

Going Places



Year 3
2004

TIGER TOYSHOP

Special Sale Starts on Monday

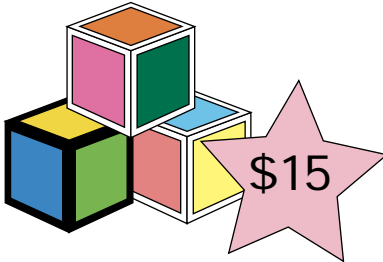
Talking Teddy



Chunky Truck



Building Blocks



Over 200 pieces

Not safe for children
under 3 years old

Toy Drum



Free drumsticks
with every drum!

HURRY ... SALE ENDS ON FRI DAY!

Homework Letters

Dear Miss Johnson,

No I don't like doing my homework at all. I would much rather be outside playing with my friends and playing computer games.

Please don't give me any more homework.

From

Paul

To Miss Johnson,

Thank you for all the homework you give us. I always do it before I eat my dinner.

Thank you from

Vlad

Miss Johnson,

My parents think that the homework you give us is a good idea. I don't mind doing it as long as you don't give us too much.

Please don't give us any more projects to do.

Yours sincerely

Alice

Dear Teacher,

I am glad that you don't give us homework on the weekends.

Please can I do a project on the solar system to share with our class?

Rosa



Taki and the Rain Forest School

Taki didn't want to go to school. School was a scary place and he liked being at home with his mother.

"Off you go, Taki," said his mother. "Your teachers are calling you. **You'll like it at the rain forest school.**"

So Taki set off. Soon the school was all around him. But where was his teacher?

Just then, Taki heard a sound. "Clack, clack, clack, clack!" He saw a long red-and-black beak. It was Toucan.

"Why is your beak so long?" asked Taki.

"Clack, clack, clack, clack," clicked Toucan's beak.

"So I can pick berries from the branches of the trees," he answered.

"I'll use this stick. I'll pick berries, too," thought Taki, and he picked some ripe, red berries.

"Toucan is a good teacher," thought Taki. "I like the rain forest school, but where is my next teacher?"



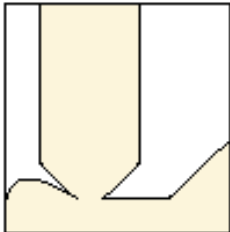
Make a Model Helicopter

What you need

- a piece of cardboard
- pencil
- a paper clip
- scissors
- ruler

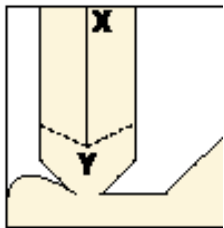
Safety Tip: Always be very careful when using scissors.

Steps to follow



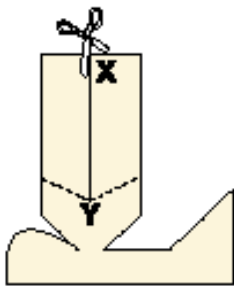
Picture A

1. Use a ruler and pencil to copy the shape shown in Picture A onto a piece of cardboard.



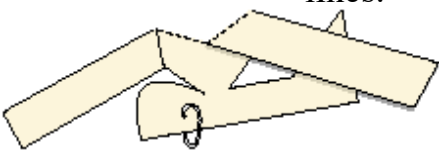
Picture B

2. Now draw in Line X to Y and the dotted lines.



Picture C

3. Cut out the shape and then cut along the Line X to Y.



Picture D

4. To make the **rotor**, fold along the dotted lines.

5. Attach your paper clip as shown in Picture D and launch your helicopter into the air.

The Flea

I am a flea. To be precise, I'm a cat flea, although at the moment I'm living on a dog. This isn't a problem as far as I'm concerned. We fleas live on any animal that has a permanent nest or bed, so dogs, cats, rabbits, mice, squirrels and even humans are all good **hosts** for us.

I've been living on my dog for several days now, ever since it went to sleep on the thick rug where I hatched out of my cocoon.

As soon as I sensed a **warm body** nearby I headed straight for it. I was **lucky**. I landed on a thick, furry coat with my first jump.

I was really hungry. So I slipped down to the skin, bit hard, and took a long drink of blood. My first warm meal made me feel better, although it didn't stop me from wanting to bite my host again. I nip him several times a minute when I'm hungry.



Italy

Italy is a country in Europe. It is shaped like a **long boot** that sticks out into the Mediterranean Sea.

Some of the countries bordering Italy are France, Switzerland, Austria and Slovenia.

The islands of Sicily and Sardinia are also part of Italy. They are the biggest islands in the Mediterranean Sea.

Italy is a country that has many natural features like volcanoes, lakes, mountains, hot springs and beaches. Many of the mountains in Italy run in a line down the centre of the country.



Year 3 – Writing

This task will take 35 minutes.

“What an amazing machine!”

Your story can be about your amazing machine and the incredible things it can do.

or

Your story can be about someone else and their adventures with an amazing machine.

When writing, you may like to think about:

What kind of machine is it?

Who invented it?

Was the machine found somewhere?

What does it do?

Does the machine work the way it is supposed to?

Why is the machine so amazing?