

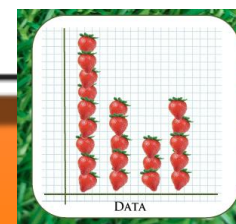


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Who walked Meghan Markle down the aisle at the recent Royal Wedding?

- a. Prince Charles
- b. her father
- c. her mother

a. Prince Charles - Meghan Markle's father was meant to walk her down the aisle but suffered a heart attack a few days before the wedding and could not travel to the United Kingdom. So Prince Harry's father escorted her down the aisle instead.



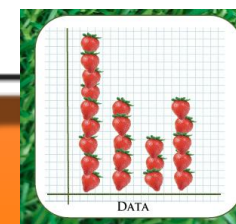


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True or false, invited guests to the Royal Wedding included Serena Williams, David Beckham and George Clooney?

True - The guest list included family and celebrities from both side of the Atlantic, but did not include politicians and world leaders.





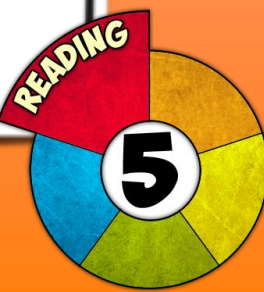
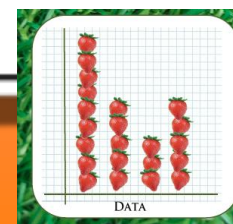
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What was the name of the venue used for the Royal Wedding ceremony?

- a. St George's Chapel
- b. Westminster Abbey
- c. St Paul's Cathedral

a. St George's Chapel - Like Harry, Princess Eugenie and fiancé Jack Brooksbank will marry at the chapel inside Windsor Castle later this year. St George's Chapel has hosted Royal weddings for centuries - including that of Prince Charles and Camilla in 2005.





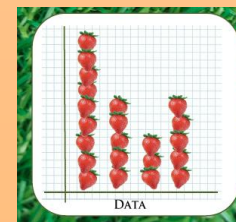
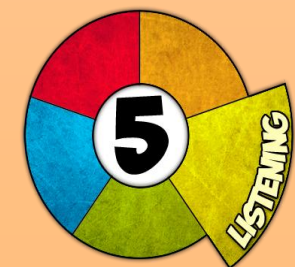


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Which team is shown here?  
a. Manchester City    b. Chelsea    c.  
Manchester United

b. Chelsea - Eden Hazard ensured Chelsea's lacklustre season ended on a high note by securing the FA Cup in a 1-0 victory over Manchester United in the final on Saturday.



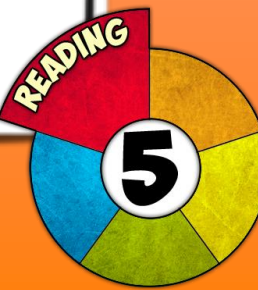
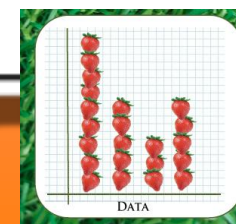


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In what year did Prince William marry Kate Middleton?

- a. 2011
- b. 2013
- c. 2015

a. 2011 - The Duke and Duchess of Cambridge got married on 29 April 2011 at Westminster Abbey. Prince Harry was the Best Man and the Maid of Honour was Pippa Middleton.





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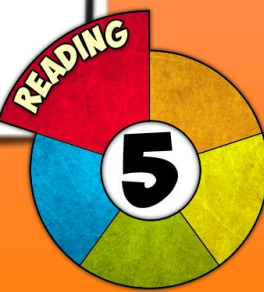
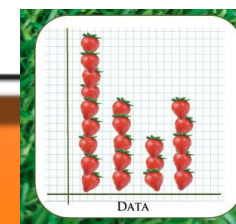


A Japanese rail company has apologised to its customers after a train ...?

- a. left the station 25 seconds early
- b. ploughed into another train

c. stopped suddenly due to a fault in the emergency system

a. left the station 25 seconds early - The operator said the "great inconvenience we placed upon our customers was truly inexcusable". Japan has a reputation for having an extremely efficient and reliable transport network.







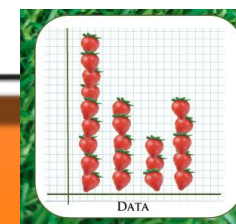
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What has recently been banned in GCSE and A-Level examinations across England, Wales and Northern Ireland?

- a. wrist watches
- b. water bottles
- c. purple pens

a. wrist watches - Pupils are being told to remove watches from their wrists before taking GCSE and A-level exams, to combat cheating. In most cases, students are being told to place them on their desks, but invigilators can demand they are left outside the exam hall. The new rule was introduced to prevent pupils trying to pass off smartwatches - which have long been banned - as normal ones.



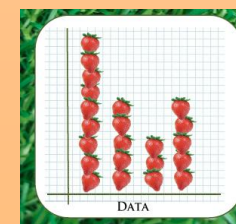
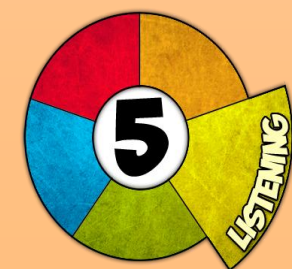


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In which major world city would you find this landmark?

New York - The Statue of Liberty is located on Liberty Island and symbolizes the American values of freedom and democracy. The copper statue was a gift from the people of France to the people of the United States and was completed in 1886.







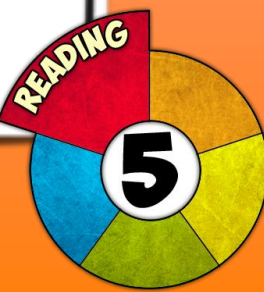
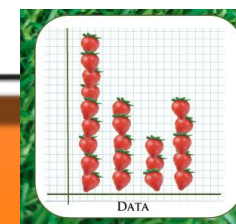
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A drug originally intended to treat brittle bone disease has been named as a potential new cure for what?

- a. asthma
- b. baldness
- c. short-sightedness

b. baldness - A potential new cure for baldness has been discovered using a drug originally intended to treat osteoporosis. Researchers found the drug had a dramatic effect on hair follicles in the lab, stimulating them to grow.





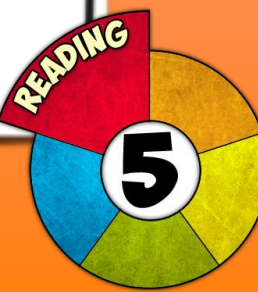
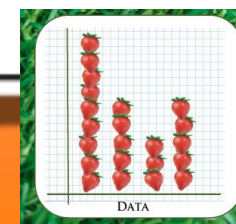
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A Danish company has invented ...?

- a. a product for creating road surfaces that never break down
- b. underwear that doesn't need washing for two weeks
- c. a pill that prevents 90 percent of sun damage to skin

b. underwear that doesn't need washing for two weeks - Silver woven into the fabric kills 99.9 per cent of bacteria, fungi, and other microbes.

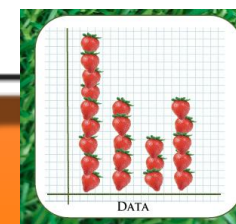




Why has the New Look clothing chain been criticised in the news recently?

- a. they were charging more for children's' sizes compared to adult sizes
- b. they were caught dumping tonnes of unsold brand new clothing
- c. they were charging more for large sizes compared to smaller sizes

c. they were charging more for large sizes compared to smaller sizes - The fashion company is reviewing its prices after an outcry that some larger-sized clothes were more expensive than those in smaller sizes. A shopper posted pricetags online showing trousers in its Curves range cost 15% more than the same pair in the main collection.





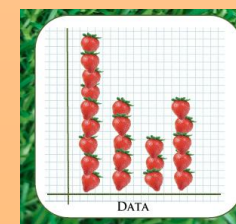
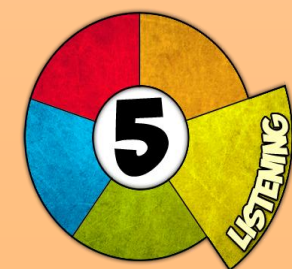


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Which famous building is visible in the background of this celebration?  
a. Windsor Castle    b. The Tower of London  
c. Buckingham Palace

a. Windsor Castle - The castle is a residence of the Royal Family and was the setting for the Royal Wedding between Prince Harry and Meghan Markle. It is estimated that 1 billion people around the world tuned in to watch the spectacle.

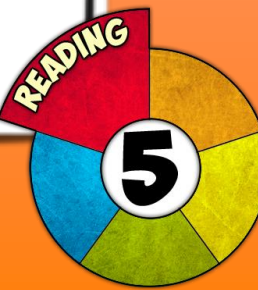
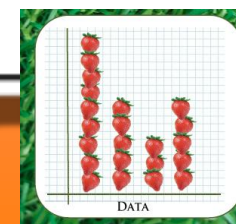




Which European country is to get its first Starbucks?

- a. Italy
- b. Finland
- c. Luxembourg

a. Italy - Italy has a proud coffee tradition. The first Italian store of the US coffee chain will be in Milan. The company chairman has said: “We are not coming here to teach Italians how to make coffee”. Other European nations without Starbucks include Malta and Iceland

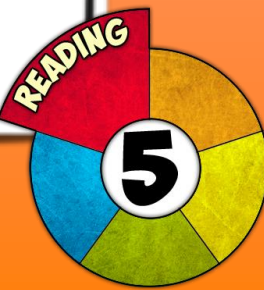
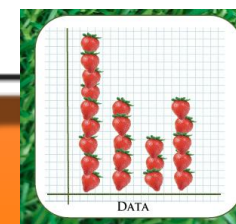




Which television programme won the prestigious Best Drama trophy at the recent 2018 BAFTA Television Awards?

- a. Peaky Blinders
- b. Line of Duty
- c. The Crown

a. Peaky Blinders - The 1920s gang epic had one nomination for this year's awards, but managed to win the coveted prize for best drama series.





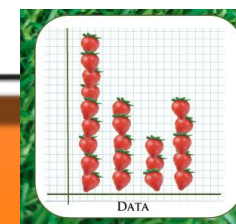


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In a tragic accident 110 people lost their lives in a plane crash in Havana. Havana is the capital city of which island nation?

- a. Bermuda
- b. Cuba
- c. Mauritius

b. Cuba - The Mexican charter company whose plane crashed in Havana, killing 110 people, has been the subject of two serious complaints about its crews' performances over the past decade.



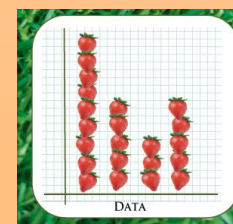
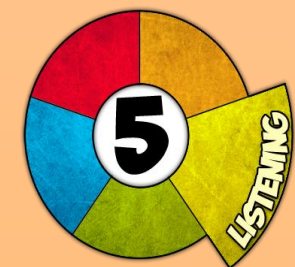


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Which country has this flag?  
a. Turkey   b. Singapore   c. Indonesia

Singapore

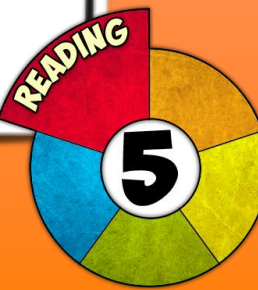
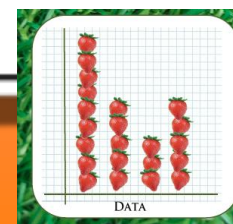




What problem are authorities in India concerned about with the Taj Mahal?

- a. engineers think it is vulnerable to earthquakes
- b. it seems to be changing colour
- c. walls are wearing away from tourists taking pieces of the building as souvenirs

b. it seems to be changing colour - India's Supreme Court has instructed the government to seek foreign help to fix what it described as a worrying change in colour at the Taj Mahal. The court said the famous palace, built in the 17th Century from white marble and other materials, had turned yellow and was now turning brown and green.



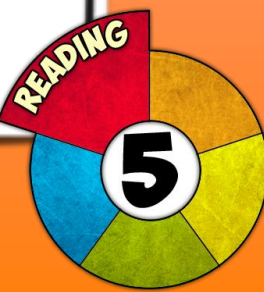
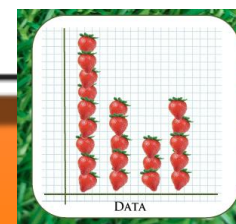




Who earns the most money each year and tops the 'Rich List' for UK singers and musicians?

- a. Adele
- b. Ed Sheeran
- c. Paul McCartney
- d. Elton John

c. Paul McCartney - Ed Sheeran and Adele are lower down the list which is dominated by golden oldies. Sir Paul McCartney is top on £820m. Elton John is ranked 4th with £300m. Calvin Harris is the only new entry in the top 20 on £140m, up £20m. And Rita Ora has joined the list of the wealthiest young musicians, with £16m.

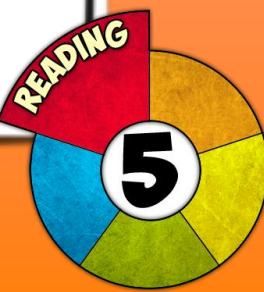
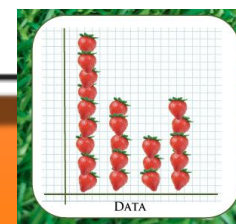




What is the capital city of Australia?

- a. Canberra
- b. Sydney
- c. Melbourne

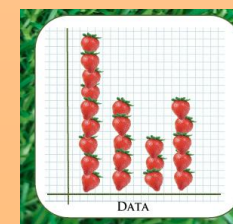
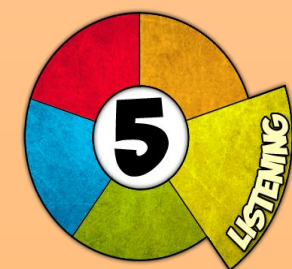
a. Canberra





What is the name of the performer on the right?

SuRie - The UK singer soldiered through her performance to finish 24th at Eurovision despite being interrupted by a stage invader.





**The End**