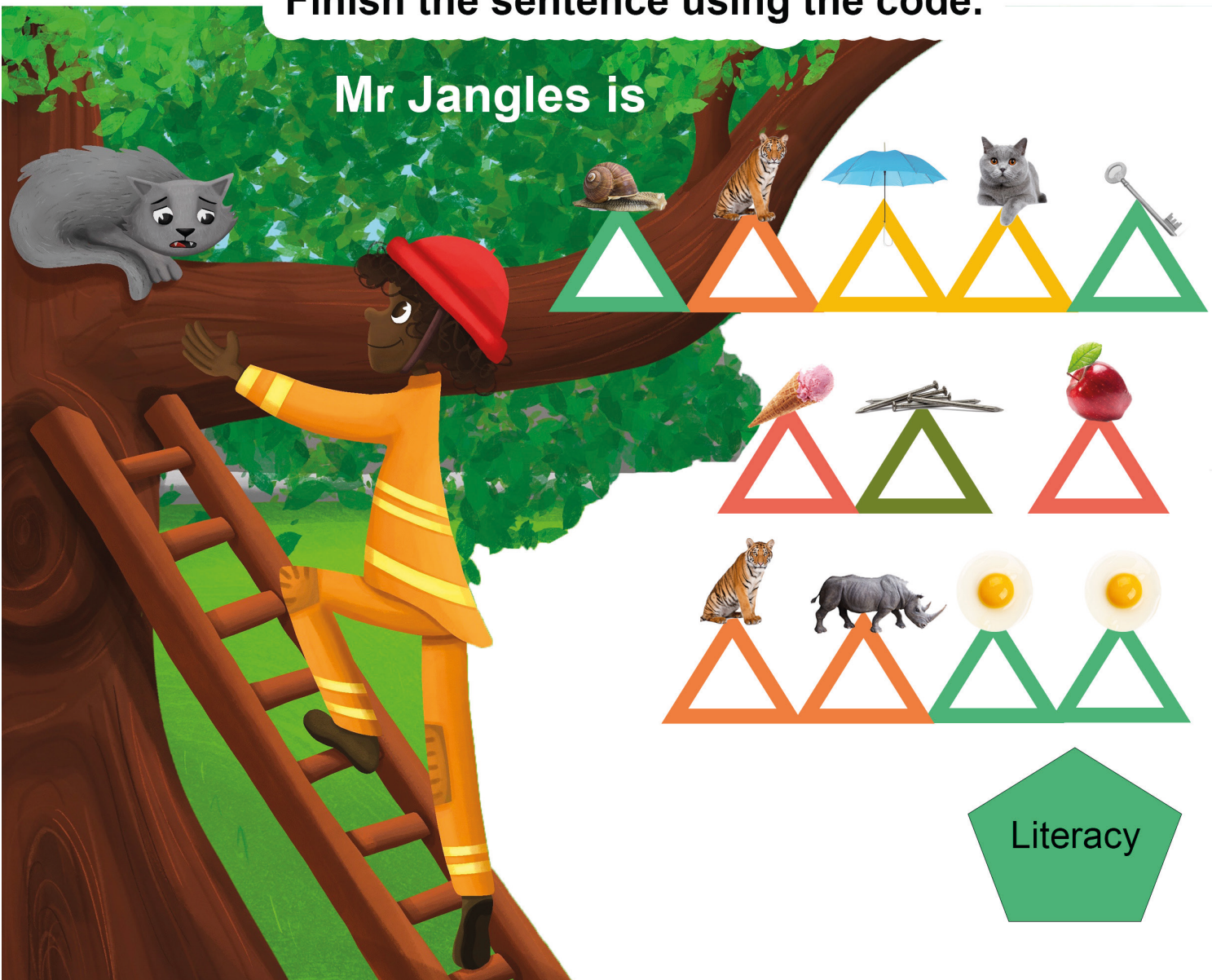
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Can you crack the code?



Finish the sentence using the code.

Mr Jangles is

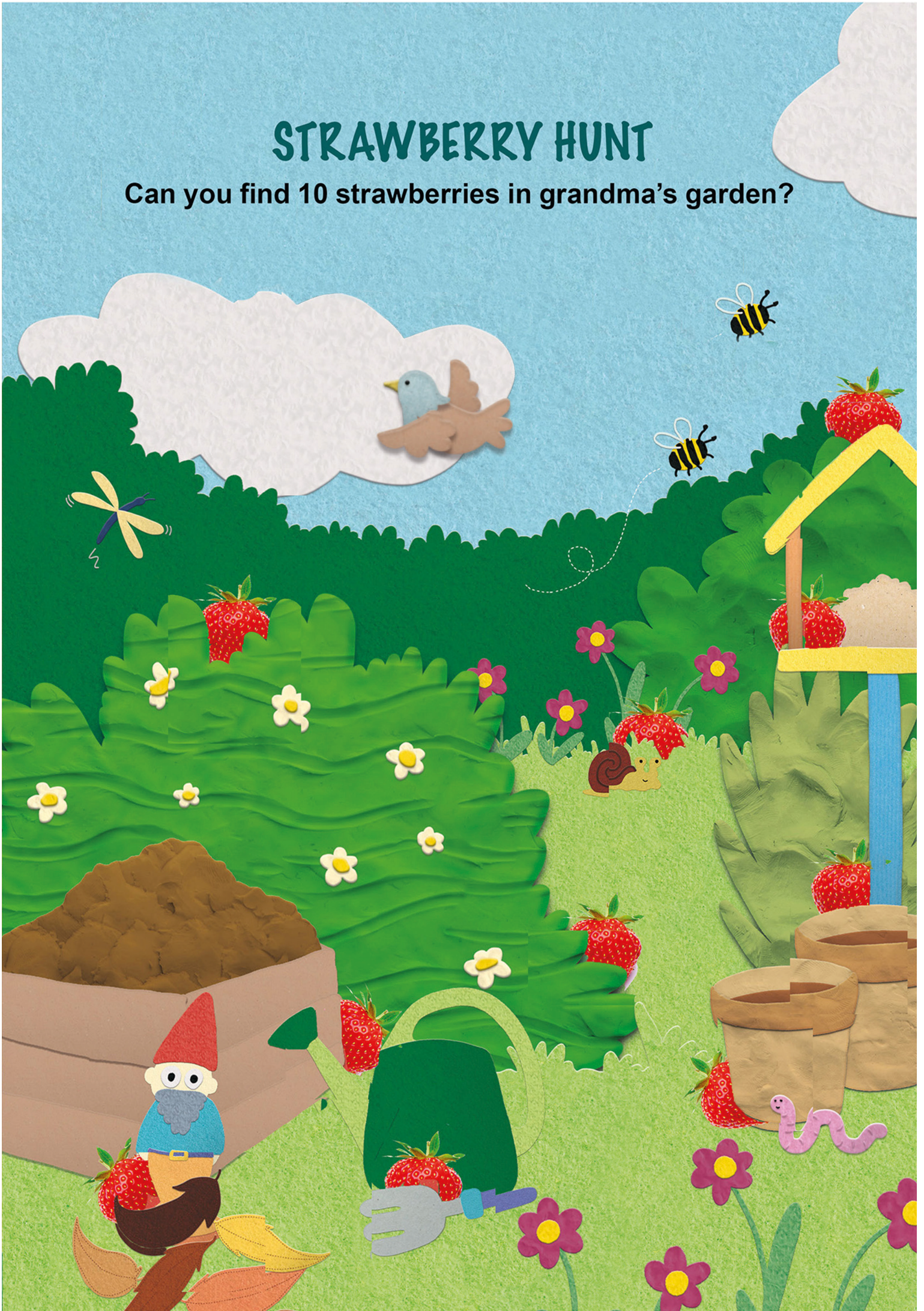


Literacy



# STRAWBERRY HUNT

Can you find 10 strawberries in grandma's garden?





# Garden Wordsearch

Words can be found across, down and diagonally

How many ladybugs  
can you find?

7 8 or 9

STRAWBERRY

GNOME

GARDEN

PLANT POTS

WATERING CAN

~~TREES~~

BIRDS

FLOWERS

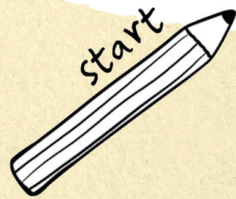
LADYBUG

BUTTERFLY

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# Help Gillie Find the Cake





**Gillie  
Can  
Share**



**Gillie's daddy has baked  
some carrot cookies.**



**Gillie wants to share them.  
Let's see who she  
shares them with.**



**Will it be  
Grandma?**



**Will it be  
Grandpa?**





Hop, hop, hop.  
Hop, hop, hop.

Who's hopping  
with Gillie?

**Where's Gillie off to?**

**Can you  
hop with Gillie?**



Hop, hop, hop.

**FUN FACT**  
Gillie loves  
hopping



Hop, hop, hop.

**Gillie has two cookies for Grandpa, two for  
Grandma and two for mummy.**



Carrot  
Cookies.



Who's picture  
goes here?



**There are another two.  
Who are these for? Can you guess who?**



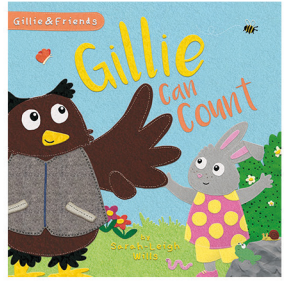
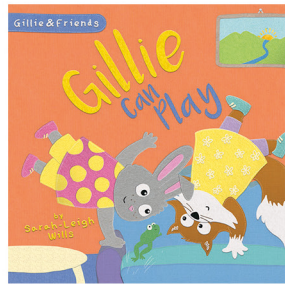
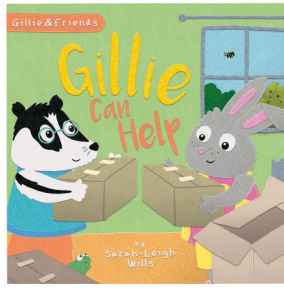
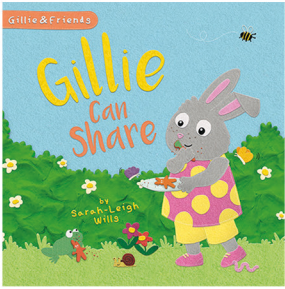


**Gillie eats one of the cookies  
and the other one is**

**FOR YOU!**



**Read More From  
Gillie & Friends**



**Colour  
me in**





POPIN, LET'S SEE WHO'S IN

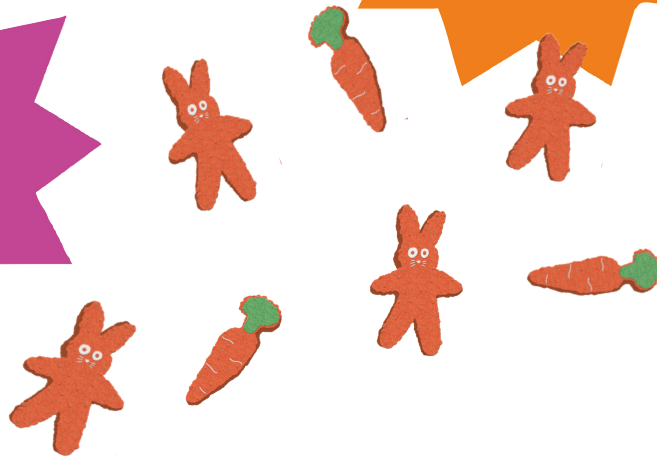
Come in and meet GILLIE.

She has lots of things to do.

Can you help her?

**FUN FACT**  
Gillie loves  
carrot cookies

**FUN FACT**  
Gillie's best  
friend is  
Toad.



Can you draw a line and  
put the 4 cookie bears in  
the basket?



This is Gillie, she loves spending time with her  
Grandpa making things in his garden shed.

Can you help  
them find 6  
hammers?





What stickers can you find to decorate the garden?



# Grandpa's Shed



Gillie & Friends Animation Series







# Counting with Ozzy

How many feathers can you count?





# SIMPLE ADDITION WITH OZZY



Use your fingers to add up the maths.  
How many feathers is Ozzy holding up?

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

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More Fun Maths with Ozzy





# BUBBLE BUDDIES BAY

Looking for Theodore



Based on the books by George D. Lebesis

The Bubble Buddies are relaxing in the bay. Athena is singing and Dimitra is blowing bubbles when Apollo spots Orestis swimming quickly towards them.



## Fun Facts

Clownfish make their homes in reefs

"Help, HELP! I can't find Theo anywhere. He was supposed to meet me at Plato's Play Park an hour ago."

Everyone is worried. Theo, the Urchin, has never been late for a play date before.



The search begins...



Orestis is the first to find poor Theo trapped in some sharp rocks all puffed up in a panic!

"I was rushing, I stumbled, and now I'm trapped!"

## Fun Facts


Female Clownfish can lay up to 100 eggs

"Oh no! Oh no! What can we do to help Theo?"

Dimitra the Octopus suggests they all go and ask Atlas, the wisest fish in the whole of Bubble Buddies Bay!







The Bubble Buddies arrive at Atlas's home. They all call his name excitedly. As a light emerges from the shadows, they all talk over each other trying to explain...


"Calm down, calm down! Let us think... Aha! That's the answer. Theodore is stuck because he is all puffed up and you must help him to *calm down*. Then his body will relax, and he will be free."

Orestis looks at each of his friends. How can they possibly get Theo to calm down?

Then, he looks at Athena, the Flying Fish, and has a brilliant idea!

"I've got it! Athena, you can *sing* to Theo! Your beautiful lullaby is exactly what he needs."





Everyone crosses their fin-gers as Athena starts to sing. Her beautiful voice fills the Mediterranean Sea... and, just as they had hoped, Theo begins to calm down.

Bubble buddies are here for you,  
to swim and play all day through

Theo has always loved Athena's singing and becomes so relaxed that he is finally able to swim right out of the rocks, safe with his Bubble Buddy friends at last!

"Fin-tastic!"



You'll find all the answers throughout the pages.

**FUN FACT  
QUIZ**

WORDS CAN GO ACROSS OR DOWN.

LETTERS ARE SHARED WHEN THE WORDS INTERSECT.

**ACROSS**

- 1 Cora's favourite colour is?
- 3 Cats love to do this.
- 5 Lions live in grasslands and?
- 6 What is a baby kangaroo called?
- 7 Kangaroos cannot do this.
- 9 Clownfish make their homes here.
- 10 Chickens do this when they sleep.
- 12 Gillie loves carrot?
- 14 Gillie loves to do this?
- 16 Horses like what flavour treats?
- 17 Crocodiles can have up to 100?

**DOWN**

- 1 Fireman Buck's first name.
- 2 What female fish can lay up to 100 eggs?
- 4 Princess Kitty's mum is called?
- 8 Spiders do not like the smell of?
- 11 How many legs do spiders have?
- 13 Jabari needs a rubber-ring to help him?
- 15 Cats do this when they are relaxed.
- 18 Chickens don't have?
- 19 Gillie's best friend is?







# Who's hiding here?

Let's find out which fish friend this is!  
Use a pencil to join the dots.  
Now add lots of colours.



## Spot the Shells

Athena has hidden 6 pink shells around her underwater home. Can you find them all?

Colour in your badge when you have finished.





# Take me home

The Bubble Buddies have been on an adventure and can't find their way home!  
Trace the paths to lead each friend to the right house.

Watch out for sea stars blocking the path!



Can you colour these Starfish in 3 different colours?





# Match The Words To The Pictures



Play

Spray

Snail



Birthday Cake



Fairy



Rain

Holiday



Paint



Mail



Hay



Rainbow

Pray





# Wordsearch

Can you find the words?

~~play~~

spray

snail

birthday cake

fairy

rain

holiday

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# Two Player Game

You need colour pencils and a dice, you'll find this on the craft sheet.





# Roll and Colour Challenge

Choose who to be, player 1 or player 2 and take turns to roll the dice and colour the numbers.

The player to finish their picture first, wins the game.



Who is player 1.....

Who is player 2.....

Who is the winner?

Write the number of the player on the cup





# Princess Kitty & Luna



## A ROYAL BIRTHDAY



Princess Kitty is an unordinary princess. She has big red hair, she wears dungarees and little yellow boots.

What sport is Kitty doing?



She likes to paint, play tennis, ride bikes, play the trumpet and read.



What instrument is Kitty playing?

Kitty usually has a long list of things she'd like for her birthday. But this year she didn't want a thing!





**“Nothing?”** said the Queen.



**“Nothing?”** repeated the King.

This baffled the royal house-hold, the King and Queen, the butler, the maid and the cook didn't know what to do!

They thought and thought  
and thought  
some more.

Then the King had an idea.

“A pony!” he said, “and it will be the finest pony in all the land.”



**Fun Facts**







On the Princess's birthday, Cook had baked her the biggest cake you'd ever seen. Everyone came to surprise Kitty with her special birthday gift.

Her friends from school, the maid, Cook, the butler, the King and Queen.

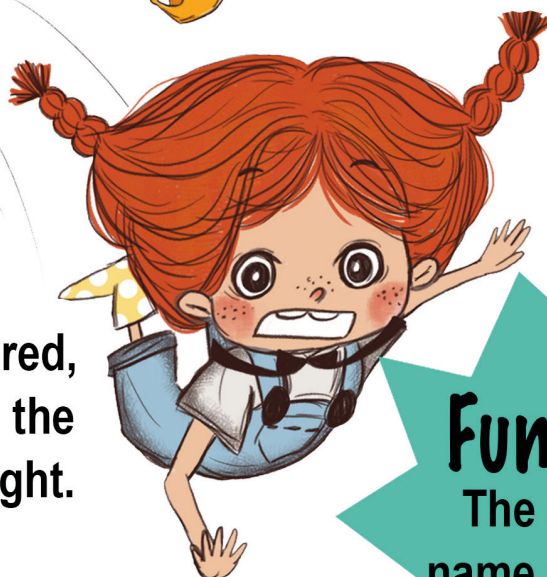


**"Surprise!"**

they all cheered.



Yet, the surprise they cheered, surprised the surprise and the poor pony kicked out in fright.



**Fun Facts**  
The Queen's,  
name is Beatrice





**Kitty flew UP, Up, Up...until she splattered straight into the cake!**

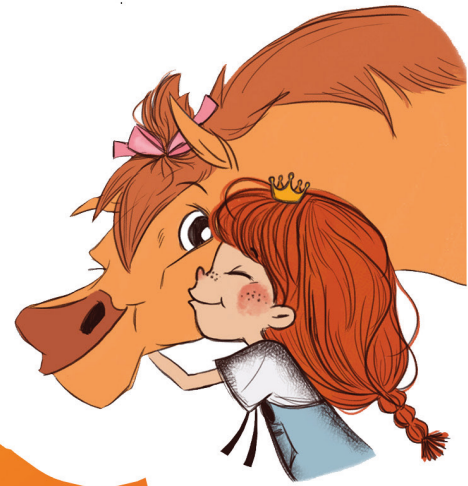


**Everyone watched in horror!  
"Oh NO!"**

**Just then, from the bottom of the pile, came a giggle.**

**The giggle got louder and louder,  
and turned into a laugh.**

**Then everyone started to laugh!**



**"Happy Birthday!"  
said The King and Queen**

**"I love her," said Kitty,  
"I will call her**

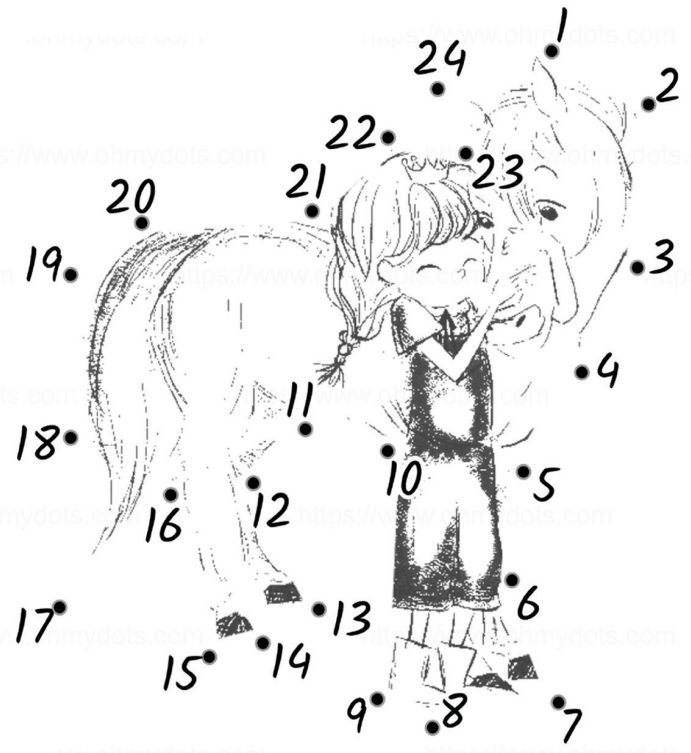
**Luna"**







Join the dots and add colour.



Draw and colour the missing parts.



How Many Can You SPY?

- Books
- Blue Kites
- Group of Pencils
- Kittens
- Yellow Kites
- Rabbits



# ABC

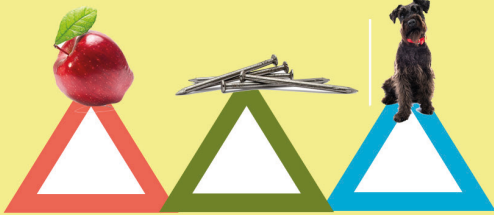
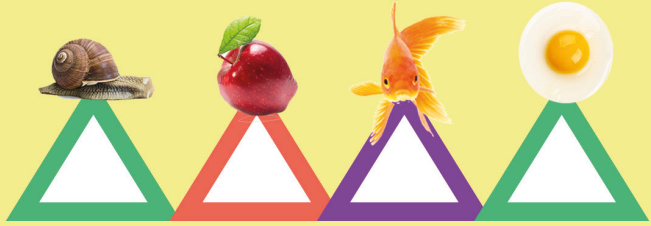
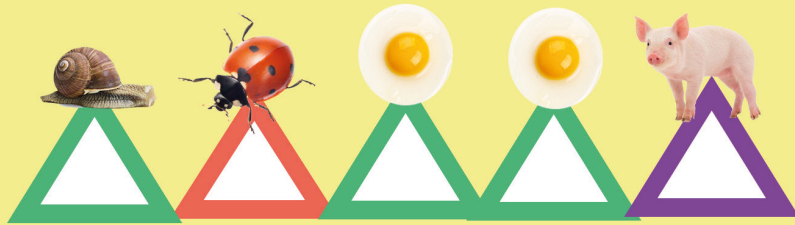
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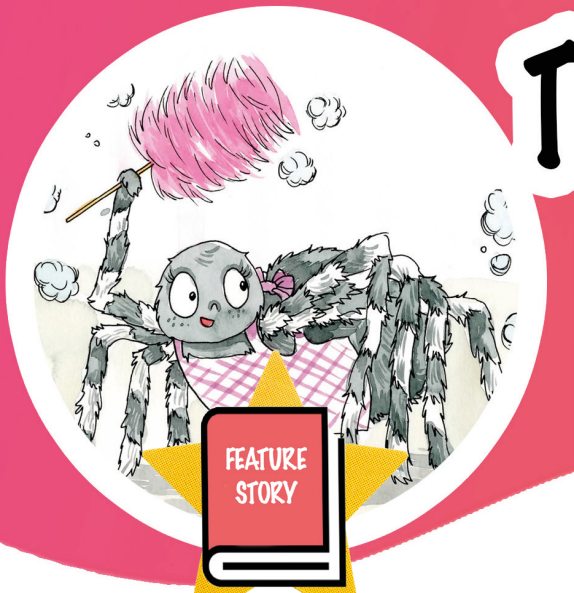
Finish the sentence using the code.

### Chuck and the cheeky chickens





# The Tidy Spidey



Books By Craig McCann  
Illustrated by Sarah-Leigh Wills



Daddy wasn't happy, not happy at all. He'd checked the children's bedrooms and was frankly appalled.



The rooms were a mess, that was for sure. He couldn't remember when he'd last seen the floor!

The children emerged from their piles of squalor. Daddy was really starting to holler.

Daddy despaired and looked to the heavens. But then a thought struck him, and he paused for a second.

"It's time I told you all of the Tidy Spidey."

## Fun Fact

Spiders have eight legs

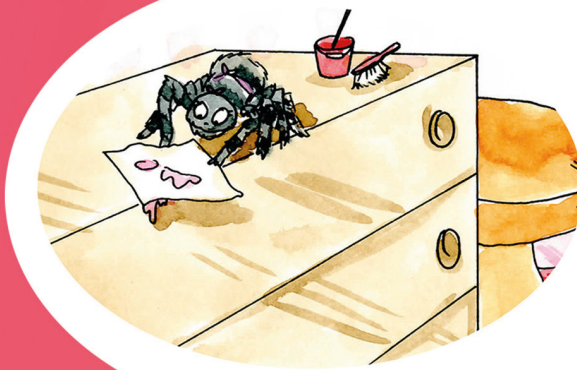




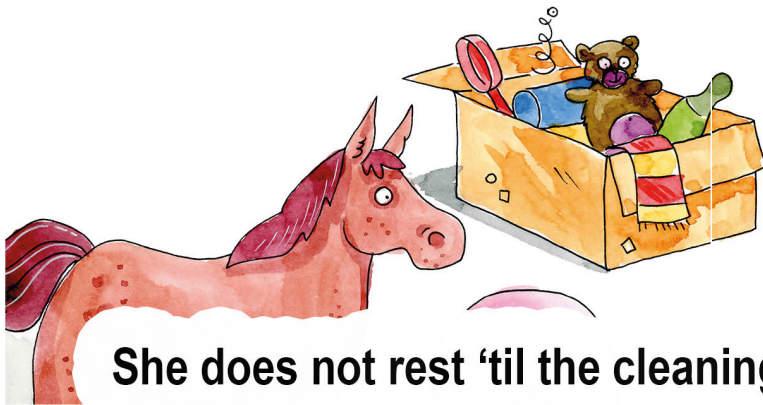
Who did you think keeps your rooms nice and tidy?

Not mummy or daddy. That's down to Spidey.

She creeps in while you're at school or asleep in your bed,  
And sets about to cleaning at the end of a thread.



By silky thread she leaps around your room,  
She dances, she prances, using duster and  
broom. With each leg, she carries a tool  
of her trade, a mop, bucket, brushes  
and even a spade.



She does not rest 'til the cleaning's done. You see for Spidey;  
the chores are fun. Round and round and round she goes,  
Tidying everything from your toys to your clothes.



“Well that doesn't sound so bad”  
the children grinned.  
Maybe we should make more mess  
for her to clean!



**“Aha! You might think that but here’s the rub.  
When she’s done with the tidying,  
she steals your stuff!”**



**The children were shocked. “Spidey’s a thief?” Daddy, but Daddy,  
it’s beyond belief! They looked at their precious toys aghast,  
“Why would she pinch our things?” they asked.**

**“It’s true said Dad, for that’s the trade,  
If she cleans your room, she must be paid.  
She marvels at all that you hold dear,  
Your trains, your dolls, even your bear”**



**When the job is done and  
your room’s tidye more.  
She takes what she wants  
and heads for the door.**



**Fun Fact**

**Spiders hate the  
smell of  
lemons**





The children look at each another  
and then at their rooms.  
We really have a lot of tidying to do!

“I’ll leave you to it.”  
said dad, a grin on his face.

Can you find EIGHT red socks?





# Ready For Adventure ?

Time to get up and get active - How many jumps can you do?

**SkipinRoo**, I'm a magical Roo,

I skip to adventures, **You** can come too.

I bounce to the left, **Bounce With Me**

I bounce to the right, **1,2,3.**

Spin right round, **CAN YOU** jump up high,

We'll have some fun, **sing and play.**

I'd like for you to jump with me,

How many **jumps** will it be?

**1, 2, 3, 4, 5...**



Ariah, aged 7 - wants to explore the jungle and see the animals.



## FUN FACT

A baby  
Kangaroo  
is called a Joey.



Where will SkipinRoo's magical skipping rope take her next?

Each time SkipinRoo jumps and skips with her magical rope, she transports to a different place. Roo loves to make new friends and loves adventure.

## WHAT ADVENTURE WOULD YOU JUMP INTO?

Draw SkipinRoo a picture and it could feature in her next adventure.

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Myla, aged 4 - wants to swing in the jungle with the monkeys.



### FUN FACT

Because of their big feet and tails, Kangaroos can't go backwards.



## Jumping Into A Roaring Adventure

SkipinRoo is off to see her friend Jabari the lion. His name means 'Brave', but Jabari isn't very brave at all.

Lions like water to cool off and are generally good swimmers, but poor Jabari is scared of the water.

### FUN FACT

Roo brought Jabari a pink rubber-ring to help him swim

Lions are wary of crocodiles and will generally avoid swimming in the water to stay away from the snapping crocs.



## **FUN FACT**

The lion is referred to as the "king of the jungle," but they actually only live in grasslands and plains.

Lions are known as the Kings Of The Jungle because of their power and strength.

**Can you roar like a lion?**



Lions do not live in jungles because they are too dense and there is not enough open space for them to roam and hunt.

## **FUN FACT**

Lions have 30 teeth but crocodiles have twice as many. They have between 60 - 100 teeth.





# Play The Jungle Run.

Throw the dice and move your counter forward by the number of spaces shown. If your counter lands at the bottom of a ladder, you can climb up to the top. If your counter lands on the head of a snake, you must slide down to the bottom.

The first player to get to the finish is the winner.

