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St Patrick's  
Day



Let's Visit  
Ireland

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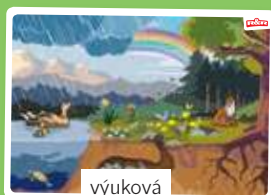
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## Dear Readers,

It's getting warmer outside. Spring is coming. The world outside is waking up. Plants are growing and animals are coming out and having babies. In this issue of RR, you can learn how to talk about springtime in English. We also write about the beautiful green country of Ireland and some of its traditions and stories. And as always, there are comic strips, games, puzzles and more, including the next part of Gulliver's adventures and some more clues in the Mystery of the Haunted Theatre. Are you excited? Turn the page and start reading!

Megan and the RR  
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# LOOK AT THE ANIMALS



Use the question card

**TASK 1**  Look at the pictures. Read the words. Write the words on the lines. The first letters will help you. Listen to CD Track 1 and check your answers.



1 **H** \_\_\_\_\_



2 **E** \_\_\_\_\_



3 **E** \_\_\_\_\_



4 **L** \_\_\_\_\_



5 **T** \_\_\_\_\_



6 **F** \_\_\_\_\_



7 **F** \_\_\_\_\_



8 **S** \_\_\_\_\_



9 **C** \_\_\_\_\_



10 **W** \_\_\_\_\_



11 **F** \_\_\_\_\_



12 **B** \_\_\_\_\_



13 **W** \_\_\_\_\_

beak [bi:k]  
claw [klɔ:]  
ear [ɪə(r)]  
eye [aɪ]

feather ['feðə(r)]  
fin [fɪn]  
fur [fɜ:(r)]  
head [hed]  
leg [leg]

shell [ʃel]  
tail [teɪl]  
whisker ['wɪskə(r)]  
wing [wɪŋ]

**TASK 2**

**WHICH ANIMAL HAS...?**

Read the sentences. Find the correct words in the snake. Write them on the lines. Put the remaining<sup>1</sup> letters in the joke.



A **CAT** has two ....., two ....., a ....., a ..... and ..... on its head. It has ..... to keep it warm. It has four ..... and a lot of **sharp**<sup>2</sup> .....

**BIRDS** can fly, they have ..... They have ..... to keep them **warm**<sup>3</sup>. The bird's mouth is called a .....

**TORTOISES**<sup>4</sup> have ..... to keep them safe.

**FISH** need ..... and a ..... for swimming.

Listen to CD Track 2 and check your answers.

**A JOKE**

**Question:** Why are cats good at video games?

**Answer:** \_\_\_\_\_

**TASK 3**



**A SPRING POEM**

Read the spring words. Can you put them in the poem? Listen to CD Track 3 and check your answers.

**WINDS**

**FLOWERS**

**BEEs**

**TREES**

**KIDs**

**RAIN**

Spring is here

Let's give some **cheer**<sup>5</sup>!

**1** \_\_\_\_\_ **bloom**<sup>6</sup>, **2** \_\_\_\_\_ grow

**3** \_\_\_\_\_ falls, **4** \_\_\_\_\_ **blow**<sup>7</sup>

**5** \_\_\_\_\_ **buzz**<sup>8</sup>, **6** \_\_\_\_\_ play

Say hooray! Spring is today!

**CLASS CHAT**



- ▶ Work in pairs. Choose an animal. Don't tell your friend. Say what it looks like. Can your friend guess what animal it is?
- ▶ Do you like spring? Why? What do you usually do in spring? What is the spring weather in your country?

**ANSWER & WIN**

SEND US YOUR ANSWERS TO TASKS 1-3 BY MARCH 31<sup>ST</sup>. TWO OF YOU WILL WIN!

**VOCABULARY**

- remaining** [ri'meɪnɪŋ] zbývající
- sharp** [ʃɑ:p] ostrý
- warm** [wɔ:m] teplý
- tortoise** ['tɔ:təs] (suchozemská) želva
- cheer** [tʃiə(r)] radost, dobrá nálada
- to bloom** [blu:m] (roz)kvést
- to blow** [bləʊ] vanout
- to buzz** [bʌz] bzučet



WHEN IS ST PATRICK'S DAY?

# ST PATRICK'S DAY

## A GREEN HOLIDAY

### WHEN IS IT?

St Patrick's Day, or the **Feast**<sup>1</sup> of St Patrick, is on March 17<sup>th</sup> every year. This year, St Patrick's Day is on a Tuesday.



### HOW DO PEOPLE CELEBRATE?

St Patrick's Day is a holiday in Ireland. That means people don't go to work, and children don't go to school. Many people go to church on this day. In cities there are **parades**<sup>8</sup> and concerts. But St Patrick's Day is not only celebrated in Ireland, but all over the world. In some cities in America, like New York and Chicago, there are very big celebrations with parades and lots of green. People wear green clothes and **shamrocks**<sup>9</sup>, drink green drinks, and even the rivers are green. It's a day of fun for everybody.



A LEPRECHAUN

### WHO WAS ST PATRICK?

St Patrick is the **patron saint**<sup>2</sup> of Ireland. He was born in Britain but, when he was 16, pirates **captured**<sup>3</sup> him. They took him to Ireland. Patrick was in Ireland for six years before he **escaped**<sup>4</sup> and went back to Britain. But, after a few years, Patrick went back to Ireland. He told the Irish people about **Christianity**<sup>5</sup> and built **churches**<sup>6</sup> and schools.



THE RIVER IS GREEN.

### TASK

What are these words? The letters are in the wrong places! Write the correct words in the sentences.

- 1 AISTPER    2 ICSIRHTAYTIN    3 ERNGE  
4 REAASPD    5 TBARNII

- A** On St Patrick's Day, people wear ..... clothes.  
**B** St Patrick was born in .....  
**C** When he was 16, Patrick was taken by .....  
**D** There are big ..... and concerts on St Patrick's Day.  
**E** Patrick told Irish people about .....

### VOCABULARY

- 1 **feast** [fi:st] (náboženský) svátek
- 2 **patron saint** [ˌpeɪtrən 'seɪnt] svatý patron
- 3 **to capture** ['kæptʃə(r)] zajmout
- 4 **to escape** [ɪ'skeɪp] uprchnout
- 5 **Christianity** [ˌkrɪstɪ'ænəti] křesťanství
- 6 **church** [tʃɜ:tʃ] kostel
- 7 **to celebrate** ['selɪbreɪt] (o)slavit, oslavovat
- 8 **parade** [pə'reɪd] slavnostní průvod
- 9 **shamrock** ['ʃæmrɒk] jetel

# IRISH CREATURES<sup>1</sup>

IRELAND IS A COUNTRY OF MANY LEGENDS. DO YOU KNOW THESE IRISH CREATURES?

## LEPRECHAUNS<sup>2</sup>

Leprechauns can be nice, or they can be bad. They usually have red hair, a red beard, green clothes and a green hat. Everybody in Ireland knows that leprechauns have lots of **gold**<sup>3</sup>. But where is it? At the end of the rainbow, of course. If you catch a leprechaun he might give you three **wishes**<sup>4</sup>, but be careful what you wish for.



## BANSHEES<sup>5</sup>

Banshees are very noisy. If you hear a banshee **screaming**<sup>6</sup>, someone in your family will **die**<sup>7</sup>. Nobody really knows what Banshees look like. They look like women, but some people say they are tall. Some people say they are short. Some people say they are young. Some people say they are old. The only thing people know is it's not good news to hear one in the middle of the night.



## PÚCAS

A púca is a naughty little **goblin**<sup>8</sup>. They can have white or black **fur**<sup>9</sup>. They can change what they look like, so often they look like horses, goats or other animals. Sometimes a púca will try to give you a ride on its back. This is a bad idea. The púca will take you on a **wild**<sup>10</sup> and scary trip, and then bring you back where you started. But after that, you will never be the same again.



### TASK



Read and listen (CD Track 4). What creature is it? Leprechaun, banshee or púca? Write L, B or P.

- 1 This creature might give you three wishes. ....
- 2 This creature might look like an animal. ....
- 3 Is this creature tall or short? Young or old? Nobody really knows.  
.....
- 4 This creature can have black fur. ....
- 5 This creature has a lot of gold. ....

### VOCABULARY

- 1 **creature** ['kri:tʃə(r)] bytost
- 2 **leprechaun** ['leprəkə:n] zlomyslný skřítek z irské mytologie
- 3 **gold** [gəʊld] zlato
- 4 **wish / to wish** [wɪʃ] přání / přát si
- 5 **banshee** ['bæŋʃi:] víla ohlašující smrt, smrtka
- 6 **to scream** [skri:m] křičet, ječet
- 7 **to die** [daɪ] zemřít
- 8 **goblin** ['gɒblɪn] skřítek
- 9 **fur** [fɜ:(r)] srst
- 10 **wild** [waɪld] divoký

# The Sweet Smell<sup>1</sup> of Flowers?

It's spring, and the sun shines<sup>2</sup> on the cold ground<sup>3</sup>. The ground gets warm, and plants start to grow. Green leaves and pretty flowers open.

Look – there are yellow daffodils<sup>4</sup> and purple crocuses<sup>5</sup>. Can you smell them? They smell sweet. Do you like to smell flowers?

## Smell the Flowers

Most flowers smell nice. Do you know why? Flowers need insects<sup>6</sup>. The insects carry pollen<sup>7</sup> from one flower to another. And many insects (for example, bees and butterflies) like sweet things. But there are some insects that like smelly things. And there are flowers that need these insects, not bees and butterflies.

## Bad Meat?

There are many flowers that smell like dead<sup>8</sup> animals. There is a flower in Indonesia called *Rafflesia tuan-mudae*. It's the biggest flower in the world. It's beautiful, but it smells like bad meat. In South Africa, there's a plant called the "pineapple lily"<sup>9</sup>. Lilies and pineapples smell very sweet – but not the pineapple lily.

## More Smelly Flowers

There are other bad flower smells. There's a plant in America that smells like a **sweaty armpit**<sup>10</sup>. There's another that smells like old fish. And one in South Africa smells like dog **poo**<sup>11</sup>!

So tell me again... Do you like to smell flowers?

**TASK** Draw a line between the flower and its smell.



The buffalo gourd smells like a sweaty armpit.



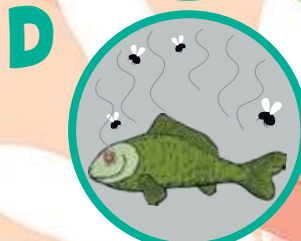
The flowers of the Bradford pear smell like very old fish.



The jackal food flower smells like dog poo.



Rafflesia smells like bad meat.



## VOCABULARY

- 1 smell / to smell / smelly [smel / 'smeli] vůně / vonět, zavánět / páchnoucí
- 2 to shine [ʃaɪn] svítit
- 3 ground [graʊnd] zem
- 4 daffodil ['dæfədɪl] narcis
- 5 crocus ['krɒskəs] krokus
- 6 insect ['ɪnsekt] hmyz
- 7 pollen ['pɒlən] pyl
- 8 dead [ded] mrtvý
- 9 lily ['lɪli] lilie
- 10 sweaty armpit ['sweti ,ɑ:mpɪt] zpotené podpaží
- 11 poo [pu:] bobek, hovínko



# LET'S GO OUTSIDE!

**TASK 1** It's a beautiful spring day. Lucy would like to go outside. What about her two alien<sup>2</sup> friends, Perzil and Yo-Yee? Listen to a conversation (CD Track 5). Match Perzil, Yo-Yee and Lucy with the right words.

car park<sup>3</sup>

restaurant



outside

park

cinema



**TASK 2** Finish the sentences with the right words. Listen to the conversation and check your answers.

- LUCY:** Spring! So come on, let's ..... something.
- YO-YEE:** Let's ..... to the restaurant.
- PERZIL:** What about ..... to the cinema?
- YO-YEE:** Let's go ..... the park.
- LUCY:** That's a ..... idea<sup>4</sup>.
- PERZIL:** Lucy, shall ..... go to the car park?
- LUCY:** OK, fine. .... go.

## LANGUAGE CORNER MAKING SUGGESTIONS<sup>5</sup>

QUESTIONS	ANSWERS
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Let's go...</li> <li>What about going...?</li> <li>How about going...?</li> <li>Shall we go...?</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>That's a good / great idea.</li> <li>Good / Great idea.</li> <li>OK, fine.</li> <li>OK, cool.</li> <li>Let's do it.</li> <li>I don't know.</li> <li>No, thanks. I don't like... / I hate<sup>6</sup>...</li> </ul>

## CLASS CHAT

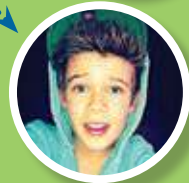
- ▶ Read the conversation (CD Track 5) in the Recording Scripts. Role-play it with your friend.
- ▶ Read the Language Corner. Work in pairs. **Take turns**<sup>7</sup> to suggest things and give answers. Use a different question and a different answer from the Language Corner each time.

## VOCABULARY

- outside** [ˌaʊtˈsaɪd] ven, venku
  - alien** [ˈeɪliən] vesmírný, z vesmíru
  - car park** [ˈkɑː pɑːk] parkoviště
  - idea** [aɪˈdɪə] nápad
  - suggestion** [səˈdʒestʃən] návrh
  - to hate** [heit] nemít rád, nesnášet
  - to take turns** [tɜːnz] střídát se
  - to return** [rɪˈtɜːn] (na)vrátit se
  - sunshine** [ˈsʌnʃaɪn] sluneční svit
  - blossom** [ˈblɒsəm] květ(y)
  - to shine** [ʃaɪn] svítit, zářit
  - rose** [rəʊz] růže
  - snowdrop** [ˈsnəʊdrɒp] sněženka
  - tulip** [ˈtjuːlɪp] tulipán
- in the Recording Scripts



# WITH EMMA AND JIRKA



# IRELAND

EMMA'S AND JIRKA'S ADVENTURE<sup>1</sup> CONTINUES<sup>2</sup>. THIS MONTH THEY'RE VISITING A COUNTRY FAMOUS FOR ITS GREEN HILLS<sup>3</sup>, WHISKEY AND MUSIC. THEY DRINK GUINNESS AND THE NATIONAL SYMBOL IS A HARP<sup>5</sup>. DO YOU KNOW WHERE IT IS? THAT'S RIGHT, IT'S IRELAND. THERE ARE TWO COUNTRIES ON THE ISLAND OF IRELAND: THE REPUBLIC OF IRELAND AND NORTHERN IRELAND. NORTHERN IRELAND IS A PART OF THE UK.

### TASK 1



#### A QUIZ

How much do you know about Ireland?

Do the quiz. Then listen to CD Track 6 and check your answers.

- How many people live in Ireland?  
**a** 70 million                                      **b** 6.5 million                                      **c** 1.7 million
- What is the **capital**<sup>6</sup> of the Republic of Ireland?  
**a** Cork    **b** Glasgow    **c** Dublin
- How big is Ireland?  
**a** 113,000 km<sup>2</sup>                                      **b** 84,000 km<sup>2</sup>                                      **c** 17,000 km<sup>2</sup>
- How many official languages are there in Ireland?  
**a** One: English                                      **b** Two: English and Irish                                      **c** Three: English, Irish and Gaelic
- Which band is not Irish?  
**a** U2    **b** The Cranberries                                      **c** The Beatles
- What is the most popular sport of Ireland?  
**a** Gaelic football                                      **b** football                                      **c** curling
- What is the name of the plant that has three leaves and is the country's national flower?  
**a** the rose                                      **b** the tulip                                      **c** the shamrock\*



GAELIC FOOTBALL



SHAMROCKS

### DUBLIN



U2

Hi RR Readers!  
I hope you're all wearing your hiking boots and have your raincoats ready. This month we are in Ireland. It might rain a lot but it is very beautiful. It's called the Emerald Isle\* and we're going to look at its castles and countryside, and listen to some of the country's many music bands.

## About Ireland

Ireland is a beautiful country. It's called the Emerald Isle because of its green hills and **glens**<sup>7</sup>. The world-famous Guinness beer is from Ireland. It is from the Dublin **brewery**<sup>8</sup> of Arthur Guinness. The national holiday of Ireland is St Patrick's Day. On March 17<sup>th</sup> people **celebrate**<sup>9</sup> it around the world. People wear green clothes and drink Irish whiskey and Guinness.



THE DUBLIN BREWERY OF ARTHUR GUINNESS

## Did You Know?

- ▶ Ireland is famous for its music and it has won the Eurovision song **contest**<sup>10</sup> a record seven times.
- ▶ There are **no** snakes Ireland. Snakes can't swim and so they didn't cross the sea to Ireland.
- ▶ Irish writers have won four Nobel prizes for literature. For such a small country, this is **amazing**<sup>11</sup>.
- ▶ The Irish eat potato pancakes, too. They call them **boxtys**.
- ▶ Many Irish people **believe**<sup>12</sup> that **fairies**<sup>13</sup> exist.
- ▶ Irish **folk**<sup>14</sup> stories are full of **leprechauns**<sup>15</sup>. These are small men who give wishes to travellers and **bury**<sup>16</sup> **treasure**<sup>17</sup> around the country.

A FAIRY



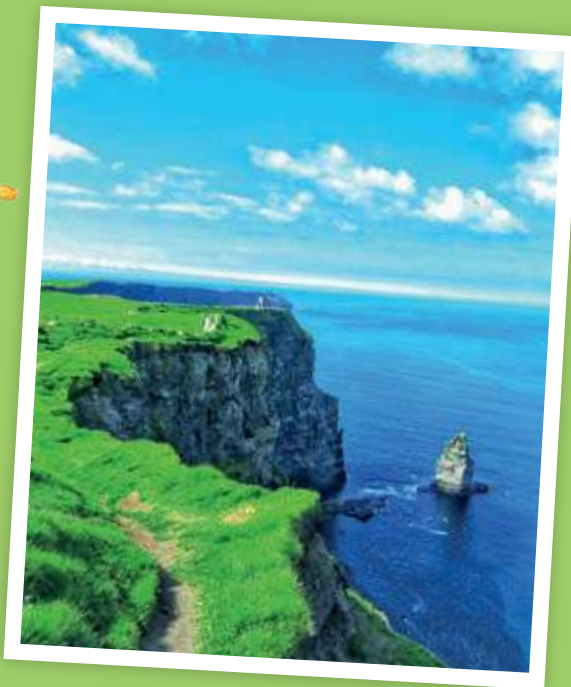
ST PATRICK'S DAY



BOXTYS



A LEPRECHAUN



IRELAND

### \*GLOSSARY

**shamrock** – a small plant with three leaves  
**isle** – island

### TASK 2 Read sentences 1–5. Can you find the missing words?

- 1 The national symbols of Ireland are a h..... and a s.....
- 2 Ireland is called the Emerald I.....
- 3 It r..... a lot in Ireland. You need to wear a raincoat.
- 4 Ireland is famous for its m.....
- 5 Boxtys are the Irish potato p.....

### VOCABULARY

- 1 **adventure** [əd'ventʃə(r)] dobrodružství
  - 2 **to continue** [kən'tɪnju:] pokračovat
  - 3 **hill** [hɪl] kopec
  - 4 **national** ['næʃnəl] národní
  - 5 **harp** [hɑ:p] harfa
  - 6 **capital** ['kæpɪtl] hlavní město
  - 7 **glen** [glen] horské údolí
  - 8 **brewery** ['bru:əri] pivovar
  - 9 **to celebrate** ['selɪbreɪt] slavit
  - 10 **contest** ['kɒntest] soutěž
  - 11 **amazing** [ə'meɪzɪŋ] úžasný
  - 12 **to believe** [bɪ'li:v] věřit
  - 13 **fairy** ['feəri] skřítek, víla
  - 14 **folk** [fɒlk] lidový
  - 15 **leprechaun** ['leprəkɔ:n] zlomyslný skřítek z irské mytologie
  - 16 **to bury** ['beri] zakopat
  - 17 **treasure** ['trezə(r)] poklad
  - 18 **century** ['sentʃəri] století
  - 19 **peace** [pi:s] mír
  - 20 **championship** ['tʃæmpɪənʃɪp] mistrovství
  - 21 **heart-shaped** ['hɑ:t ʃeɪpt] ve tvaru srdce
  - 22 **druid** ['dru:ɪd] druid, keltský kněz
-  in the Recording Scripts

ARE GREY SEALS GOOD AT HEARING?



# Grey Seals<sup>1</sup>

HI. I HAVE A QUESTION FOR YOU. WHAT SAYS "ARF, ARF, ARF"? A SILLY HUMAN<sup>2</sup> WHO WANTS TO SOUND LIKE A SEAL. THAT WAS FUNNY, RIGHT? NO? YOU HUMANS DON'T KNOW WHAT'S FUNNY. I'M A SEAL AND I THINK IT'S VERY FUNNY.



## ANSWER & WIN

SEND US YOUR ANIMAL CARD (TF - ACTIVITIES) BY MARCH 31<sup>st</sup>. TWO OF YOU WILL WIN A



I am a grey seal. I live in Ireland. There are many of us everywhere in the UK. Grey seals live in big colonies by the sea. Some colonies can have over 6,000 seals. How many people live with you?

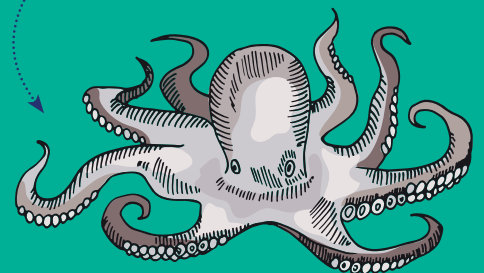
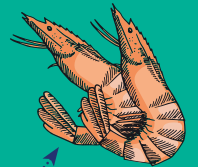
I am the biggest **mammal**<sup>3</sup> in the UK. I can be up to three metres long and I **weigh**<sup>4</sup> up to 400 kilograms. Girl seals can live up to 35 years and boys live up to 25 years.

I love to eat! My favourite food is fish. Are you surprised? I also like to eat **eels**<sup>5</sup>, **octopus**<sup>6</sup> and **shrimp**<sup>7</sup>. Some seabirds are very **tasty**<sup>8</sup> but they are hard to catch.

Animals that like to eat me are sharks and **orcas**<sup>9</sup>. Be careful. Sharks can eat you, too.

To get my food I **dive**<sup>10</sup> underwater. I can go up to 70 metres **deep**<sup>11</sup>. I'm a fast swimmer. I can swim at up to 35 kph\* but I usually swim at 10 kph.

AN OCTOPUS AND SHRIMP



## \*GLOSSARY

kph – kilometres per / an hour

## VOCABULARY

- 1 **grey seal** [ˌɡreɪ 'si:l] tuleň kuželozubý
- 2 **human** ['hju:mən] člověk
- 3 **mammal** ['mæml] savec
- 4 **to weigh** [wei] vážit
- 5 **eel** [i:l] úhoř
- 6 **octopus** ['ɒktəpəs] chobotnice
- 7 **shrimp** [ʃrɪmp] garnát (mořský ráček)
- 8 **tasty** ['teɪstɪ] chutný
- 9 **orca** ['ɔ:kə] kosatka
- 10 **to dive** [daɪv] potápět se
- 11 **deep** [di:p] hluboko
- 12 **whisker** ['wɪskə(r)] vous
- 13 **way** [wei] způsob
- 14 **blind** [blaɪnd] slepý
- 15 **hunter** ['hʌntə(r)] lovec
- 16 **current** ['kʌrənt] proud



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## TASK



Read the sentences. There's one mistake in each sentence. Listen to CD Track 8 and correct the mistakes.

- 1 Grey seals can see really well with their big **whiskers**<sup>12</sup>.
- 2 The most important **way**<sup>13</sup> they find food is with their eyes.
- 3 They can see so well that even a **blind**<sup>14</sup> seal can easily find something tasty in the cold dark ocean.

# SIMPLE SCIENCE QUESTIONS

## WHY IS GRASS GREEN AND THE SKY BLUE?

WHAT ARE THE COLOURS OF THE RAINBOW?

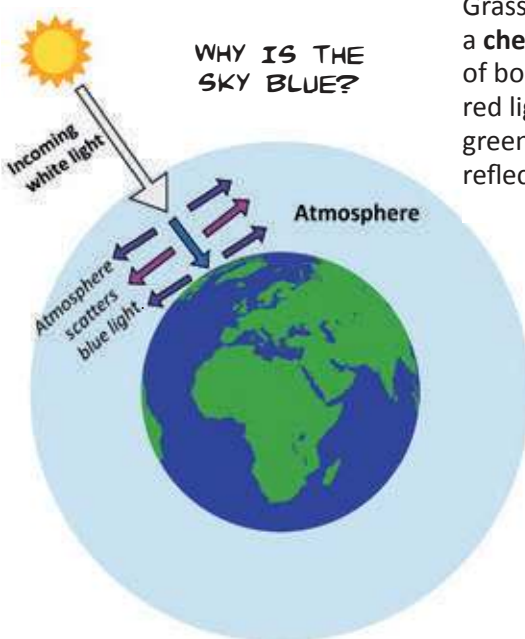
### WHY IS THE SKY BLUE?

All light travels in a straight line. When something is in the way, one of these things happens:

- 1 It **reflects**<sup>1</sup> the light (e.g. a mirror).
- 2 It absorbs (= pulls inside itself) the light (most things).
- 3 It **scatters**<sup>2</sup> the light (e.g. **gas**<sup>3</sup> molecules).

White light from the Sun has many **wavelengths**<sup>4</sup> and colours. (Do you know the colours?) Light travels in a straight line in space. But when it hits the air (gas) in the Earth's atmosphere, the air molecules scatter and **bounce**<sup>5</sup> some of the light in different directions.

It's a bit like a **bouncy castle**<sup>6</sup>. When you get in a bouncy castle with your friends, you jump around like **crazy**<sup>7</sup>. When your teacher gets in the bouncy castle, he or she only jumps a little. Blue light has the shortest wavelength and it's like you and your friends. It bounces like crazy. The red and yellow light is like your teacher. It doesn't




really bounce. Instead it travels directly from the Sun to our eyes. (Don't ever look straight at the Sun – it will burn your eyes!) Blue light comes from all over the sky because, like you and your friends in a bouncy castle, it bounces everywhere until it hits the ground.

### WHY IS GRASS GREEN?

Grass is green because it has a **chemical**<sup>8</sup> called **chlorophyll**<sup>9</sup> – not because of bouncing. Chlorophyll absorbs blue and red light. But it reflects green light. Grass is green because green light hits the grass and reflects it into our eyes.



#### VOCABULARY

- 1 **to reflect** [rɪ'flekt] odrážet
  - 2 **to scatter** ['skæɪə(r)] rozptýlit
  - 3 **gas** [gæs] plyn, plynný
  - 4 **wavelength** ['weɪvlɛnθ] vlnová délka
  - 5 **to bounce** [baʊns] odrazit
  - 6 **bouncy castle** [,baʊnsɪ 'kɑ:sl] skákací hrad
  - 7 **crazy** ['kreɪzi] jako šílený, jako divý
  - 8 **chemical** ['kemɪkl] (chemická) látka
  - 9 **chlorophyll** ['klɒrəfɪl] chlorofyl, listová zeleň
  - 10 **carbon dioxide** [,kɑ:bən daɪ'ɒksaɪd] oxid uhličitý
-  *in the Recording Scripts*

#### TASK



**Read and listen (CD Track 9). Match questions 1–5 with the right answers (A–E).**

- 1 Why is the sky blue?
- 2 Why is grass green?
- 3 What are the colours of light in white light?
- 4 Is the sky blue on the moon?
- 5 What colour is the sky on Mars?

- A They are the colours of the rainbow.
- B It's black.
- C Because of a special chemical.
- D It looks orange during the day.
- E Because of the wavelength of blue light.

A RAINBOW



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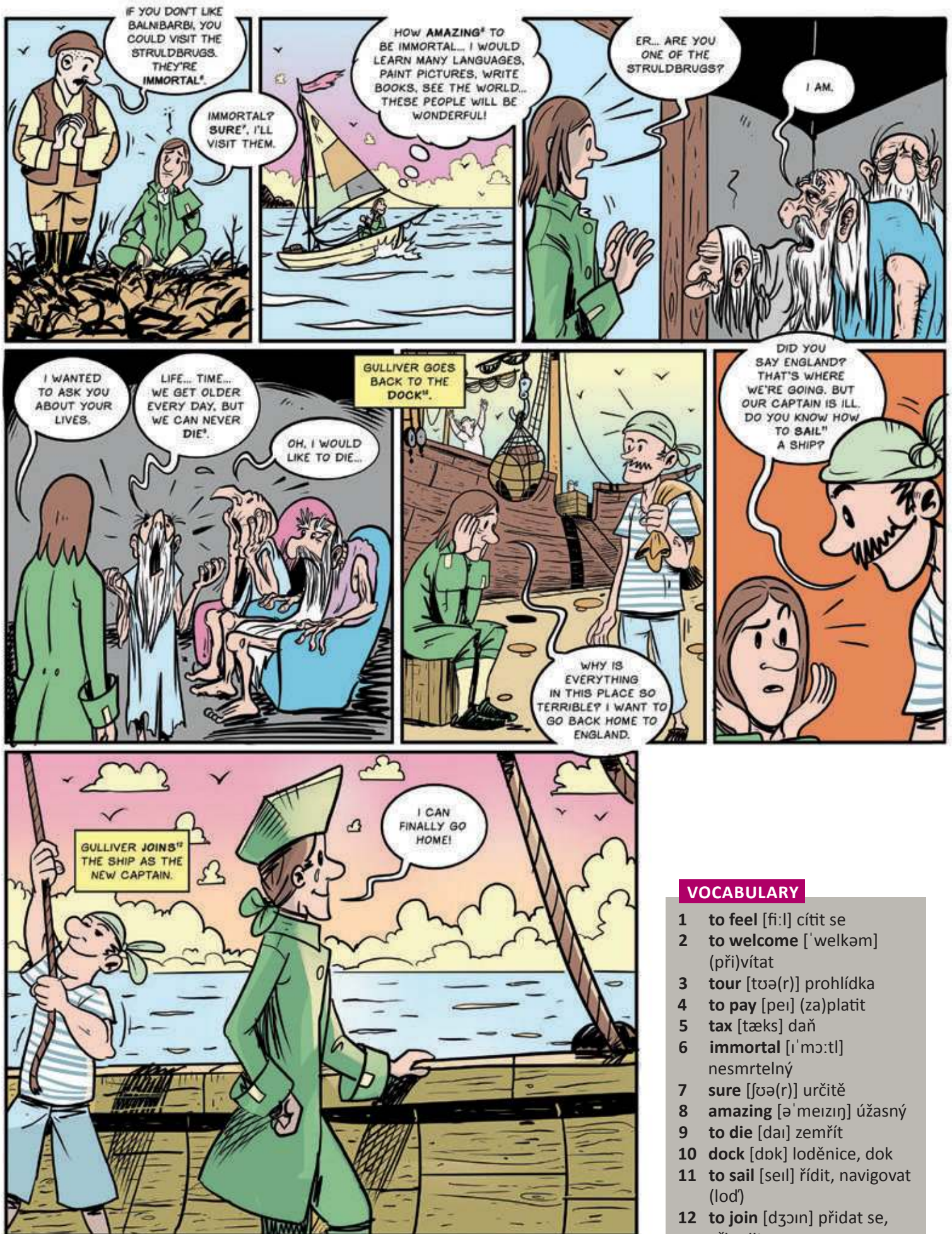
# GULLIVER'S TRAVELS

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TO BE CONTINUED...

### VOCABULARY

- 1 to feel [fi:l] cítit se
- 2 to welcome ['welkəm] (při)vítat
- 3 tour [tʊə(r)] prohlídka
- 4 to pay [peɪ] (za)platit
- 5 tax [tæks] daň
- 6 immortal [ɪ'mɔ:tl] nesmrtelný
- 7 sure [ʃʊə(r)] určitě
- 8 amazing [ə'meɪzɪŋ] úžasný
- 9 to die [daɪ] zemřít
- 10 dock [dɒk] loděnice, dok
- 11 to sail [seɪl] řídit, navigovat (lod')
- 12 to join [dʒɔɪn] přidat se, připojit se

# ori and the will of the wisps<sup>1</sup>

*Ori and the Blind Forest* is a game from 2015. People said it was one of the best games on PC, and it's still popular now. But this month, a second game is coming: *Ori and the Will of the Wisps*.

Ori is a white **guardian spirit**<sup>2</sup>. In the first game, Ori **saved**<sup>3</sup> the forest. This time, they<sup>4</sup> are leaving the forest to learn the story of the world and find their **destiny**<sup>4</sup>. They have to run, jump, and **fight**<sup>5</sup> monsters in this beautiful world. But Ori is not **alone**<sup>6</sup>! Their friend Sein, another spirit, is coming with them to help.

Be careful: *Ori and the Will of the Wisps* is very beautiful, but it's also very difficult! You have to practise if you want to win. We don't know much about the story yet, but the people who made the game say it will be very **emotional**<sup>7</sup>. The game will be on Xbox One and Windows 10 on March 11<sup>th</sup>. But if you can't get the game, you can watch other people play it on YouTube and enjoy the beautiful **graphics**<sup>8</sup>!

## •LANGUAGE POINT

### They

In English, if we don't know if someone is a boy or a girl, we use *they* instead of *he* or *she*. Ori is not a boy or a girl.

## TASK

Look at the sentences about the two Ori games. The first game is old, and the second one is new. Write the verbs on the lines. You need to change the words so they are the right tense<sup>9</sup>.

- 1 (be) In *Ori and the Blind Forest*, Ori \_\_\_\_\_ in a forest.
- 2 (leave) In *Ori and the Will of the Wisps*, Ori is \_\_\_\_\_ the forest.
- 3 (help) In *Ori and the Blind Forest*, Ori's friend Sein \_\_\_\_\_ them.
- 4 (come) In *Ori and the Will of the Wisps*, Sein is \_\_\_\_\_ to help them again.
- 5 (can) In *Ori and the Blind Forest*, Ori \_\_\_\_\_ fight monsters.
- 6 (learn) In *Ori and the Will of the Wisps*, Ori must \_\_\_\_\_ to fight in new ways.

## VOCABULARY

- 1 **will-of-the-wisp**  
[ˌwɪl ə ˈdɔː ˈwɪsp]  
bludička  
(fosforeskující plyn na blatech), přelud
- 2 **guardian spirit**  
[ˌɡɑːdiən ˈspɪrɪt]  
strážný duch
- 3 **to save** [seɪv]  
zachránit
- 4 **destiny** [ˈdestəni]  
osud
- 5 **to fight sb / sth** [faɪt]  
bojovat s kým / čím
- 6 **alone** [ə ˈləʊn] sám, samotný
- 7 **emotional** [i ˈməʊʃənl]  
dojemný
- 8 **graphics** [ˈɡræfɪks]  
grafika
- 9 **tense** [tens]  
(slovesný) čas



Listen to CD Track 10 and check your answers.

→ Solutions in the TF





# THE MYSTERY<sup>1</sup> OF THE HAUNTED<sup>2</sup> THEATRE



THERE WERE TWO PEOPLE HURT<sup>3</sup> IN THE THEATRE, AND SOME PEOPLE THOUGHT IT WAS AN ANGRY GHOST<sup>4</sup>. NOW ANOTHER PERSON IS HURT, AND IT'S THE THEATRE MANAGER, BEVERLY MIRREN.

**TASK 1** Here is an article<sup>5</sup> about what happened<sup>6</sup>. We printed<sup>7</sup> it from the internet. Sorry, the printer<sup>7</sup> is broken and everything is backwards<sup>8</sup>. Can you read it? Write the sentences down.

AGAIN BACK IS GHOST THE \_\_\_\_\_

another attacked<sup>9</sup> Theatre Mirren the in ghost The \_\_\_\_\_

The manager. theatre the it's time, This person. \_\_\_\_\_

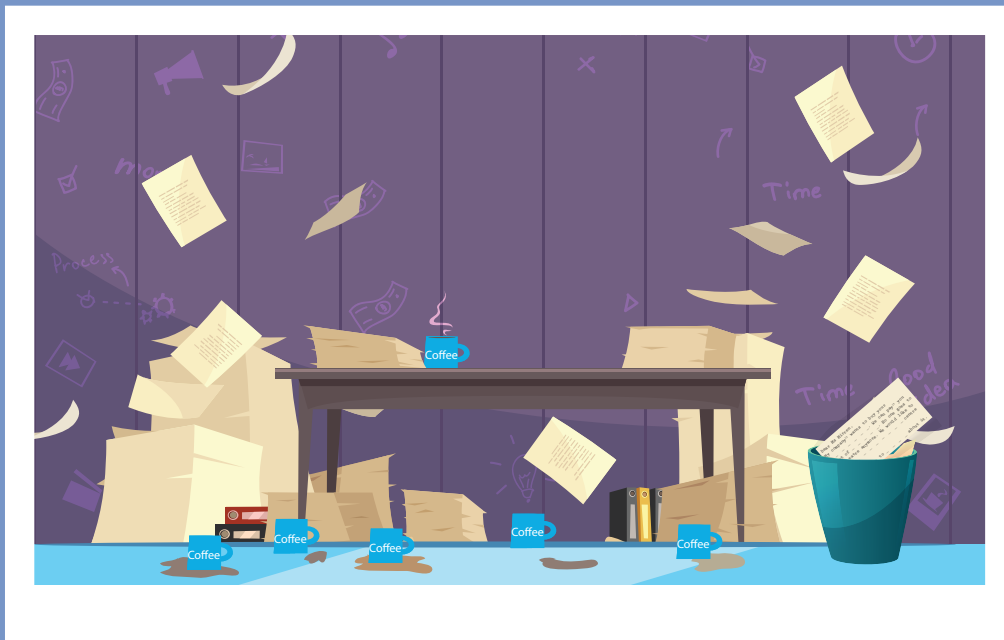
hospital in She's stage<sup>10</sup>. the off her pushed ghost \_\_\_\_\_

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*Butterworth Jessica by*

**TASK 2** Beverly Mirren called us from the hospital. She says it wasn't a ghost. She was just very tired because she isn't sleeping well, and she fell. Hm... Is that true<sup>11</sup>? Or is she just afraid to say it's a ghost? Here is a photo of her office. What do you think, detective?



## VOCABULARY

- 1 **mystery** ['mɪstri] tajemství, záhada
- 2 **haunted** ['hɔ:ntɪd] strašidelný
- 3 **hurt** [hɜ:t] zraněný
- 4 **ghost** [gəʊst] duch, přízrak
- 5 **article** ['ɑ:tɪkl] článek
- 6 **to happen** ['hæpən] stát se
- 7 **to print / printer** [prɪnt / 'prɪntə(r)] (vy)tisknout / tiskárna
- 8 **backwards** ['bækwədʒ] pozpátku
- 9 **to attack** [ə'tæk] napadnout
- 10 **stage** [steɪdʒ] jeviště
- 11 **true** [tru:] pravdivý
- 12 **clue** [klu:] nápověda
- 13 **bin** [bɪn] (odpadkový) koš

## THE CLUES<sup>12</sup>

1 There are lots of blue \_\_\_\_\_ in Beverly's office.

2 We can see a \_\_\_\_\_ in the bin<sup>13</sup>.

3 Beverly says she fell because she was very tired from not sleeping enough.

Do you think this is true? YES / NO Why / Why not?

# PUZZLE TIME

**TASK 1**

**A ZIGZAG<sup>1</sup> WORD PUZZLE**

This is a zigzag word puzzle. The sentences and the first letters help you to find ten animal body parts and spring words. The words go left, right, up and down, but not **diagonally**<sup>2</sup>. The words can **bend**<sup>3</sup> at a **right angle**<sup>4</sup>. Look at the example.

**EXAMPLE**

A flying animal with a long thin body and four big wings .....*butterfly*.....



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- 1 A bird's mouth
- 2 Different colours that you can see in the sky when the sun **shines**<sup>5</sup> through rain
- 3 A small white flower that grows in early spring
- 4 A lot of hair that grows on the body of some animals
- 5 The body part at the back of the body of a bird, an animal or a fish, which the animal can move
- 6 A black and yellow flying animal that lives in big groups and makes honey
- 7 The body part that birds use to fly
- 8 A **flat**<sup>6</sup> green part of a plant
- 9 A tall yellow spring flower. It is a symbol of Wales.
- 10 Long hairs that grow near the noses of animals like cats, mice and dogs

- B.....
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**VOCABULARY**

- |   |  |  |
|---|--|--|
| 1 <b>zigzag</b> ['zɪgzæg] klikatá čára              | 3 <b>to bend</b> [bend] ohnout, zahrnout | 5 <b>to shine</b> [ʃaɪn] svítit, zářit |
| 2 <b>diagonally</b> [daɪ'æɡənəli] šikmo, úhlopříčně | 4 <b>right angle</b> ['æŋɡl] pravý úhel  | 6 <b>flat</b> [flæt] plochý, rovný     |

## TASK 2 THE LEPRECHAUN'S<sup>1</sup> GOLD<sup>2</sup>

Tip: Are there words you don't understand? The vocabulary on pp. 6-7 will help you.

A leprechaun has a bag of gold **buried**<sup>3</sup> somewhere here. Can you find it?

- ✿ The bag of gold is buried on a square with no trees or **shamrocks**<sup>4</sup>.
- ✿ In the 8 squares around it there are two trees.
- ✿ In the 8 squares around it there is one shamrock.
- ✿ The square with the gold doesn't have any **dotted**<sup>5</sup> lines.

### ANSWER & WIN

SEND US YOUR ANSWERS TO TASKS 1 AND 2 BY MARCH 31<sup>st</sup>. TWO OF YOU WILL WIN!

Write the correct words under the pictures.



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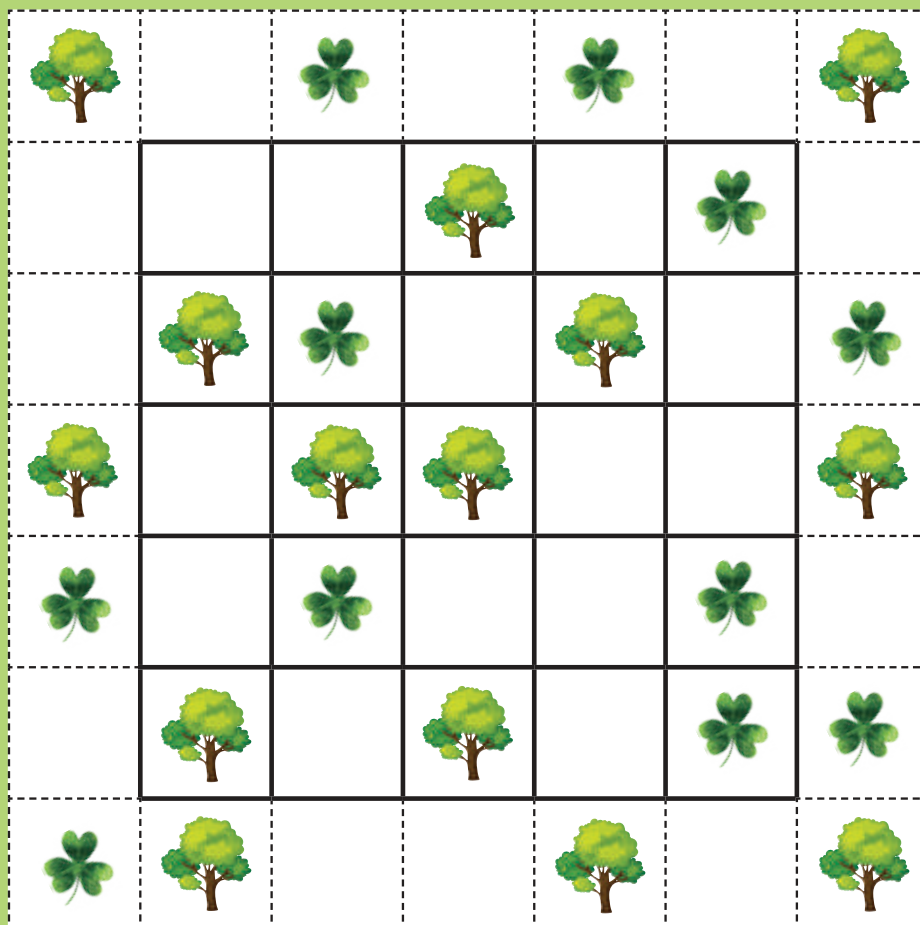
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### VOCABULARY

- 1 **leprechaun** ['leprəko:n] zlomyslný skřítek z irské mytologie
- 2 **gold** [gəʊld] zlato
- 3 **to bury** ['beri] zakopat, zahrabat
- 4 **shamrock** ['ʃæmrək] jetel
- 5 **dotted** ['dɒtɪd] přerušovaný, tečkovaný

# The Giant's Causeway<sup>2</sup>

IT IS LONG, LONG AGO, AND FINN MCCOOL IS THE BIGGEST AND STRONGEST GIANT IN IRELAND.

BUT ACROSS THE IRISH SEA IN SCOTLAND, THERE LIVES ANOTHER GIANT, BENANDONNER. HE BELIEVES<sup>3</sup> HE IS THE STRONGEST OF ALL THE GIANTS.

I'M THE STRONGEST!  
I'M THE BEST!

GRRR!

FINN IS NOT HAPPY ABOUT THIS. HE THINKS HE IS THE STRONGEST. HE STARTS TO MAKE A PATH<sup>4</sup> ACROSS THE SEA TO SCOTLAND.

I'LL SHOW HIM WHO IS THE STRONGEST.

BENANDONNER DOES THE SAME<sup>5</sup>.

OH, HE THINKS HE'S COMING HERE? I'LL GO TO HIM.

ONE MORNING, FINN FINISHES THE PATH. HE SEES BENANDONNER IS MUCH CLOSER.

WHAT? HE'S MUCH BIGGER THAN I THOUGHT.

FINN RUNS HOME BEFORE BENANDONNER SEES HIM.

HE'S REALLY BIG! MUCH BIGGER THAN ME.

FINN'S WIFE, OONAGH, IS VERY CLEVER.

GET IN THERE.

BUT...

SOON BENANDONNER COMES ALONG THE PATH.

WHERE IS HE?

HE'S OUT. JUST ME AND HIS SON HERE.

HIS SON?

IF HIS SON IS THAT BIG, HOW BIG IS HE?

YOU CAN STILL SEE A PART OF THE PATH THAT THE GIANTS BUILT TODAY IN IRELAND. IT'S CALLED THE GIANT'S CAUSEWAY.

1 giant ['dʒaɪənt] obr

2 causeway ['kɔ:zwei] cesta vedená po hrázi

3 to believe [bi'li:v] věřit

4 path [pɑ:θ] cesta, stezka

5 same [seɪm] ten samý

6 to point [pɔɪnt] ukázat

7 cradle ['kredl] kolébka

8 to shout [ʃaʊt] zakřičet

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