

Easter Egg Hunt

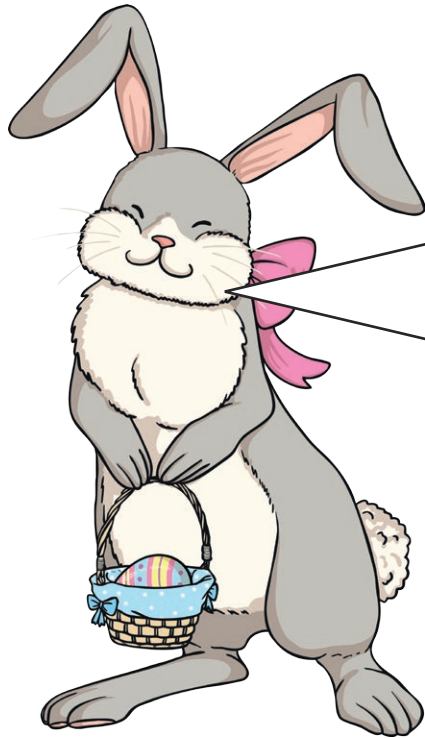
Problem Solving Game



The Easter Bunny has hidden an egg for you but he has made it very difficult to find! Use your literacy skills to solve the puzzles and eliminate the possible hiding places. If you are clever and careful there will be just one hiding place left where you will find your Easter Egg!

Location	Preposition		Adjective	Noun
outside	on	the	green	table
inside	in	the	old	bathroom
inside	next to	the	dusty	book
outside	behind	the	black	bench
inside	beside	the	fluffy	towel
outside	above	the	shiny	tap
outside	near	the	clear	pond
inside	beside	the	dull	vase
inside	on	the	empty	plate
inside	in	the	scratched	drawer
outside	next to	the	red	plant pot
inside	behind	the	broken	glass
inside	under	the	wooden	chair
outside	above	the	yellow	bucket
inside	behind	the	beautiful	painting
inside	beside	the	fancy	bowl

Clue number 1 – Inside or Outside?



How many capital letters are missing from the piece of writing below? 10 or more and your egg is hidden outside, less than 10 and your egg is hidden inside!

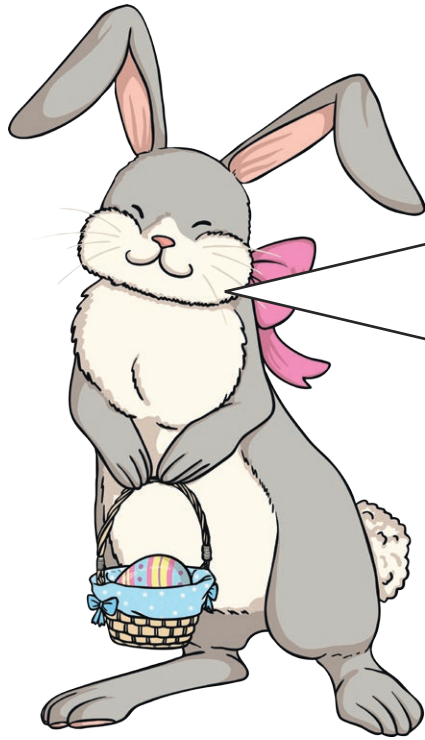
if you want to find something you must not give up. Once i lost my ball and my friend dave found it because he kept looking for a long time. when it is time to hunt for eggs on sunday i will be really careful. i will also have to be quick before my sister cora finds them all. I hope I find some chocolate eggs and i hope you do too.



If you have found less than 10 missing capital letters, cross out all the outside hiding places.

If you have found more than 10 missing capital letters, cross out all the inside hiding places.

Clue 2 – Right or Wrong?

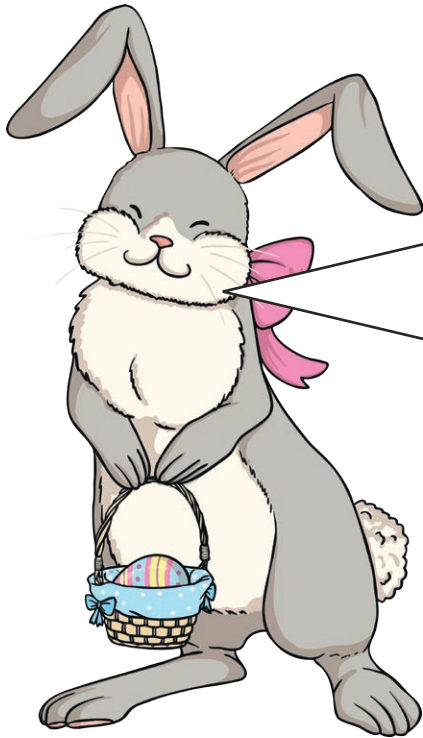


How many of the words below are spelled correctly? Your answer will tell you how many letters are in the preposition for the hiding place of your egg. I'll let you check the spellings any way you want.

ribon	carrot	ears	fluffee
eg	bunnee	bonnit	boiled
Sunday	spring	chocolate	eester
chick	baskit	becose	hideing

E.g. if you find 5 correct spellings cross out all of the hiding places except those with prepositions which contain 5 letters.

Clue 3 – Adjectives Count



Remember, adjectives are describing words. Read the sentences below, underline the adjectives in each sentence and write down how many adjectives there are in each one. Then count how many there are altogether to find out which letter the adjective clue begins with.

1. The old car drove down the long dusty road. _____
2. The yellow chick went to sleep. _____
3. The hungry brown bear followed the red car. _____
4. Danny dived into the cool blue water. _____
5. Amir went for a long sleep. _____
6. The new car had shiny blue seats. _____

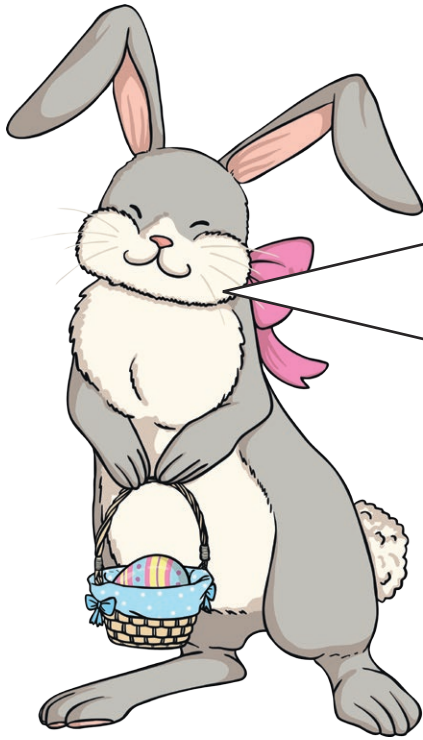
Total number of adjectives _____

If the total number is 12, the adjective begins with a 'd'.

If the total number is 13, the adjective begins with a 'f'.

If the total number is 14, the adjective begins with a 'b'.

Clue 4 – Find the Nouns



Remember, nouns are naming words. For your final challenge study the wordsearch below carefully and look for any words that are nouns. The nouns go either across or down but not diagonally or backwards. The number of nouns you find will be the number of letters in the noun where your egg is hidden – good luck!

F	P	B	T	M	O	L
L	X	U	V	Q	S	B
O	U	N	Q	V	P	L
W	Y	N	C	A	R	D
E	P	Y	T	U	I	V
R	S	G	S	G	N	P
X	Z	A	E	G	G	M

E.g. if you find four nouns in the grid, there are four letters in the noun for the hiding place

Well done! Happy Easter!

Answers

Clue 1 – Inside or Outside

if you want to find something you must not give up. Once i lost my ball and my friend dave found it because he kept looking for a long time. when it is time to hunt for eggs on sunday i will be really careful. i will also have to be quick before my sister cora finds them all. I hope I find some chocolate eggs and i hope you do too.

9 Missing capital letters = Egg is inside!

Clue 2 – Right or Wrong?

Correct spellings are circled.

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eg	bunnee	bonnit	boiled
Sunday	spring	chocolate	eester
chick	basket	becose	hideing

6 correct spellings so the preposition has 6 letters. Cross out all the hiding places which have prepositions which do not contain 6 letters.

Clue 3 – Adjectives Count

- The old car drove down the long dusty road. 3
- The yellow chick went to sleep. 1
- The hungry brown bear followed the red car. 3
- Danny dived into the cool blue water. 2
- Amir went for a long sleep. 1
- The new car had shiny blue seats. 3

Total Number of Adjectives: 13

If the number of adjectives is 12	If the number of adjectives is 13	If the number of adjectives is 14
Adjective begins with 'd'	Adjective begins with 'f'	Adjective begins with 'b'

Clue 4 - Find the Nouns

F	P	B	T	M	O	L
L	X	U	V	Q	S	B
O	U	N	Q	V	P	L
W	Y	N	C	A	R	D
E	P	Y	T	U	I	V
R	S	G	S	G	N	P
X	Z	A	E	G	G	M

There are 5 nouns in the grid, so there are five letters in the noun.

Where was the egg hidden?

Inside beside the fluffy towel!

