



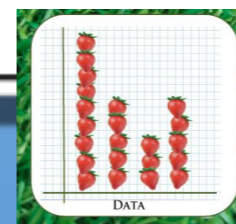
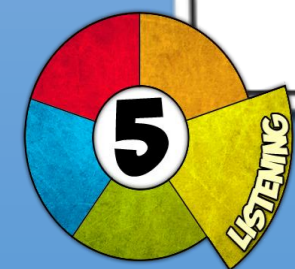
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Were clocks and watches put forward or back one hour with the change to British Summer Time (BST)?

- a. forward one hour
- b. back one hour

a. forward one hour - The easiest way to remember is ‘Spring forward, Fall back’ (fall means autumn in the US)





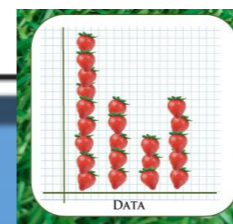
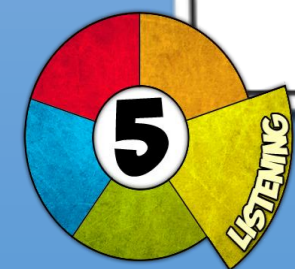
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The European Union parliament have overwhelmingly voted to impose a wide-ranging ban on ...?

- a. all whaling
- b. single-use plastics
- c. smoking in public (including parks and beaches)

b. single-use plastics - The ban would affect a range of plastic products for which reasonable alternatives exist, from straws to earbuds, starting in 2021. The EU estimated the changes will cost the bloc's economy 259 million euros to 695 million euros a year (\$NZ291 million-\$NZ781 million).





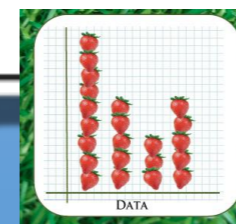
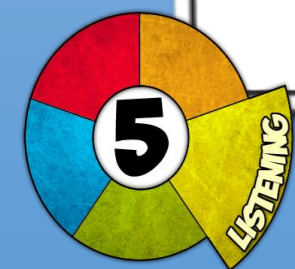
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At which station did a protester waving an England flag disrupt the Eurostar train service at the weekend?

- a. St Pancras
- b. King's Cross
- c. Waterloo

a. St Pancras - Power to the overhead lines was switched off, so trains could not enter or leave St Pancras. A man was arrested for trespass and obstruction of the railway. It follows a day where thousands of people protested in central London over delays to Brexit.



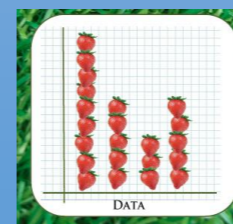
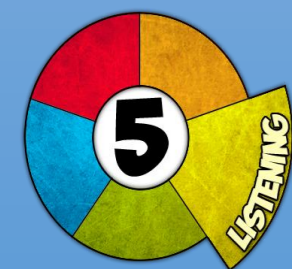


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Where in the world would you find this landmark building?
a. Dubai b. Taiwan c. Shanghai

b. Taiwan - Taipei 101 is the tallest building in Taiwan and was the tallest building in the world from 2004 until the 2010 completion of the Burj Khalifa in Dubai. The design is meant to reflect the properties of bamboo.





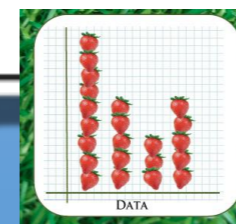
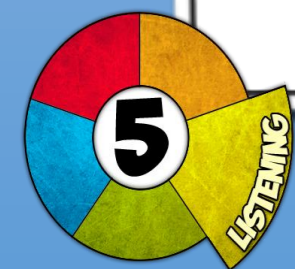
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Why was NASA's first all-female spacewalk scrapped?

- a. one of the astronauts fell ill
- b. there was a problem with too much space junk at the time
- c. there was not enough smaller space suits on the space station

c. there was not enough smaller space suits on the space station - Astronaut Anne McClain was supposed to float out of the International Space Station last Friday with newly arrived Christina Koch, to replace old batteries. But McClain pulled herself from the lineup because there's not enough time to get two medium suits ready for them.



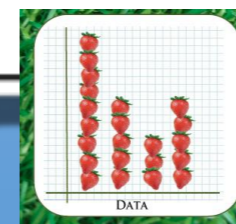
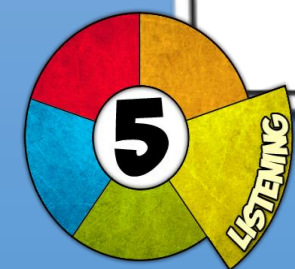


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How much has the UK government spent to buy a New York apartment for a British diplomat to live in while he negotiates trade deals with the US?

- a. £2 million
- b. £6 million
- c. £12 million

c. £12 million - Boasting panoramic views, the seven-bedroom flat occupies the entire 38th-floor of 50 United Nations Plaza. The Foreign Office said it secured the best possible deal and that the apartment "will help promote the UK in the commercial capital of our largest export market for years to come".





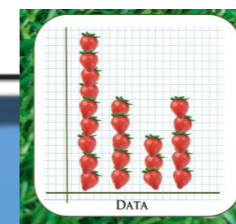
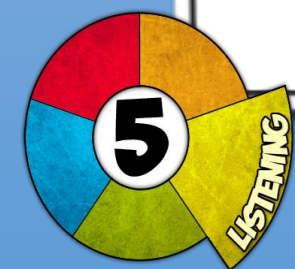
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What has been introduced in a New York county to combat an outbreak of measles?

- a. they have banned unvaccinated children from public places
- b. they have set up vaccination stations on the streets
- c. they are giving out McDonalds vouchers to people who get vaccinated

a. they have banned unvaccinated children from public places
- Rockland County is experiencing New York state's longest measles outbreak since the disease was officially eliminated from the United States in 2000. Over 150 people have contracted the disease so far.



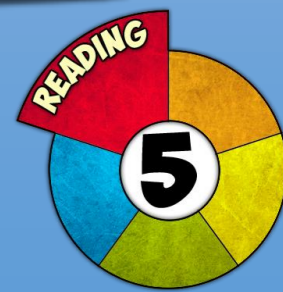
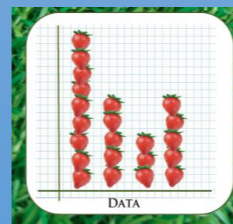
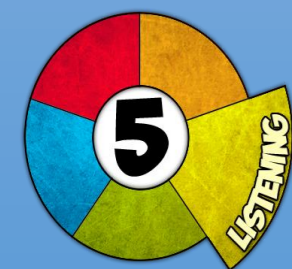


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What is the name of this iconic British band that has been in the news?

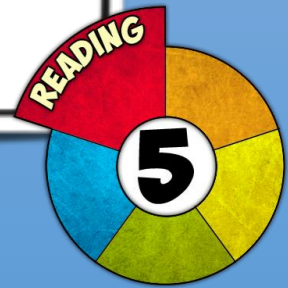
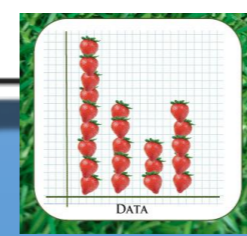
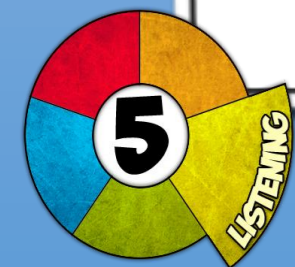
The Rolling Stones - The Rolling Stones have postponed their 'No Filter' tour of the US and Canada because Mick Jagger has fallen ill. The 75 year old singer apologised directly to fans on Instagram and Twitter.





Shares in tech company Lyft jumped over 20% after being listed on the stock exchange, valuing the company at around \$30 billion. What type of tech company is Lyft?
a. a holiday booking website
b. a ride-sharing company
c. a battery manufacturer

b. a ride-sharing company - This stock market listing has generated interest as a number of technology flotations are expected later this year, including Lyft's bigger rival Uber which could be valued at as much as \$120bn when it lists its shares.

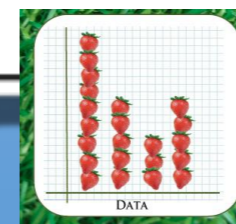
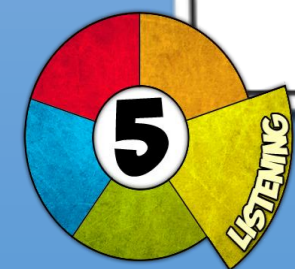




Why were passengers on board a British Airways flight from London to Germany, surprised last week?

- a. they were hit by lightning during the flight which shut down the engines temporarily
- b. the plane accidentally landed in Scotland
- c. they shared the plane with Prince William and Kate

b. the plane accidentally landed in Scotland - The airline said today the problem started when an incorrect flight plan was filed. The flight was refuelled and set off again, this time directly to Duesseldorf, Germany.

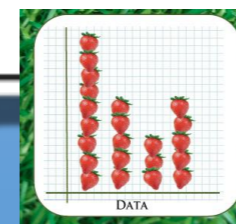
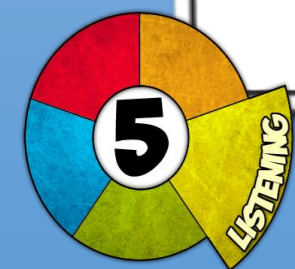




Apple has announced that it is launching its own TV streaming service and ...?

- a. a driverless car
- b. its own credit card
- c. a new gaming console

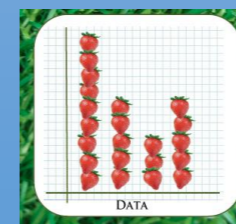
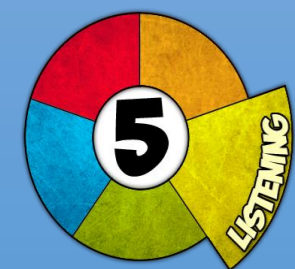
b. its own credit card - Apple has announced that it is launching its own credit card, Apple Card. There will be both an iPhone and physical version. The Apple TV+ app is an ad-free service will launch in the autumn.





Which Premier League club has just opened this new £1 billion stadium?
a. Tottenham Hotspur b. West Ham United
c. Crystal Palace

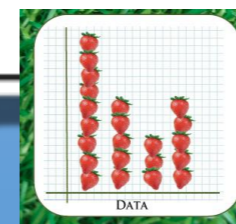
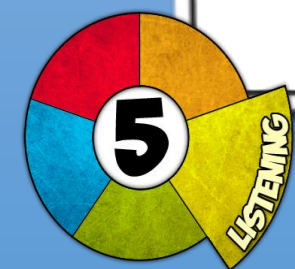
a. Tottenham Hotspur - Tottenham Hotspur Stadium has been built on the site of the club's White Hart Lane ground. Tottenham played Southampton in an Under-18 game in the first official test event at the 62,000-seater arena.





True or false, an investigation by the US Justice Department found that there was no evidence that President Donald Trump's campaign "conspired or coordinated" with Russia to influence the 2016 presidential election?

True - Robert Mueller wrapped up his nearly two year investigation recently. The investigation highlighted Russia's assault on the American political system and suggested the Trump campaign was eager to exploit the release of hacked Democratic emails to hurt Democrat Hillary Clinton.

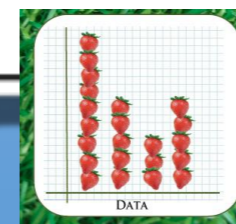
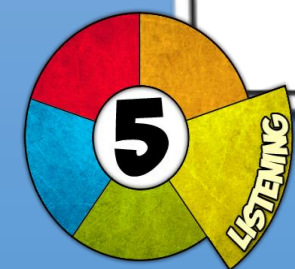




Which music artist recently revealed that they used to cry nearly everyday during primary school because of bullying?

- a. Justin Bieber
- b. Katy Perry
- c. Ed Sheeran

c. Ed Sheeran - Ed Sheeran was bullied "every day" at school for being ginger, having a stutter, and wearing glasses. He said when he got older he kind of loved looking a bit quirky. Sheeran said, "I got to high school, started playing guitar and joined a band. Music is one of those things that can give you confidence".

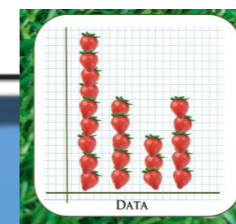
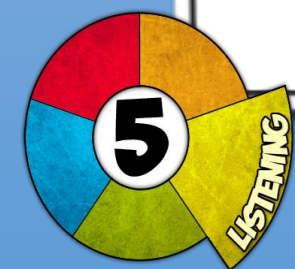




A free diver has just claimed the world record for the deepest human dive under ice. How deep did he dive?

- a. 45 metres
- b. 70 metres
- c. 175 metres

b. 70 metres - Overseen by Guinness World Records, the New Zealand-born diver reached his target, saying that it was more difficult than anticipated.



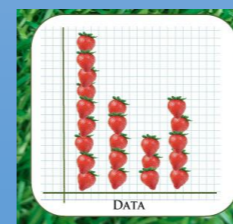
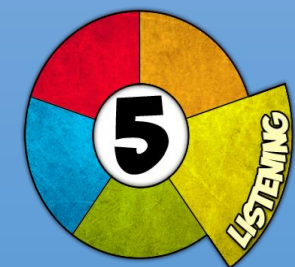


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Which country has this flag?

Nepal

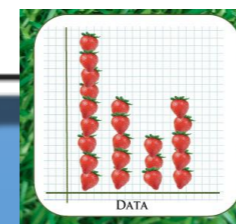
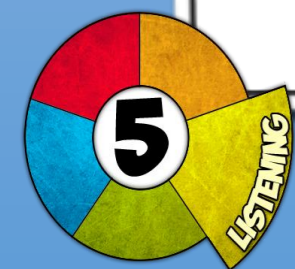




Why was a painting by Italian artist Botticelli in our news this week?

- a. It was discovered to be a fake
- b. It sold for a UK record amount at auction
- c. It was thought to be a fake but was confirmed as a Botticelli original

c. It was thought to be a fake but was confirmed as a Botticelli original - Experts cleaning a supposed imitation of a Botticelli painting discovered it was actually created in the artist's own studio. The Renaissance work was thought to be a copy of the Madonna of the Pomegranate, painted in 1487.

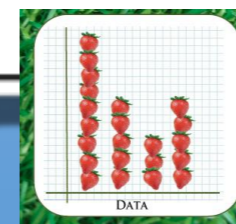
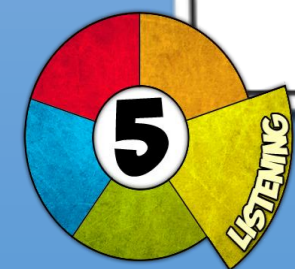




The Prince of Wales and Duchess of Cornwall have been attending events in the Caribbean city of Havana. For which country is Havana the capital city?

- a. Jamaica
- b. Cuba
- c. Bermuda

b. Cuba - It's the first time members of the royal family have made an official visit to the country.

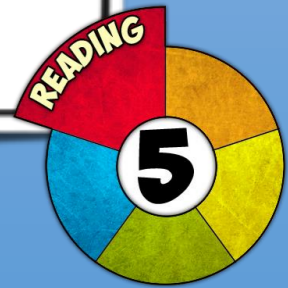
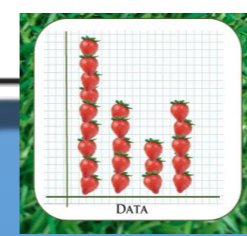
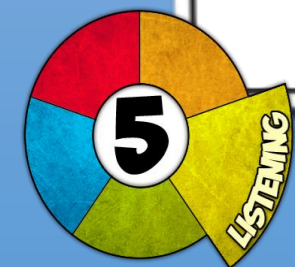




Which football team has equalled the record for the earliest relegation in a Premier League season?

- a. Huddersfield
- b. Fulham
- c. Cardiff City

a. Huddersfield - The Terriers' defeat, combined with victories for Burnley and Southampton, confirmed the visitors' demotion back to the Championship.



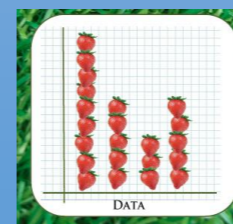
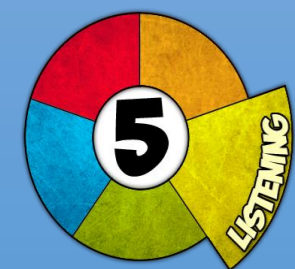


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What is the last name of this well-known British man?

Peake - Tim Peake was chosen by the Scouts Association to help launch their new science badge. The British Astronaut and Scouts Ambassador says this badge will make science accessible to young people.





The End

