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Hello again, readers!

This is the last issue of the year. So, let's talk about... holidays! I love the holidays: riding around on my bike in the sun, walks in the park, and especially trips to the beach! In this issue we'll talk about a very special event which happens in June – World Oceans Day!

Have a wonderful summer break!

Lynn



## A rhyme Hooray for the holidays!

Hoory, hoory, it's the last day of school!  
The holidays are starting. Wow that's cool!

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## Where do you spend the holidays?

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1, 2, 3, bye bye books and sums!  
4, 5, 6 let's just have some fun!

We need a ticket for our trip,  
Shall we travel by plane or train  
or ship?

1, 2, 3, bye bye books and sums!  
4, 5, 6 let's just have some fun!

I'm going to Grandma's for a holiday  
We'll go to the beach and play  
all day.

1, 2, 3, bye bye books and sums!  
4, 5, 6 let's just have some fun!

7 and 8 summer is finally here  
9 and 10 "Hooray" we all cheer!

# The end of year party

Read the words aloud.



school yard



kiosk



sweets



candy floss



raffle



first prize



face paints



clown



stage

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balloon



skittles



act



sing



festoons



craft area



dance



win

# Fun and games!



**1** Find 13 words from the mini dictionary and use the remaining letters to complete Charlotte's message.

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

**2** Make sentences and match to the pictures.

- 1 candy / eats / some / Charlotte / floss
- 2 stage / the / sings / and / on / Dylan / dances
- 3 wins / prize / at / the / Hattie / first / raffle
- 4 loves / really / the / Robby / face / stand / painting
- 5 with / in / Gracie / the school / plays / the clown / yard
- 6 Charlie / the skittles / to play / at the party / with / prefers



**3** Charlie is playing the raffle. Who wins? Find six words in the candy floss and put the remaining letters together to find out!



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Charlie wins some  
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**4** What about you? What do you like to do at the end of year party?

I like .....

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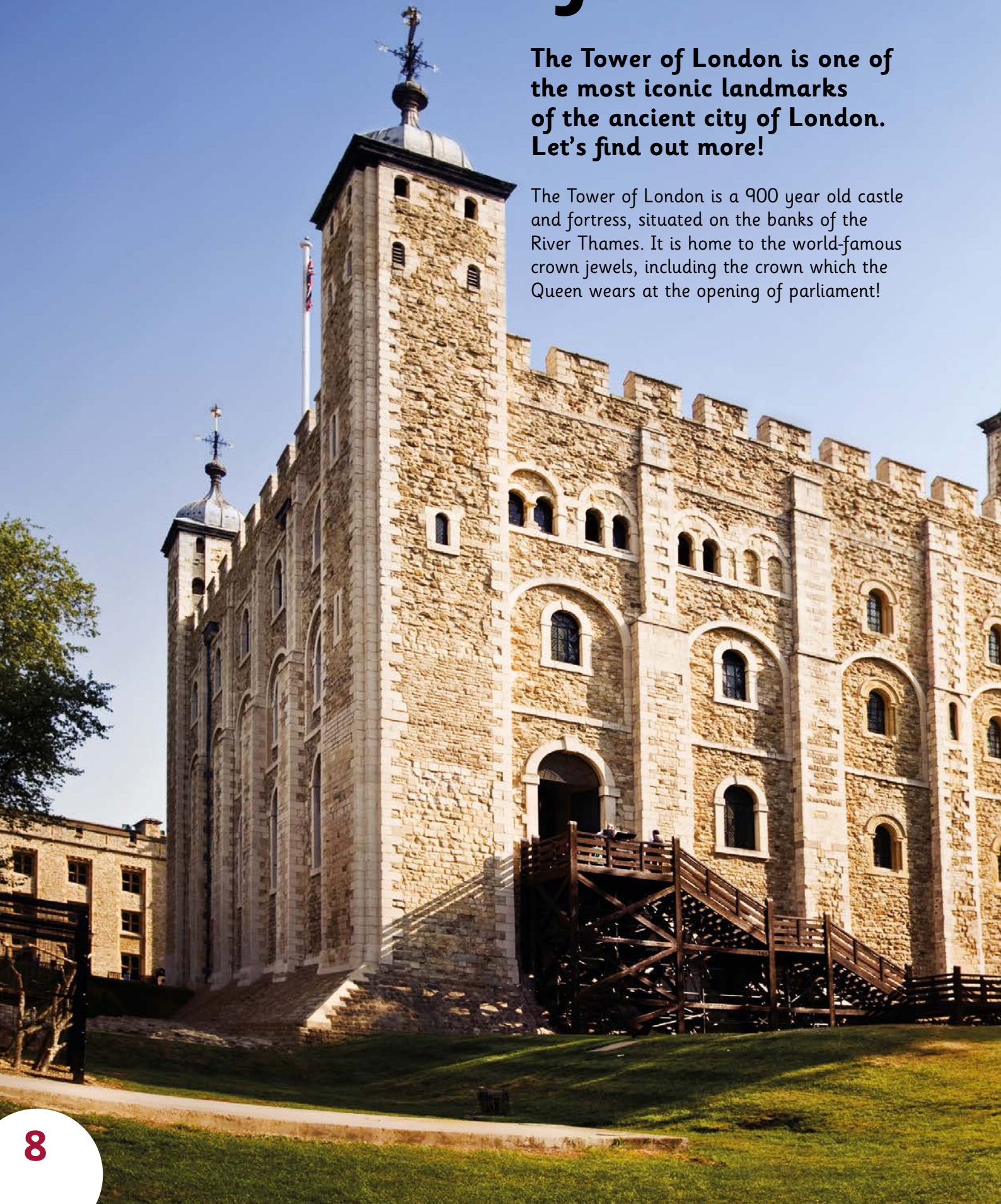
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Discovery

# The Tower of London

**The Tower of London is one of the most iconic landmarks of the ancient city of London. Let's find out more!**

The Tower of London is a 900 year old castle and fortress, situated on the banks of the River Thames. It is home to the world-famous crown jewels, including the crown which the Queen wears at the opening of parliament!





In fact, there are over 23,000 precious jewels in the tower! A family of black birds called ravens lives at the Tower. People think that if the ravens leave the Tower of London, that will be the end of the Royal Family! The Tower of London is guarded by soldiers called Beefeaters. They wear blue and red uniforms with wide hats.



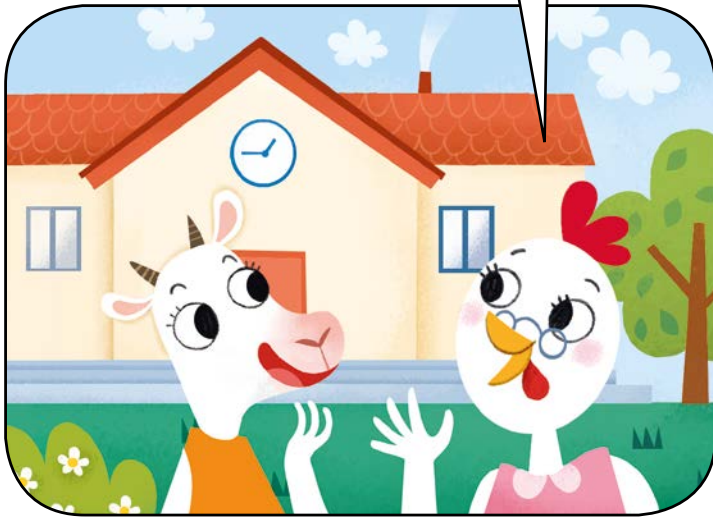
The Tower of London stands very close to which other iconic London attraction ?

- a  Buckingham Palace
- b  Tower Bridge
- c  London Zoo

Answer on page 11.

# The day of the end of year party

Let's have a big party to celebrate the beginning of summer!



It's the last day of school at Forest Farm. Hattie has a brilliant idea!

I will make the sweets.



Thank you Charlotte, you're great at baking!

Our friends are in the school yard, trying to organise everything.

Dylan! What are you doing?

Help!  
I'm trapped in the candy floss!



Charlotte starts work, but... What is Dylan doing? He's very pink!

What are you doing, Robby?

I'm making a fruit cocktail.



Everyone laughs. Dylan is very funny! Robby is organising the kiosk.



No, I've got a little problem.



Is everything okay, Gracie?

Gracie is organising the raffle and she has a little problem...

We'll help you, Gracie!

Thank you, Hattie! I don't have a first prize for the raffle!



Don't worry!

Hattie wants to help her friend Gracie, too. She's very kind!

Let's use this teddy bear!

Brilliant!



Thank you, my friends!

Charlie has an idea. He suggests the first prize for the raffle.

Be careful, Charlie!

Help! I'm flying!



Ha! Ha! Ha!

Now, everyone is busy! Charlie organises the balloons.

Answers: Page 3: student's own answer. Pages 5-6: 1 face paints, sweets, candy floss, skittles, festoons, sing, clown, school yard, prize, balloon, kiosk, act, raffle. Come on, everyone! Let's celebrate with a summer party! 2 Dylan sings and dances on the stage, 3 Hattie wins first prize at the raffle, 4 Robby really loves the face painting stand, 5 Gracie plays with the clown in the school yard, 6 Charlie prefers to play with the skittles at the party. 3 raffle, face paints, skittles, festoons, stage, sweets. Charlie wins some bubbles. 4 student's own answers. Pages 8-9: B, Tower Bridge. Pages 12-13: 1b, 2d, 3e, 4c, 5a. Page 14: 1 1a, 2c, 3b, 4c; 2 worried, 2 funny, 3 kind, 4 clever; 3 Hattie's balloon is blue; Robby's balloon is green; Charlie's balloon is orange; Gracie's balloon is purple; Dylan's balloon is yellow. Page 15: 1 plum, 2 peach, 3 blueberry, 4 pineapple, 5 pear.

Illustrator: Laura Deo

# World Oceans

# Day



**It's the summer! What better time of year to get to know the sea and all its interesting creatures? Let's celebrate World Ocean's Day!**

All around the world, World Ocean's day is celebrated every year on 8th June. The aim of World Oceans Day is to help people to understand how important the oceans are to our planet and to learn how to help it survive. Over 2000 organisations in over 140 countries organise special events to promote a healthier ocean and a better future for our planet.

### **#5fortheoceans**

As we all know, plastic in our oceans is a very big problem for sea life. In



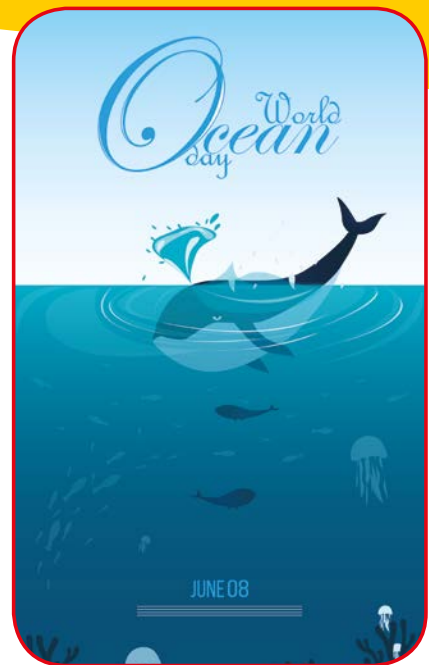
2018, the Sea Shepherd Conservation Society invited the international public to take part in the #5fortheoceans challenge. The aim was for every person to help clean up their local beaches and rivers by picking up just 5 pieces of plastic waste from their water systems, and post photographs on social media.



The response was incredible! People picked up plastic waste from beaches as far away as Canada, Sweden and Japan!

### What can you do?

Do you live near the sea, or perhaps a river or lake? What can you do to help the wildlife living there? Maybe you can take part in a clean-up like



#5fortheoceans, or maybe you would like to organise a sea-life art competition at your school, a music event, or even a film night. Whatever you can do, it will help to keep our waters healthy! Contact [worldoceanday.org](http://worldoceanday.org) to get involved!



### Match the sea animal with the description.

1.  It has eight arms and a soft body.
2.  It's a black and white bird, but it can not fly.
3.  It has a hard shell and it walks sideways.
4.  It is a reptile which lives in water. It has a hard shell which it can hide inside.
5.  It is very intelligent and friendly. It uses sound to hunt and find its family.

- a. A dolphin
- b. An octopus
- c. A turtle
- d. A penguin
- e. A crab

Answers on page 11.

# Let's play at Forest Farm!

Illustrator: Laura Deo

Read the story and complete the activities.

## 1 Read and put a cross next to the correct answer.

1 The Forest Farm friends are

- a  in the school yard
- b  at the school gardens
- c  in the school kitchen

3 Charlotte makes

- a  some candy floss
- b  some sweets
- c  some fruit cocktail

2 To celebrate the summer, Hattie suggests

- a  a big pic-nic
- b  a comeptition
- c  an end of year party

4 First prize at the raffle is

- a  a ride in a hot air balloon
- b  a bakery course
- c  a teddy bear

## 2 Solve the anagrams.

1 Gracie is R R O W D I E \_ \_ \_ \_ \_ because she didn't win first prize in the raffle.

2 Dylan is N Y F N U \_ \_ \_ \_ \_ because he's all pink, like candy floss!

3 Hattie is very N K I D \_ \_ \_ \_ and she wants to help Gracie.

4 Charlie has a L R C E V E \_ \_ \_ \_ \_ idea!

## 3 Match the characters and their balloons and write the colours.



Hattie's balloon is blue.

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Answers on page 11.



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# Delicious Desserts



## Strawberry Ice lollies

For our final recipe of the year we chose something delicious, easy to make, and very cool for those hot summer days – strawberry ice lollies! You can keep the lollies in the freezer for up to 2 months... but we think you will want to enjoy them right now! Have a great summer holiday!

### Ingredients

- 400g ripe strawberries
- 200ml semi-skimmed milk
- 400g can of condensed milk

### Method

- Chop strawberries and mix them in a blender until smooth.
- Mix in milk and condensed milk.
- Pour the mixture into 12 ice-lolly moulds. Attach the tops of the moulds or insert wooden ice-lolly sticks.
- Freeze for a minimum of 4 hours, until solid.

### Anagrams

Solve the anagrams to find more fruits and make more ice lollies!

- 1 U L P M  
  
 E H C P A
- 2   
 R Y B E L U B E R
- 3   
 I P A P L N E P E
- 4   
 E R A P
- 5

Answers on page 11.

