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# THE CRAFTY HEDGEHOG

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## MYSTERY HUNTERS: THE LINCOLNSHIRE IMP AND LEGENDS ACROSS THE LAND!

DID YOU KNOW THERE'S A CHEEKY LITTLE CREATURE HIDING HIGH UP ON THE WALLS OF LINCOLN CATHEDRAL? HE'S CALLED THE LINCOLNSHIRE IMP, AND HE'S BEEN PUZZLING AND DELIGHTING VISITORS FOR CENTURIES!

ACCORDING TO LOCAL LEGEND, THE IMP WAS A MISCHIEVOUS TROUBLEMAKER SENT BY THE DEVIL TO STIR UP CHAOS IN THE CATHEDRAL. BUT BEFORE HE COULD CAUSE TOO MUCH MISCHIEF, AN ANGEL TURNED HIM TO STONE—LEAVING HIM FROZEN IN PLACE FOREVER! TODAY, YOU CAN STILL SPOT THE LINCOLNSHIRE IMP CARVED INTO THE CATHEDRAL'S STONEMASONRY, AND HE'S BECOME THE SYMBOL OF THE WHOLE CITY.

BUT LINCOLN ISN'T THE ONLY PLACE WITH A MYSTERIOUS MASCOT OR LEGENDARY CREATURE. ALL ACROSS THE UK, TOWNS AND CITIES HAVE THEIR OWN STRANGE STORIES AND SECRET SYMBOLS:

THE LOCH NESS MONSTER, SCOTLAND: IS THERE REALLY A GIANT CREATURE LIVING IN LOCH NESS? PEOPLE HAVE BEEN SEARCHING FOR "NESSIE" FOR YEARS!

THE BEAST OF BODMIN MOOR, CORNWALL: LOCALS TELL TALES OF A BIG, BLACK CAT ROAMING THE WILD MOORS—SOME EVEN SAY THEY'VE SEEN ITS GLOWING EYES AT NIGHT.

THE BLACK SHUCK, EAST ANGLIA: A GHOSTLY DOG WITH FIERY RED EYES IS SAID TO HAUNT THE COASTLINE AND COUNTRYSIDE.

THE PENDLE WITCHES, LANCASHIRE: THE MYSTERIOUS STORY OF THE PENDLE HILL WITCHES HAS BEEN TOLD FOR HUNDREDS OF YEARS.

THE WHITE LADY OF TAMWORTH CASTLE, STAFFORDSHIRE: SOME SAY A GHOSTLY LADY IN WHITE STILL WANDERS THE CASTLE HALLS.

THESE LEGENDS ARE PART OF WHAT MAKES EACH PLACE UNIQUE—AND THEY'RE A GREAT EXCUSE TO BECOME A MYSTERY HUNTER IN YOUR OWN TOWN OR CITY!

HAVE YOU HEARD OF A LOCAL LEGEND, MYSTERY, OR SYMBOL WHERE YOU LIVE? MAYBE THERE'S A STATUE, A HIDDEN CARVING, OR A SPOOKY STORY PASSED DOWN THROUGH YOUR FAMILY.



IS IT DAVID... OR THE BEAST OF BODMIN MOOR?





# HOW ANIMALS AND CRAFTS HELP US TO FEEL GOOD

## PAWS FOR THOUGHT: HOW ANIMALS HELP US FEEL BETTER

ANIMALS AREN'T JUST CUTE AND CUDDLY—THEY CAN BE SUPERHEROES FOR OUR WELLBEING, TOO! ALL AROUND THE WORLD, CHILDREN AND ADULTS ARE DISCOVERING THAT SPENDING TIME WITH ANIMALS CAN HELP US RELAX, FEEL HAPPIER, AND EVEN LEARN NEW THINGS. WHY ARE ANIMALS SO GOOD FOR US?

WHEN YOU STROKE A CAT, WALK A DOG, OR FEED A GUINEA PIG, YOUR BRAIN RELEASES “FEEL-GOOD” CHEMICALS THAT HELP YOU FEEL CALM AND SAFE. ANIMALS DON'T JUDGE OR RUSH US. THEY LISTEN WITH THEIR BIG EYES AND WAGGING TAILS, AND THEY'RE ALWAYS HAPPY TO SEE US—EVEN ON OUR TRICKIEST DAYS.

### THERAPY ANIMALS: REAL-LIFE HELPERS

SOME ANIMALS ARE TRAINED AS THERAPY PETS. THEY VISIT SCHOOLS, HOSPITALS, AND CARE HOMES TO HELP PEOPLE FEEL LESS ANXIOUS OR LONELY. HORSES, DOGS, RABBITS, AND EVEN CHICKENS CAN BE BRILLIANT LISTENERS AND GENTLE FRIENDS.

### LEARNING AND GROWING TOGETHER

LOOKING AFTER ANIMALS TEACHES US RESPONSIBILITY AND PATIENCE. FEEDING, GROOMING, AND CARING FOR A PET GIVES CHILDREN A SENSE OF PURPOSE AND ACHIEVEMENT. ANIMALS ALSO HELP US LEARN TO RELATE TO OTHERS—SOMETIMES IT'S EASIER TO TALK ABOUT OUR FEELINGS WITH A FURRY FRIEND BY OUR SIDE!

### HEALING FROM HARD THINGS

FOR CHILDREN WHO'VE EXPERIENCED TRAUMA OR BIG CHANGES, ANIMALS CAN BE A GENTLE BRIDGE TO TRUST AND HAPPINESS AGAIN. JUST SITTING QUIETLY WITH A PET CAN HELP SLOW A RACING HEART AND BRING COMFORT WHEN WORDS ARE HARD TO FIND.

### FUN FACTS

- PETTING A DOG OR CAT CAN ACTUALLY LOWER YOUR BLOOD PRESSURE
- HORSES ARE USED IN “EQUINE THERAPY” TO HELP WITH CONFIDENCE AND EMOTIONAL HEALING.

## MAKING MAGIC: HOW CRAFTING HELPS US FEEL GOOD

DID YOU KNOW THAT EVERY TIME YOU PICK UP A PAINTBRUSH, GLUE STICK, OR BALL OF YARN, YOU'RE NOT JUST MAKING SOMETHING FUN—YOU'RE HELPING YOUR BRAIN AND HEART TOO?

### WHY CRAFTING IS GOOD FOR US

WHEN WE CRAFT, OUR HANDS ARE BUSY AND OUR MINDS CAN RELAX. STITCHING, PAINTING, OR BUILDING HELPS US FOCUS ON THE MOMENT, AND THAT CAN CHASE AWAY WORRIES OR STRESS. FINISHING A PROJECT—EVEN A SMALL ONE—GIVES US A SENSE OF ACHIEVEMENT AND PRIDE.

### CRAFTING IS FOR EVERYONE

YOU DON'T HAVE TO BE AN EXPERT OR MAKE SOMETHING PERFECT. THE REAL MAGIC IS IN THE PROCESS. WHETHER YOU'RE DOODLING, FOLDING PAPER, OR BUILDING A ROBOT FROM RECYCLED BITS, YOU'RE USING YOUR IMAGINATION AND LEARNING NEW SKILLS.

### CRAFTING TOGETHER

MAKING THINGS WITH FRIENDS OR FAMILY IS EVEN BETTER. YOU CAN SHARE IDEAS, HELP EACH OTHER, AND CELEBRATE WHAT YOU'VE MADE. TEAMWORK MAKES THE GLUE STICK!

### EXPRESS YOURSELF

IF YOU'RE FEELING HAPPY, SAD, OR EVEN A BIT MUDDLED, CRAFTING CAN HELP YOU SHOW YOUR FEELINGS WITHOUT WORDS. COLOURS, SHAPES, AND TEXTURES ALL TELL A STORY.

### FUN FACTS

- CRAFTING CAN HELP LOWER ANXIETY AND BOOST YOUR MOOD.
- SOME GROWN-UPS USE CRAFTS TO RELAX AFTER A BUSY DAY!





# YOUR STORIES

## FAIRY RING MYSTERY APPEARS IN CELIA'S GARDEN!

AFTER ONE OF CEO RADHA'S THURSDAY NIGHT LIVES THIS MONTH, WHERE SHE INTRODUCED THE CRAFTS FOR JANUARY, SOMETHING MAGICAL HAPPENED IN ONE FAMILY'S FRONT GARDEN—A REAL-LIFE FAIRY RING APPEARED!

MUM, SARAH WROTE IN TO SHARE THE SURPRISE: "YOU'LL NEVER GUESS WHAT WE SAW IN OUR FRONT GARDEN! YES, OUR VERY OWN FAIRY RING! CELIA THOUGHT I'D BEEN SCATTERING SKIPS (THE CRISPS!) IN THE GARDEN FOR THE BIRDS! BUT NO, THOSE SMALL ORANGE-COLOURED THINGS SURROUNDING CELIA IN THE PHOTO ARE IN FACT MUSHROOMS!"



CELIA AND SARAH'S MYSTERIOUS FIND!

FAIRY RINGS ARE CIRCLES OF MUSHROOMS THAT HAVE SPARKED LEGENDS FOR CENTURIES. SOME PEOPLE SAY THEY'RE PLACES WHERE FAIRIES DANCE AT NIGHT. OTHERS BELIEVE STEPPING INTO A FAIRY RING COULD WHISK YOU AWAY TO A MAGICAL WORLD. SO NEXT TIME YOU SPOT A CIRCLE OF MUSHROOMS, LOOK CLOSELY—MAYBE THE FAIRIES HAVE BEEN VISITING YOUR GARDEN TOO!

THANK YOU, SARAH AND CELIA, FOR SHARING YOUR MAGICAL MYSTERY WITH THE CRAFTY HEDGEHOG! IF ANYONE ELSE SPOTS SOMETHING STRANGE OR WONDERFUL IN THEIR GARDEN, SEND IT IN FOR OUR NEXT ISSUE.

## 🎉 HAPPY BIRTHDAY, CELIA! 🎉



THE CRAFTY HEDGEHOG WISHES A VERY HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO CELIA, WHO WILL BE CELEBRATING HER SPECIAL DAY ON 23 JANUARY! WE HOPE YOUR YEAR IS FILLED WITH FUN, CREATIVITY, AND PLENTY OF MAGICAL MOMENTS (MAYBE EVEN MORE FAIRY RINGS IN THE GARDEN!).

HAVE A WONDERFUL BIRTHDAY, CELIA—FROM ALL YOUR FRIENDS AT LCB AND THE CRAFTY HEDGEHOG!

## DYLAN'S TASTY TREATS: PIG IN BLANKET STUFFED GARLIC BREAD

### INGREDIENTS:

4 PIGS IN BLANKETS PER GARLIC BREAD  
1 GARLIC BREAD STICK  
BRIE CHEESE  
CRANBERRY SAUCE



### HOW TO MAKE IT:

1. PREHEAT YOUR OVEN TO 180°C.
2. COOK THE PIGS IN BLANKETS ACCORDING TO THE PACK INSTRUCTIONS.
3. SLICE THE GARLIC BREAD STICK LENGTHWAYS DOWN THE MIDDLE (BUT DON'T CUT ALL THE WAY THROUGH).
4. SPREAD A LAYER OF CRANBERRY SAUCE INSIDE THE BREAD (AS MUCH AS YOU LIKE!).
5. ONCE THE PIGS IN BLANKETS ARE COOKED, TUCK THEM INTO THE GARLIC BREAD.
6. CUBE THE BRIE AND SCATTER IT OVER THE TOP.
7. BAKE EVERYTHING TOGETHER UNTIL THE BREAD IS GOLDEN AND THE CHEESE IS MELTY.

## LOGAN'S RECYCLING REVOLUTION IN KUWAIT!

LOGAN IS ONE OF THE CHILDREN IN THE LCB COMMUNITY AND OUR GLOBE-TROTTING ECO-HERO!

WHILE MANY OF US SORT OUR RUBBISH INTO BINS AT HOME, LOGAN HAS TAKEN RECYCLING TO A WHOLE NEW LEVEL—RIGHT IN THE HEART OF KUWAIT, WHERE RECYCLING ISN'T AS COMMON AS IT IS IN THE UK.

FOR HIS AQA UNIT AWARD SCHEME, LOGAN LEARNED HOW TO SORT RUBBISH INTO FOOD WASTE, GENERAL WASTE, AND RECYCLING. HE WORKED AS PART OF A TEAM (WITH A LITTLE HELP FROM HOME!) TO MAKE SURE EVERYTHING WENT IN THE RIGHT BIN. LOGAN EVEN SNAPPED PHOTOS OF HIS SORTING SKILLS IN ACTION.

BUT LOGAN DIDN'T STOP THERE. HE HAD THOUGHTFUL DISCUSSIONS ABOUT WHY RECYCLING MATTERS, CREATING A MIND MAP WITH IDEAS LIKE:

- "IT SAVES TREES. TREES = PAPER, AND TREES ARE GOOD FOR THE PLANET!"
- "RECYCLING USES LESS ENERGY THAN MAKING NEW THINGS."
- "IF WE DON'T RECYCLE, RUBBISH CAN ESCAPE INTO NATURE AND THE OCEANS."

LOGAN ALSO SHARED TIPS WITH HIS NEIGHBOURS, SHOWING THEM HOW TO RECYCLE AND EXPLAINING WHY IT'S IMPORTANT TO KEEP THE PLANET CLEAN AND HEALTHY.

RADHA, CEO OF LITTLE CRAFTERS BOXES, SAID, "LOGAN'S DETERMINATION IS INSPIRING! HE'S NOT JUST LEARNING ABOUT RECYCLING—HE'S LEADING THE WAY AND HELPING HIS WHOLE COMMUNITY MAKE A DIFFERENCE."

SO NEXT TIME YOU PUT A BOTTLE OR BOX IN THE RECYCLING, REMEMBER: YOU'RE PART OF A WORLDWIDE TEAM OF LCB ECO-HEROES, JUST LIKE LOGAN IN KUWAIT!



# GREAT MYSTERIES AROUND THE BRITISH ISLES

## PENDLE HILL WITCHES, LANCASHIRE

THE SITE OF ENGLAND'S MOST FAMOUS WITCH TRIALS, WHERE STORIES OF MAGIC AND MYSTERY STILL LINGER ON THE HILL.

## DUNVEGAN FLAG, ISLE OF SKYE, SCOTLAND

THE FAIRY FLAG AT DUNVEGAN CASTLE IS SAID TO HAVE MAGICAL POWERS, BRINGING PROTECTION AND GOOD LUCK TO THE MACLEOD CLAN.

## LOCH NESS MONSTER, SCOTLAND

NESSIE, THE LEGENDARY MONSTER, IS SAID TO SWIM IN THE DEEP, DARK WATERS OF LOCH NESS.

## TOWN MOOR WITCH TRIALS, NEWCASTLE UPON TYNE

LEGEND SAYS THE CRIES OF THE ACCUSED CAN BE HEARD AT MIDNIGHT ON THE MOOR.

## VAMPIRE RABBIT, NEWCASTLE UPON TYNE

A SPOOKY RABBIT STATUE WITH FANGS GUARDS THE CATHEDRAL AND SCARES AWAY GRAVE ROBBERS.

## GIANT'S CAUSEWAY, COUNTY ANTRIM, N. IRELAND

LEGEND SAYS THE GIANT'S CAUSEWAY WAS BUILT BY THE GIANT FINN MCCOOL TO CROSS THE SEA TO SCOTLAND—TODAY, YOU CAN SEE THE STRANGE, HEXAGONAL STONES.

## LEPRAUCHAUNS, ALL OVER IRELAND

TINY, MISCHIEVOUS FAIRIES WHO HIDE POTS OF GOLD AT THE END OF RAINBOWS AND LOVE PLAYING TRICKS ON PEOPLE.

## FAIRY RINGS, WALES AND SCOTLAND

FAIRY RINGS—MYSTERIOUS CIRCLES OF MUSHROOMS—ARE SAID TO BE PLACES WHERE FAIRIES DANCE, AND STEPPING INSIDE COULD WHISK YOU AWAY TO THEIR WORLD.

## CROP CIRCLES, WILTSHIRE

STRANGE, PERFECT PATTERNS APPEAR OVERNIGHT IN FIELDS OF CROPS; SOME SAY IT'S THE WORK OF ALIENS, OTHERS BLAME CLEVER PRANKSTERS OR ANCIENT MAGIC.

## BEAST OF BODMIN MOOR, CORNWALL

A MYSTERIOUS BIG BLACK CAT IS SAID TO PROWL THE WILD MOORS, PUZZLING LOCALS FOR YEARS..

## LITTLE DRUMMER BOY, RICHMOND, YORKSHIRE

A YOUNG BOY VANISHED WHILE DRUMMING THROUGH A SECRET TUNNEL—LOCALS SAY HIS BEAT CAN STILL BE HEARD.

## HERMIT OF CULVER, CULVER, ISLE OF WIGHT

A DEMON-IMP WHO LIVED IN A CAVE AND CURSED THE VILLAGE WITH HIS MISCHIEF AND TRICKS.

## STONEHENGE, WILTSHIRE

A MYSTERIOUS CIRCLE OF GIANT STONES STANDS IN WILTSHIRE—NO ONE KNOWS EXACTLY HOW OR WHY IT WAS BUILT!

## LINCOLNSHIRE IMP, LINCOLN CITY

A CHEEKY IMP TURNED TO STONE BY AN ANGEL SITS HIGH IN LINCOLN CATHEDRAL, WATCHING OVER THE CITY.

## BLACK SHUCK, EAST ANGLIA

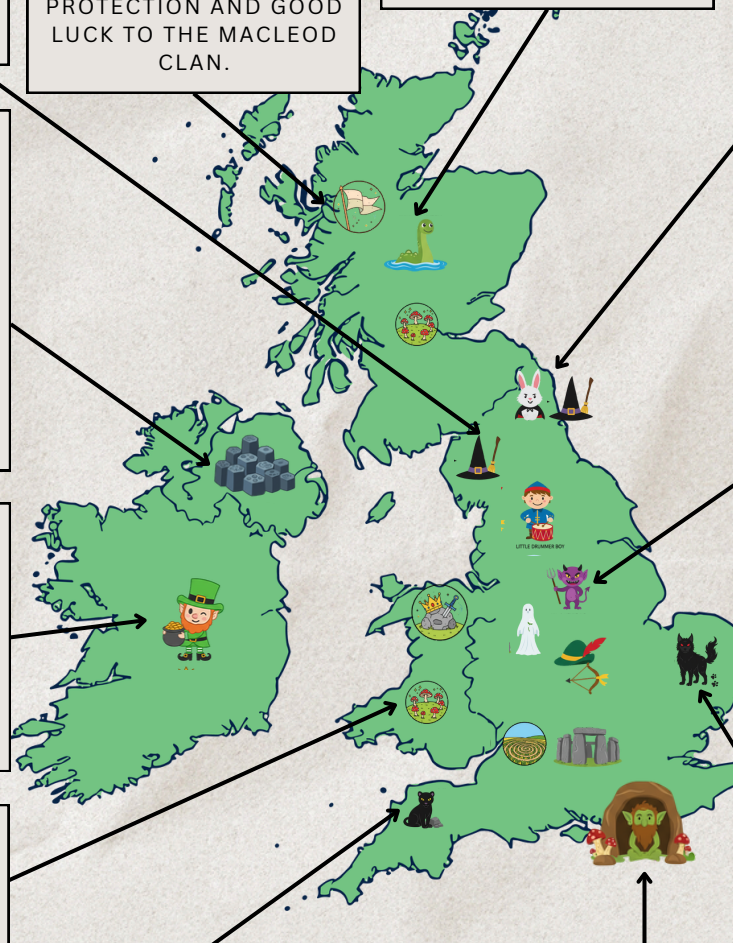
A GHOSTLY BLACK DOG WITH GLOWING EYES IS SAID TO HAUNT THE COUNTRYSIDE OF EAST ANGLIA.

## WHITE LADY, TAMWORTH CASTLE, STAFFORDSHIRE

A GHOSTLY WOMAN IN WHITE IS SAID TO WANDER THE HALLS OF TAMWORTH CASTLE.

## ROBIN HOOD, SHERWOOD FOREST, NOTTINGHAMSHIRE

THE LEGENDARY OUTLAW HID IN SHERWOOD FOREST, ROBBING FROM THE RICH AND HELPING THE POOR WITH HIS MERRY MEN.



## Kadyn's Joke Corner

WHAT DID THE ANCIENT GREEKS WEAR ON THEIR FEET?

TENNIS ZEUS

WHY DON'T CANNIBALS EAT CLOWNS?

BECAUSE THEY TASTE FUNNY!





# THE GREAT MYSTERIES OF OUR HOUSES

BRITAIN IS FULL OF STRANGE STORIES AND UNSOLVED PUZZLES—SOME ANCIENT, SOME HAPPENING RIGHT IN OUR OWN HOMES!

## THE MYSTERY OF THE INVISIBLE

**DAD:** ROXY SAYS, “THE MYSTERY OF DADDY ONLY BEING VISIBLE TO ME!” (MAYBE HE’S A MASTER OF DISGUISE?)



## THE VANISHING TV REMOTE:

ROXY’S HOUSE IS HAUNTED BY THE MYSTERY OF “WHERE’S THE TV REMOTE THIS TIME?” (WE BET IT’S UNDER THE SOFA!)



## THE CASE OF THE DISAPPEARING

**THINGS:** STACEY’S FAMILY SHOUTS, “HOUSE, PLEASE GIVE US BACK... [MISSING ITEM]!” AND—LIKE MAGIC—THE LOST THING ALWAYS TURNS UP. HAVE YOU TRIED ASKING YOUR HOUSE NICELY?



## THE GUINEA PIG HAY

SARAH’S GUINEA PIGS LIVE OUTSIDE, BUT SOMEHOW THEIR BEDDING AND HAY ALWAYS ENDS UP IN THE LOUNGE RUG. ARE THEY SNEAKING IN FOR MIDNIGHT SNACKS?



## THE TUPPERWARE LID

**ENIGMA:** SARAH WONDERS WHERE ALL THE TUPPERWARE LIDS GO. ARE THEY HIDING WITH THE ODD SOCKS?



## THE GREAT PEN

**ROBBERY:** LAURA IS CONVINCED HER HOUSE MUST HAVE “BORROWERS”—TINY PEOPLE WHO STEAL ALL THE PENS.



FROM OUR PETS THAT KEEP US SCRATCHING OUR HEADS TO THE EVERYDAY QUESTIONS THAT KEEP US ALL GUESSING, LIFE IS FULL OF PUZZLES—BIG AND SMALL. MAYBE THAT’S WHAT MAKES IT SO INTERESTING!

## EMMA’S HELPDESK: DEALING WITH WORRIES



“WHAT SHOULD I DO IF SOMETHING IS WORRYING ME, BUT I DON’T KNOW WHO TO ASK? HOW DO I ASK FOR HELP WHEN SOMETHING FEELS LIKE A MYSTERY OR I’M UNSURE ABOUT SOMETHING?”

WE ALL NEED HELP SOMETIMES, AND WE ALL HAVE WORRIES. WE CAN’T AVOID DIFFICULT THINGS, BUT WE CAN MANAGE THEM BY TAKING SOME SIMPLE STEPS.

1. IF YOU ARE WORRIED, BREAK IT DOWN LIKE THIS:-

A) WHAT IS THE WORRY ABOUT AND WHERE DO YOU THINK IT COMES FROM?

B) WHO DO YOU KNOW WHO CAN HELP WITH IT OR WHO MAY HAVE A SIMILAR WORRY?

C) WHAT MIGHT YOU TELL A FRIEND TO DO IN THIS SITUATION?

D) HOW CAN YOU CHANGE THE SITUATION TO MAKE IT BETTER FOR YOU?

2. FIND A TRUSTED PERSON TO TALK THROUGH THE WORRY WITH. MOST ADULTS HAVE HAD THE SAME WORRIES AS YOU AND WILL BE ABLE TO OFFER ADVICE OR JUST LISTEN. TELL THEM WHAT YOU NEED THEM TO DO TO SUPPORT YOU.

IF THERE ARE NO ADULTS OR OTHER CHILDREN WHO YOU FEEL ABLE TO SPEAK TO, PLEASE TEXT ONE OF THE MANY FREE HELPLINES. THEY ARE CONFIDENTIAL, WHICH MEANS NOBODY WILL KNOW YOU HAVE SENT A TEXT OR WHAT YOU HAVE SAID. ONE IS CALLED SHOUT (TEXT 85258) BUT THERE ARE MANY OTHERS TOO. YOU’RE NEVER ALONE.

3. IF YOU FEEL SILLY OR SCARED FOR VOICING YOUR WORRY, REMEMBER WE ALL HAD TO LEARN SOMEHOW AND NO QUESTION IS A SILLY QUESTION. IN FACT, I HEAR GREAT QUESTIONS FROM THE YOUNG PEOPLE I WORK WITH AND THESE QUESTIONS CAN SPEAK A BRILLIANT CONVERSATION!

SEE YOU NEXT MONTH!

~EMMA OLDERSHAW

THERAPIST, WRITER AND CREATIVE WELLBEING PRACTITIONER  
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WANT TO BE FEATURED HERE NEXT MONTH? SEND IN YOUR PICS AND ARTICLES TO  
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# LIVE LEARNING WITH SILKWORMS



LCB LEARNERS HAVE BEEN GETTING UP CLOSE WITH SILKWORMS, WATCHING EVERY STAGE FROM TINY EGGS TO SPINNING COCOONS. LIVE LEARNING LIKE THIS BRINGS SCIENCE TO LIFE—THERE'S NOTHING QUITE LIKE SEEING NATURE'S WONDERS HAPPEN RIGHT BEFORE YOUR EYES!

## FUNCTIONAL SKILLS EXAMS UPDATES AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

### CONGRATULATIONS



**ALISSA G**

For passing your Functional Skills Level 2 English speaking and listening assessment!



### UPCOMING SPEAKING & LISTENING ASSESSMENT DATES:

ENGLISH LEVEL 1  
THURSDAY 12TH FEBRUARY 2026 AT 1PM

ENGLISH LEVEL 2  
THURSDAY 26TH FEBRUARY 2026 AT 1PM

EMAIL US TO BOOK ON!

EXAMS  
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### CONGRATULATIONS



**HUMEIRA H**

For passing your Functional Skills Level 2 English Reading Paper!

**JAMES M**

For passing all of your Functional Skills Level 2 English!



## AQA UNIT AWARD SCHEME



THE BOTT FAMILY  
CLAW MACHINE

### AQA UNIT AWARD SCHEME

TERM 1 CERTIFICATES WILL BE DISTRIBUTED THROUGHOUT JANUARY  
YOU HAVE EARNED OVER 2000 CERTIFICATES SO FAR THIS YEAR!  
THE SPRING BONUS UNITS ARE OUT. ANYONE CAN HAVE A GO (TURN THE PAGE TO GET A SNEAK PEAK AT THEM!)

### WINTER GAMING

WHETHER YOU WERE MINIATURE BOWLING OR MAKING A MAGIC CLAW MACHINE, WE LOVED SEEING YOUR GAMING AND FESTIVE FUN THIS PAST MONTH!

AQA update  
and Work we  
loved this  
month



## DO YOU WANT TO BE IN THE PAPER?

WE LOVE SHARING YOUR AMAZING CRAFTS, STORIES, PHOTOS, RECIPES, AND CREATIVE IDEAS! IF YOU'D LIKE TO SEE YOUR WORK IN THE NEXT ISSUE, JUST SEND US A PHOTO, DRAWING, OR A FEW WORDS ABOUT WHAT YOU'VE BEEN UP TO. YOU CAN SHARE ANYTHING—CRAFT PROJECTS, POEMS, NEWS STORIES, LOCAL LEGENDS, OR EVEN YOUR SILLIEST JOKES!

ASK A PARENT OR CARER TO HELP YOU SEND YOUR ENTRIES TO US, AND YOU MIGHT SPOT YOURSELF IN THE NEXT EDITION OF THE CRAFTY HEDGEHOG!

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# WHAT'S ON IN JANUARY?

## (GREAT MYSTERIES OF THE BRITISH ISLES)

### Budding Crafters

123645 THE SCIENCE AND LORE OF FAIRY RINGS



DARTMOOR FAIRY RINGS

123646 MYSTERIES: THE LOCH NESS MONSTER



LOCH NESS MONSTER MODEL

123647 LEGENDS: THE BEAST OF BODMIN MOOR

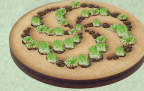


BODMIN BEAST MASK

123648 GEOGRAPHY AND MATHS: BRITISH MYSTERIES

### Standard Crafters

126349 THE MYSTERY AND SCIENCE OF CROP CIRCLES



MILK HILL CROP CIRCLE

126351 CROP CIRCLES: GEOMETRY AND MEASUREMENTS



GREEN MAN MANDALA

126350 BRITISH CULTURE: THE GREEN MAN



SWORD IN THE STONE PENCIL POT

126352 BRITISH CULTURE: THE LEGEND OF KING ARTHUR

Deluxe Add-on Option



FAIRY FLAG OF DUNVEGAN

126353 THE FAIRY FLAG OF DUNVEGAN

### Skilled Crafters

126355 CRITICAL THINKING: THE DISAPPEARANCE OF THE FLANNAN ISLE LIGHTHOUSE KEEPERS



FLANNAN ISLES AND THE LIGHTHOUSE KEEPERS

126354 RESEARCH PROJECT: BRITISH LEGENDS AND MYSTERIES

126356 MATHS: METEOROLOGICAL DATA

ONLINE LESSONS

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
28	29	30	31	1 New Year's Day	2	3 Full Moon ☾
4	5 FAIRY RINGS (LISA)	6 CROP CIRCLES (ELISABETH)	7 THE GREEN MAN (ELISABETH)	8 KING ARTHUR (ELISABETH)	9 FLANNAN ISLE LIGHTHOUSE (ELISABETH)	10
11	12 LOCH NESS MONSTER (LISA)	13 FAIRY FLAG (ELISABETH)	14 GEOGRAPHY & MATHS (LISA)	15 CROP CIRCLE GEOMETRY (ELISABETH)	16 METEOROLOGY & DATA (ELISABETH)	17
18 New Moon ☾	19 BEAST OF BODMIN MOOR (LISA)	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31

KEY: BUDDING CRAFTERS SKILLED  
PRE ENTRY LEVEL ENTRY LEVEL FUNCTIONAL SKILLS L1 AND L2

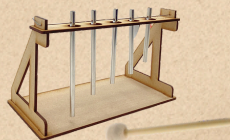


# WHAT'S COMING NEXT MONTH?

## MUSIC: GOOD VIBRATIONS

### Budding Crafters

123091  
SENSORY  
SESSIONS: MUSIC  
THERAPY



CALMING CHIME  
BAR

124820  
EXPLORING  
PITCH AND  
DYNAMICS:  
SOUNDS AND  
SIMPLE MUSIC



MINI STRING  
INSTRUMENT

124055  
SENSORY  
SCIENCE: SOUND  
AND MUSIC



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### Standard Crafters

123604  
SOUND AND VIBRATIONS



HAND DRUM

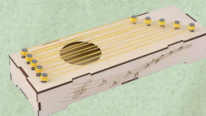
122671  
MUSIC: AN INTRODUCTION  
TO MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS



GROGGER

GOOD VIBRATIONS: THE  
MATHEMATICS OF SOUND  
WAVES

122702  
EXPERIENCING MUSIC (UNIT  
3)



GUQIN

71466  
SCIENCE: CHANGING  
SOUNDS

Deluxe Add-on  
Option

122437  
WELL-BEING, SELF-  
EXPRESSION AND MUSICAL  
IDENTITY



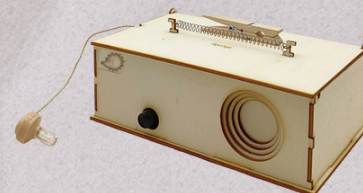
RAIN MAKER

### Skilled Crafters

124677  
(VOCATIONAL)  
ORGANISATIONS  
THAT MAKE THE  
MUSIC INDUSTRY

HIDDEN  
VIBRATIONS:  
SOUND

116203  
ART PROJECT:  
MUSIC ARTISTS



ACOUSTIC SOUND EXPLORER KIT

# SEASONAL CRAFTS/ UNITS

## SPRING BONUS

### Budding Crafters

124994  
SENSORY  
EXPERIENCE:  
SEASONS WITH  
SUPPORT



SPRING BUNTING

122821  
GRATITUDE  
USING  
MINDFULNESS



TREE OF LIFE  
TEALIGHT HOLDER

78240  
FEELINGS AND  
EMOTIONS



EMOTICON  
MAGNETS

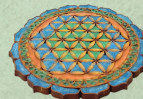
### Standard Crafters

124580  
PLANTING FLOWER BULBS FOR  
NATURALISATION OR BEDDING  
WITH SUPERVISION (UNIT 1)



DOG PLANTER

123817  
MINDFULNESS AND  
MEDITATION



SAND ART-  
FLOWER OF LIFE

115598  
POSITIVE ENGAGEMENT IN AN  
ART PROJECT

123171  
EXPLORING NATURE: A SENSES  
WALK (UNIT 1)



POM POM BEE

126344  
CULTURAL CELEBRATIONS OF  
THE SPRING EQUINOX

Deluxe Add-on  
Option



LAVENDER POT  
(DRIED LAVENDER)

### Skilled Crafters

124827  
MY HEALTH: EMOTIONAL  
WELLBEING

125635  
AWARENESS OF ANXIETY

119434  
ART FOR THERAPY: MAKING  
A SELF-SOOTHING IMAGE  
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