



# **Marlborough Primary Academy**

**Home Learning**

**Class 4/5B**

**Week beginning**

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**ENGLISH LO: I can create an interesting character for my story.**

This week, you're going to be writing a story.  
You can write any sort of story you like.

Today we're making up the main character.  
Your job is to draw a picture of your character  
and jot down some information about them.  
Have a look at the character ideas sheet to get  
started!

MATHS

**LO: I can show fractions in different ways.**

This week we're revising fractions. Can you remember what fractions mean?

Have a look at the help sheet and then make your own poster to represent fractions:  $\frac{1}{4}$ ,  $\frac{2}{4}$ ,  $\frac{3}{4}$  and  $\frac{4}{4}$  in at least 4 different ways.

Represent means show in a picture or diagram.

Topic: Reading

This week our text is about carnivals around the world.

Choose the right level for you then read, enjoy and answer the questions.

## This is morning maths

Solve these problems using written or mental methods.

If you get stuck send me a dojo message!

$930 \div 10 =$	$? + 43 = 35 + 40$	$9193 - 257 =$
Round 19,680 to the nearest 10	$14 \times ? \times 2 = 56$	$580 \div 5 =$

# Carnival

## World celebrations and festivities

There are many festivals and celebrations around the world throughout the year. However, carnival is one of the most famous and colourful festivities. Many carnivals take place in the build-up to the religious season of Lent, which is the six weeks before Easter Sunday. Therefore, many carnivals take place during February. Often during Lent, people give up something that they will find difficult to do. This could be a type of food or a bad habit.

## What is carnival?

Carnival can be different depending on the country. Lots of countries focus on their own traditions and are often a celebration of the culture of their country. In most countries at carnival, you will see masks, colourful costumes, music and parades. Some Carnivals have special trinkets or symbols. In New Orleans, they have sweet and very colourful cakes called King Cakes as a symbol of their carnival (Mardi Gras).





## The largest carnival

The most famous and largest carnival in the world takes place in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil. Carnival in Brazil is not just a fun celebration; it is a chance to experience the different types of culture in the country. Brazil is often referred to as a 'melting-pot' of culture. This is because there are a variety of different cultural influences brought about by the diverse population. There are many European, African and American influences. Carnival is about the Brazilian way of life and their way of thinking. There are many parties celebrating the songs, music and dances typical of Brazilian culture. The most popular form of music and dancing at the Rio carnival is samba - a style unique to Brazil. Samba music is often played on drums and there is lots of traditional dancing. The 'Sambódromo' is an avenue made to host carnival in Rio. Every year, there are over 500,000 foreign visitors to this area.

Carnival is often linked to religious traditions; however, it is also a time of fun, with lots of colour, costumes and laughter. It is a time enjoyed by millions across the world.



## Carnivals in Europe

There are several carnivals in Europe.

**Cadiz** is where the largest Spanish carnival happens. It celebrates local traditions along with current and political events. Like Rio, there are parades and floats with lots of music.

**Nice** in France, is heavily influenced by Catholic traditions, and people indulge in lots of rich food in the build up to Lent. One of the most popular street celebrations is the Battle of the Flowers where there are lots of floats and costumes **brimming** with plants and flowers.

**Cologne** is one of the main carnival cities in Germany. The carnival season actually begins in November here and culminates the week before (and including) Shrove Tuesday. There are lots of parades and people dress up - even at work and school. It is one of Germany's most important cultural events.

# Questions

1. a) When do most carnivals take place?

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b) Why do you think this time of year is chosen?

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2. The word **brimming** is in bold letters. What does this word mean in this sentence?

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3. Where do they celebrate Mardi Gras and what is an important symbol of this carnival?

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4. What is different about carnival season in Germany and most other countries?

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5. Where does the large parade in Rio actually take place?

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6. Why do you think carnivals are so popular across the world and attract so many visitors?

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7. Name and describe two different European carnivals using your own words.

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8. Imagine you have attended a carnival. Describe in 3 paragraphs what you have seen, heard and experienced. Use as much detail as possible.

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# Carnival

## World Celebrations and Festivities

- During the year, lots of festivals and celebrations take place across the world.
- Carnival is one of the most famous and colourful festivities.
- Most carnivals take place during February.

## What is Carnival?

- Carnival can be different depending on the country
- Lots of countries celebrate their own traditions and culture.
- In most countries during carnival season, there are lots of masks, colourful costumes, music and parades
- Some carnivals have special symbols, such as King Cakes (a sweet and very colourful cake) which symbolise Mardi Gras, which is celebrated in New Orleans.



### Where is the largest carnival?

- Rio de Janeiro, Brazil: this is where the largest carnival in the world takes place.
- Carnival is very important to Brazil; it is not just for fun. Samba music is often played on drums and there is lots of traditional dancing.
- It is a celebration of the culture and way of life of Brazil.
- There are many parties celebrating the songs, music and dances that are typical of Brazilian culture.



### Samba music

- Samba is the most popular form of music and dancing at the Rio carnival.
- It is a Brazilian style of music.
- Samba music is played on drums and there is lots of traditional dancing.
- Every year, there are over 500 000 foreign visitors to the Rio carnival.

### Carnivals in Europe

There are several carnivals in Europe.

**Cadiz** is the largest Spanish carnival where Spanish traditions are celebrated. Like Rio, there are parades and floats with lots of music.

**Nice** is in France. There are lots of Catholic traditions at this carnival. People eat lots of rich food in the build up to Lent. One of the most popular street celebrations is the Battle of the Flowers, where there are lots of colourful, flower-filled floats and costumes.

**Cologne** is in Germany. The carnival season here actually begins in November! It ends in the week before, and including, Shrove Tuesday. There are lots of parades, and people dress up - even at work and school. It is one of Germany's most important cultural events.



# Questions

1. What is a carnival and what are they like?

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2. When do most carnivals take place?

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3. Where is Mardi Gras celebrated?

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4. Where is the largest carnival in the world?

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5. What is samba?

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6. What do carnivals celebrate?

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7. Describe the Spanish and French carnivals using your own words.

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# Fractions help sheet

## FRACTIONS

Numerator



Denominator

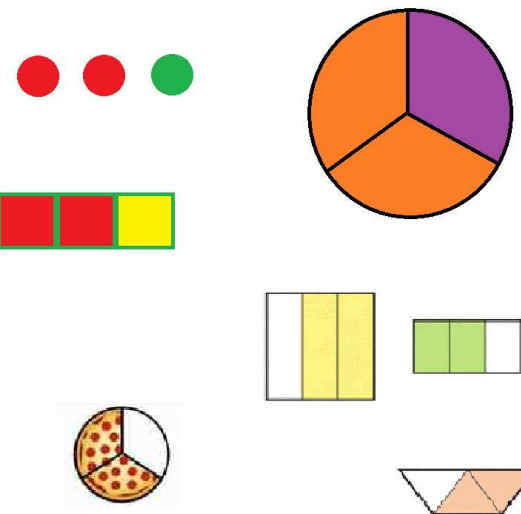
$$\frac{4}{5}$$

How many pieces have we got?

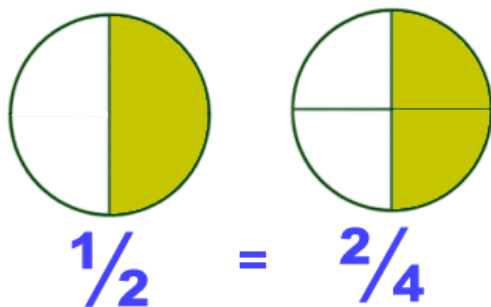
How many pieces is the whole split into?

Represent fractions in different ways

$$\frac{2}{3}$$



Equivalent fractions



$$1 \times 3 = 3$$

$$2 \times 3 = 6$$

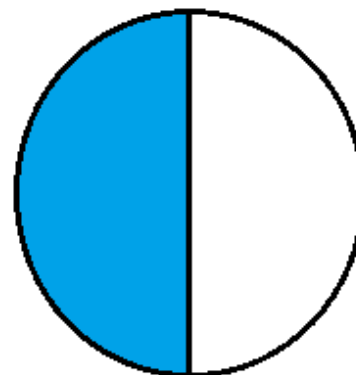
So  $\frac{3}{6}$  is the same as  $\frac{1}{2}$

Finding more equivalent fractions

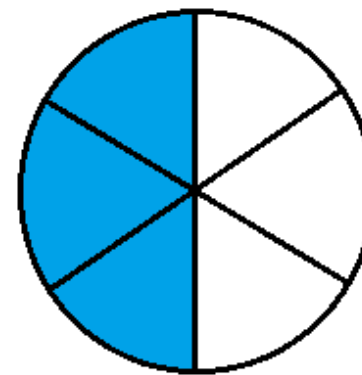
$$\text{Numerator } 1 \times 3 = 3$$

$$\text{Denominator } 2 \times 3 = 6$$

So  $\frac{3}{6}$  is the same as  $\frac{1}{2}$



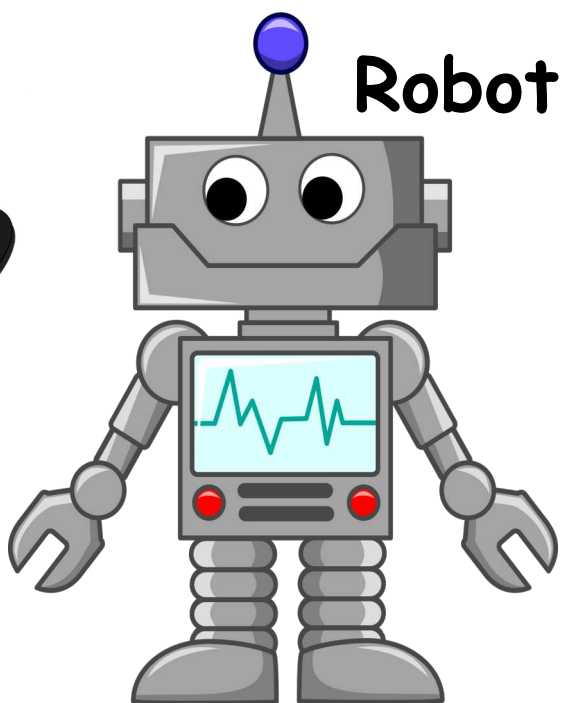
$\frac{1}{2}$



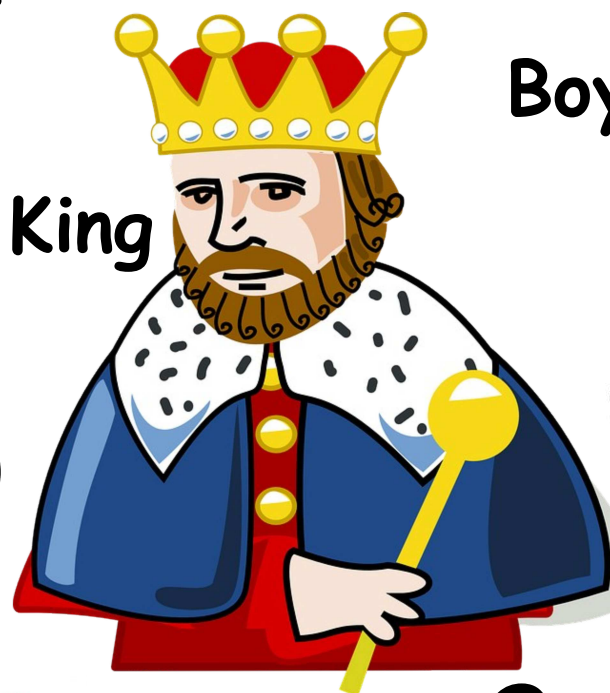
$\frac{3}{6}$



Witch



Robot



King



Boy



Girl



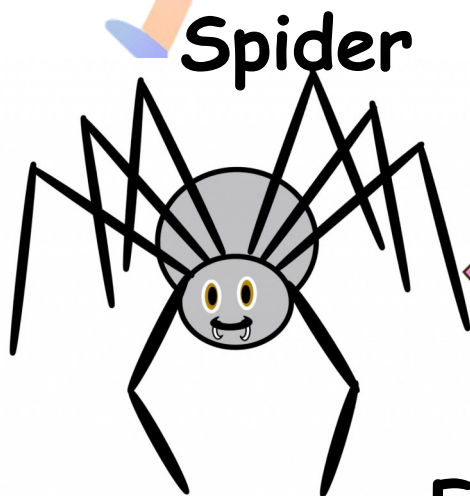
Dragon



Wolf



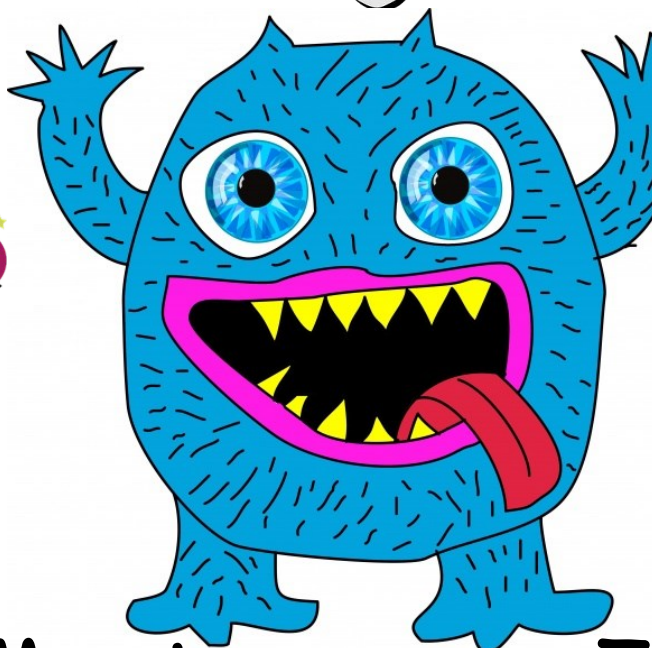
Queen



Spider



Fairy



Monster



Teacher



Shark



Zombie

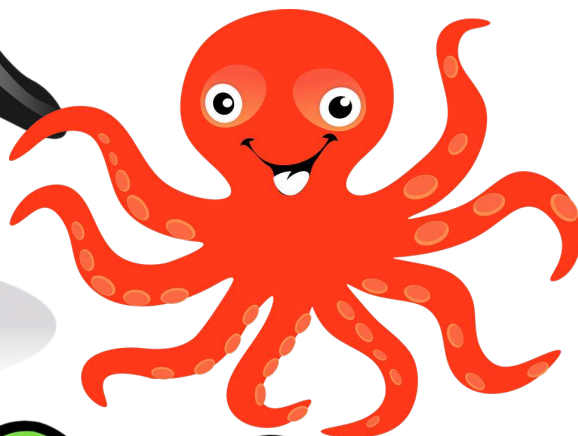


Pirate



Penguin

Octopus



Snake







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Don't forget to share your work in your portfolio.

ENGLISH:

LO: I can write a setting description using adjectives.

Today we're going to choose a place for our story.

Where will your character go?

Your job is to imagine your story setting, draw it and write down three or more sentences to describe it.

Have a look at the setting ideas sheet to get started!

MATHS Division LO: I can

Some different fractions mean the same thing. We call this equivalence.

Equivalent fractions are equal.

Show different ways of representing equivalent fractions to show they are the same.

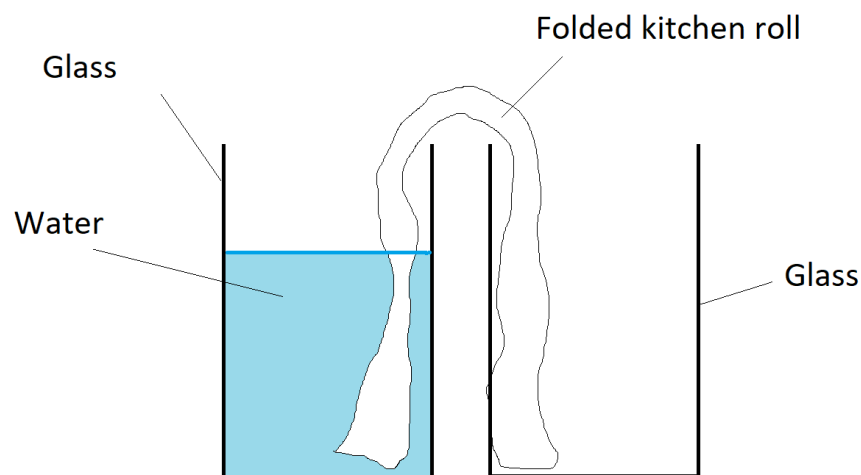
Choose how hard to make it- \* = beginner, \*\* challenging, \*\*\* mastering

\* Show different ways of representing  $\frac{1}{2}$  and  $\frac{2}{4}$ . Can you prove that  $\frac{2}{4}$  is the same as  $\frac{1}{2}$ .

\*\* Show proof that  $\frac{1}{2}$ ,  $\frac{2}{4}$  and  $\frac{3}{6}$  are all the same!

\*\*\* Show proof that  $\frac{2}{3}$ ,  $\frac{4}{6}$  and  $\frac{6}{9}$  are all the same.

Topic: Science Try the walking water experiment.



What happens after 2 minutes?

What is it like after 2 hours?



## This is morning maths

Solve these problems using written or mental methods.

If you get stuck send me a dojo message!

Round 3.82 to the nearest 1 = 4  Round 9.99 to the nearest multiple of 1.	$86124 + 76177 =$	$8120 - 499 =$
$45 \times 100 =$	$250 \times 5 =$	$521 \div 3 =$

# Where will your story take place?



Castles, ruins or caves?



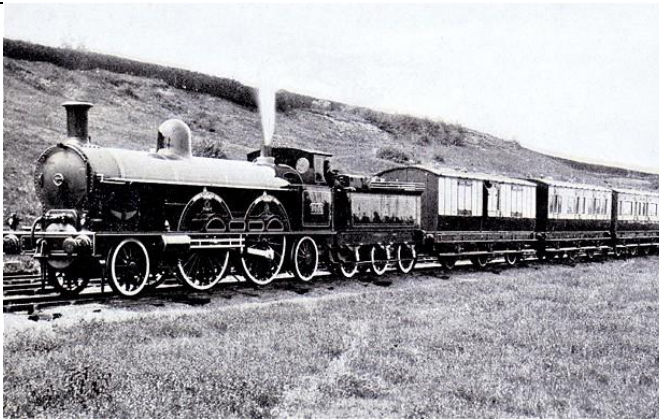
Island, beach or the sea?



The woods, the forest or the wild?



A school?



The past? Victorian London? Ancient Egypt?

You choose.  
Where will your story take place?



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ENGLISH and Topic!

**LO: I can plan my story in five sections.**

Use story mountain to plan your story.

We've used this before in school. Any problems, let me know!

Stories are often written using this structure:  
introduction, build up, climax, resolution, end.

Look at my example for Little Red Riding Hood (a story you all know) to give you a clue on what I mean.

MATHS **LO: Find fractions equivalent to**

To find an equivalent fraction you can just multiply or divide the numerator and denominator by the same number.

Choose how hard to make it- \* = beginner, \*\* challenging, \*\*\* mastering

\* Find fractions equivalent to  $\frac{1}{2}$ .

Show how you worked them out.

\*\* Find fractions equivalent to  $\frac{1}{3}$ ,  $\frac{2}{3}$  and  $\frac{3}{3}$

Show how you worked them out.

\*\*\* Find fractions equivalent to  $\frac{1}{5}$ ,  $\frac{2}{5}$ ,  $\frac{3}{5}$ ,  $\frac{4}{5}$  and  $\frac{5}{5}$

Show how you worked them out.

**Send a Message to the class**

Next week, I'd like to put some messages from you for the class to read on our class story.

If you'd like to send a message to the class, send it to me and I'll add them to our class story.

Your message could be a picture, a sentence or two or anything!

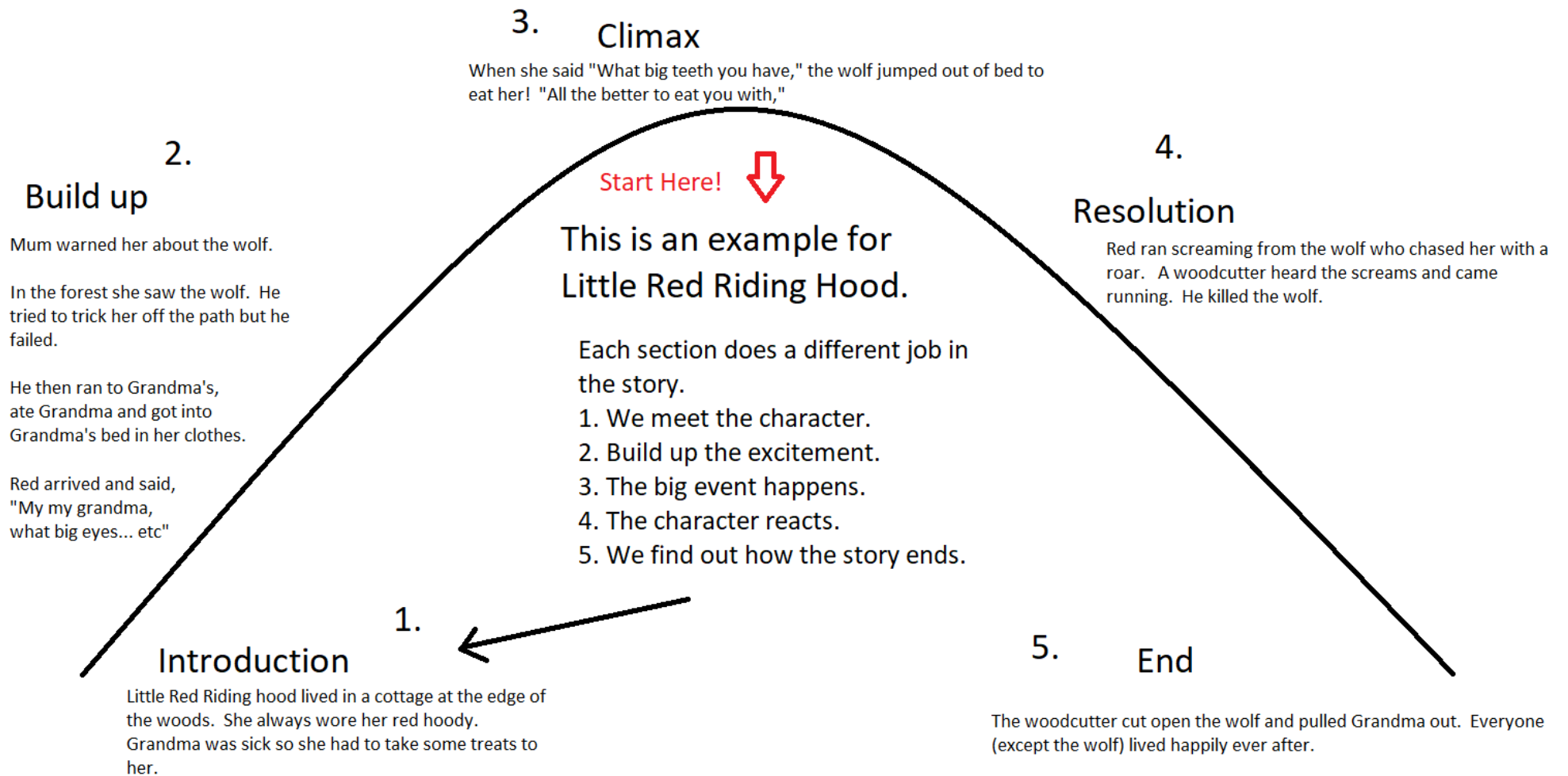
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$? \div 100 = 42$	$2137 + 693 =$	$842 - 3 =$
$? \div 2 = 423$	$9 \times 32 =$	Round 213,455 to the nearest 1000







ENGLISH

**LO: I can draw a story map for my story.**

Today you're going to draw a story map and fill in the writing prompt sheet ready for tomorrow.

Remember, a story map just shows the main events in order.  
You could draw a picture for each of your five sections:  
Introduction, build up, climax, resolution and end.

The story planner sheet is all about getting words and phrases ready to use to make your job as easy as possible tomorrow.

**MATHS**

**LO: I can find fractions of amounts**

**To find a fraction of an amount, we divide the amount by the denominator and multiply by the numerator.**

**(Divide by the bottom, times by the top!)**

* Find $\frac{2}{3}$ of 24	** Find $\frac{3}{5}$ of 96	*** $\frac{3}{4}$ of 248
$\frac{2}{3}$ of 18	$\frac{3}{5}$ of 735	$\frac{2}{7}$ of 854
$\frac{5}{6}$ of 30	$\frac{4}{6}$ of 126	$\frac{7}{8}$ of 768

**ART: Make a strip of bunting all about you.**

You will need paper, scissors, sticky tape and string.



Cut out some paper triangles. On each one, write a letter from your name and draw something you love.

If you like, you could make bunting for someone else in your home. Write their name and put pictures of things they like.

## This is morning maths

Solve these problems using written or mental methods.

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$23 \div 10$	$13 + ? + 37 = 100$	$? - 294 = 845$
Round 75 to the nearest 10	$800 \times 4 =$	$948 \div 4 =$

ENGLISH WRITING: My story prompt sheet.

<p>Picture for inspiration</p>	<p>Interesting adjectives:</p>
<p>Sentence starters I could use:</p> <p>Example: Without warning,</p>	<p><b>Powerful verbs:</b></p>



My Story map

Story title:	Introduction:	Build up: (Things start getting interesting)
Climax: The exciting event happens	Resolution: How does the character react? How does the event impact them?	End: How it all turns out.



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ENGLISH WRITING

**LO: I can write a story.**

Today, write your story. Remember all the things we've been learning about the power of adjectives, verbs and adverbs. About how to start sentences and about how to write short sentences for action and long sentences for build up.  
I can't wait to read what you write.

**MATHS** **LO: Find fractions of amounts**

Challenge: can you find the missing numbers in these problems?  
You'll have to think carefully if you're going to solve them!

Choose how hard to make it- \* = beginner, \*\* challenging, \*\*\* mastering

\*  $\frac{1}{2}$  of a number is 48.

What is the number?

$\frac{1}{3}$  of a number is 18.

What is the number?

\*\*

$\frac{3}{4}$  of a number is 51

What is the number?

$\frac{4}{5}$  of a number is 84.

What is the number?

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What fraction of 384 is 48?

What fraction of 720 is 240?

Both fractions have 1 as a numerator!

On the morning maths sheet there is an example that might help with your work!

Topic: Creative Response

Imagine your story is a new book for children.  
Design a front cover to go with your story.  
Draw and colour the picture.

If you like, you could design the back cover too!

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Solve these problems using written or mental methods.

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$812 \div 10 =$	$67 + ? = 100$	$9431 - ? = 9429$
Round 61.9 to the nearest 1	$47 \times 5 \times 2 =$	$? \div 3 = 14 \text{ r } 1$

### Example for your fractions work today:

$\frac{2}{3}$  of a number is 24. What is the number?

I have  $\frac{2}{3}$  so I have 2 parts. I will split 24 into 2 parts.  $24 \div 2 = 12$

So I know  $\frac{1}{3}$  of the number is 12. The number was split into 3 parts so  $3 \times 12 = 36$ .

The number was 36.  $\frac{2}{3}$  of 36 is 24.