# Birches First School
Believe, Grow, Succeed

**Codsall** Multi-Academy Trust

# School Closure Home Learning
# Year 4 Daily Tasks
# Date: 2/4/20

## Reading task

Retrieval questions – Remember to answer in full sentences.

## Spotting the Relevant Information
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Here are some questions and texts. Can you find the specific information in each text which will help you to answer the question?

**Tips**
- Read the whole text and question first, then look for the key information which tells you the answer.
- Use your coloured pens or highlighters to mark ONLY the words or phrases which help you know the answer.
- Write the answer in your own words.

**Text:**

Diwali is perhaps the most well-known of the Hindu festivals.

The word Diwali means 'rows of lighted lamps'. Diwali is known as the 'festival of lights' because houses, shops and public places are decorated with small earthenware oil lamps called diyas.

The festival celebrates the victory of good over evil, light over darkness and knowledge over ignorance, although the actual legends that go with the festival are different in different parts of India.

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**Question:**

How do you know that the traditions of this festival come from long ago?

**Text:**

Jake went down the shops with some money his mum gave him. She told him to keep the £5 note safe in his pocket. He went past the library, police station and hairdressers before he got to the butcher's shop, where he bought what he was looking for. Once he'd got the main ingredient for Mum's stew, he wandered into the newsagent to look at the latest copy of 'Fifa' magazine.

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**Question:**

What do you think Jake was going to buy?

# Writing/SPaG task

## Up levelling sentences – Bustling Bradley Market

Use the steps below to improve this sentence:

The stalls were filled with items.



1. First, rewrite the sentence and add modifying nouns or adjectives to create expanded noun phrases.

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2. Next, rewrite the sentence from Step 1 but start your sentence with a fronted adverbial.

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3. Finally, rewrite the sentence from Step 2 but choose a subordinating conjunction from the box below to add a subordinate clause.

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| after | although | as | because | before |
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| if | since | until | when | while |

# Maths task

# Division – Reasoning – choose your question or even questions!

Rosie writes,
$85 \div 3 = 28$ r 1

She says 85 must be 1 away from a
multiple of 3
Do you agree?

Dora is calculating $72 \div 3$
Before she starts, she says the
calculation will involve an exchange.

Do you agree?
Explain why.

Use $<$ , $>$ or $=$ to complete the
statements.

$69 \div 3$ ◯ $96 \div 3$

$96 \div 4$ ◯ $96 \div 3$

$91 \div 7$ ◯ $84 \div 6$

<u>An added extra....just for fun!</u>

<u>Email your joke to me and see if you can make me laugh......</u>

Match up the jokes with their answers. Then see if you can write your own below!

| Jokes | Answers |
|---|---|
| How does a vampire start a letter? | Wavy. |
| Why can't Elsa have a balloon? | His ghoul-friend. |
| What do you call a sleeping dinosaur? | A labracadabrador. |
| How can you tell a vampire has a cold? | Tomb it may concern... |
| What do you call a ghost's one true love? | Because she will let it go. |
| What did the nose say to the finger? | You crack me up. |
| What did the Dalmatian say after lunch? | Stop picking on me. |
| Where do rabbits go after they get married? | A dino-snore. |
| What did one egg say to the other? | He starts coffin. |
| What do you call a dog magician? | On a bunny-moon. |
| What kind of hair does the ocean have? | That hit the spot! |

My own joke ............................................................................................

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