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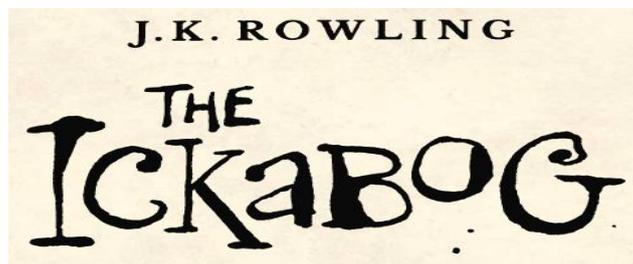


School Closure Home Learning

Year 4 Daily Tasks

Date: 8/7/20

Reading task - prediction



Chapter 4 – extract 3 of 4

‘Herringbone,’ he said, not looking the old man in the eye, ‘there’s a house on the corner, on the way to the park. Rather a nice cottage. Large-ish garden.’

‘The Dovetail house, Your Majesty?’

‘Oh, that’s who lives there, is it?’ said King Fred airily. ‘Well, it occurs to me that it’s rather a big place for a small family. I think I’ve heard there are only two of them, is that correct?’

‘Perfectly correct, Your Majesty. Just two, since the mother—’

‘It doesn’t really seem fair, Herringbone,’ King Fred said loudly, ‘for that nice, spacious cottage to be given to only two people, when there are families of five or six, I believe, who’d be happy with a little more room.’

‘You’d like me to move the Dovetails, Your Majesty?’

'Yes, I think so,' said King Fred, pretending to be very interested in the tip of his satin shoe.

'Very well, Your Majesty,' said the Chief Advisor, with a deep bow. 'I shall ask them to swap with Roach's family, who I'm sure would be glad of more space, and I shall put the Dovetails in the Roaches' house.'

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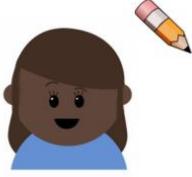
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How do you think the Dovetail's will react to being told to swap homes with another family? Write a paragraph explaining how the Dovetails might react and why you think that.

Writing task – grammar

YR4 Plural Possessive Apostrophes

Anita wrote some sentences using an apostrophe to show plural possession.



The girl's coats got soaked after they got caught in the storm.
The people's mood was great.
The countrie's leaders all discussed the problem.

Alfie, Millie and Marlon discussed Millie's sentences. Who is correct? Explain your answer.



When you use an apostrophe for possession it always goes before the s.



I'm sure it is different if the word already ends in an s,



If the noun is plural the apostrophe should go after the s.

Explain The Difference

Each child has written a sentence using different tenses.



The ravenous monkey was eating bananas for lunch.



Impressively, Jim had ran 7 miles this morning before breakfast.



This month, we swam at the local leisure centre every Tuesday.



Miss Jones is sluggishly marking twenty-four English papers.

Can you identify the different tenses that have been used and explain the differences between them?

Maths task

Time – analogue to digital – 12 hours

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zkfyedm/articles/zcrmqtq>

- 1 Is the time shown on the clock in the morning or the afternoon?
Sort the clocks into the table.

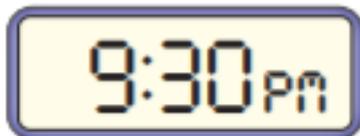
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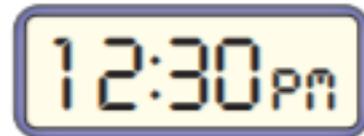
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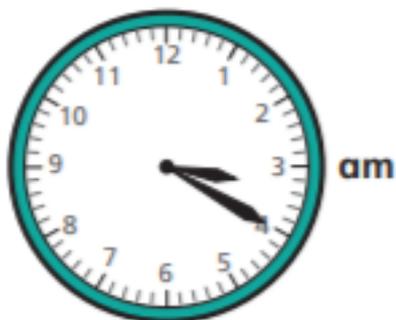
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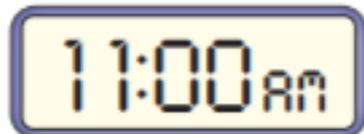
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Clock C

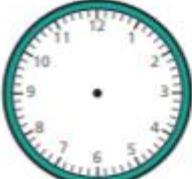


Clock F



Morning	Afternoon

- 2 Complete the table by drawing hands on the analogue clock or writing the 12-hour digital time.

Analogue	Digital
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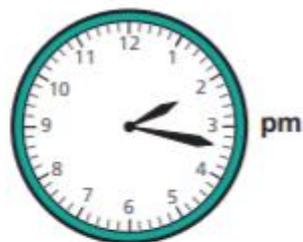


Ron is writing the time in 12-hour digital format.

What mistake has Ron made?

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Esther leaves her house at this time.



It takes her 1 hour and 45 minutes to get to her friend's house.

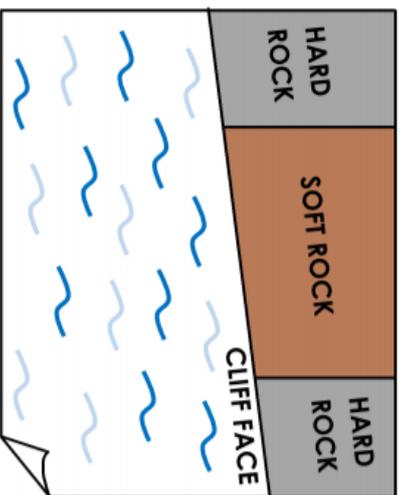
Write the time she arrives in 12-hour digital format.



DEEPENING UNDERSTANDING GEOGRAPHY DEPTH TASKS

REASONING 1

Here is diagram showing the rock formation of a stretch of coastline.

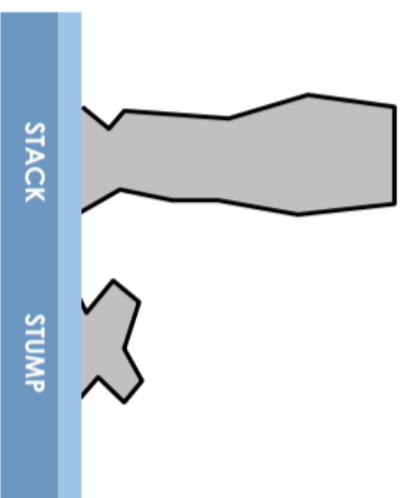


Two bays will eventually form on this coastline.

Explain why Ranjit is incorrect!

REASONING 2

Jane is thinking about a stack and a stump she has sighted.



What's the same?
What's different?

Explain what she might be thinking.

REASONING 3

Three children are sharing their views about coastal erosion.



I can see the effects of erosion within a week.

Asha



Groynes prevent the erosion of beaches.

Jerry



Sea walls stop coasts eroding for many years.

Anifa

Who do you agree with? Explain why!

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