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looking down at the ground

Page 2: Questions


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- 1 Name three objects you can see in photo B.
 - 2 Draw the shape of two of the objects in C.
 - 3 What shape is the manhole cover in H?
 - 4 What shape are the bricks in J?
 - 5 Name something you have seen looking down at a path or road.
 - 6 Make a rubbing or drawing of something you see looking down at the ground.

Answers

- 1 Drain grating, manhole cover, brick pavement
- 2 *ACTIVITY*
- 3 Rectangle
- 4 Rectangles
- 5 e.g. kerb, double-yellow lines, zebra crossing, stones, litter
- 6 e.g. as above; also carpet, rug

looking down at furniture


Page 4: Questions

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- 1 Name the rooms you can see in photo A of the model house.
 - 2 Is the sitting room on the ground floor or the first floor?
 - 3 Which floor is the bathroom on?
 - 4 Look at photos A and B. Name the pieces of furniture you can see in the bedroom.

Answers

- 1 First floor: bedroom, bathroom;
Ground floor: sitting room, kitchen
- 2 Ground floor
- 3 First floor
- 4 Chest of drawers, bed, bedside table, lamp, bunk bed, dollhouse

Page 5: Questions


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- 1 Which photo looks down from above on the bath?
 - 2 What does the plan in K show?
 - 3 Choose another piece of furniture you can see in photo B. Draw a plan of it.
 - 4 Choose a piece of furniture in the sitting room in photo A. Draw a plan of it.

Answers

- 1 G (looking straight down)
- 2 Chest of drawers
- 3 *ACTIVITY*, e.g. bedside table, lamp, bunk bed, dollhouse
- 4 *ACTIVITY*, e.g. chairs, table, fireplace, TV – sitting room is bottom left in A

looking down at a classroom


Page 6: Questions

- 
- 1 How many tables can you see in A?
 - 2 Look at the object in photo B.
Find it in A. What is it sitting on?
 - 3 Look at C. Find the paper cutter in A.
Name something next to it.
 - 4 Look at D. Where is it in the room?

Answers

- 1 9
- 2 A table
- 3 Table, pot plant, scissors
- 4 On the bookcase (right of centre)

Page 7: Questions

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- 1 Find the rubbish bin in E.
Name something it is next to.
 - 2 Name two parts of the classroom you can see in photo A and picture map E.
 - 3 Name a part of the room you cannot see in photo A.
 - 4 Where are the books kept in the classroom?
 - 5 How many tables are there in the classroom?
 - 6 Draw a plan of one of the tables.
 - 7 Draw a plan of the paper cutter in C.


Answers

- 1 Door
- 2 Music area, pencil/crayon area, maths/computer area, shop area, work mounting area
- 3 Art area, craft area, reading area
- 4 Reading area
- 5 9
- 6 ACTIVITY
- 7 ACTIVITY

looking down at an area

Page 9: Questions

Answers


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- 1 Look at **B**. Find it in picture map **A**. Which place is the Shop next to?
 - 2 Look at **C**. Use **A** to help you. What is the place behind the Boathouse?
 - 3 Is the Garden Centre to the left or the right of Manor House?
 - 4 Name one path which leads to North Gate.
 - 5 What is next to the Adventure Castle?
 - 6 Which gate is the place in **D** near?
 - 7 Name a path that is straight.

- 1 Car Park, Gate House, Toilets
- 2 Play Area
- 3 Left
- 4 Zig-Zag Path, Middle Drive, Butterfly Path
- 5 Garden Centre, Toilets, Cottage
- 6 East Gate
- 7 Green Path

looking down at a model

Page 10: Questions


Answers

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- 1 Name three buildings you can see.
 - 2 How many cars and lorries can you see?
 - 3 How many trees are there?
 - 4 Find the breakdown truck. Is it on the left or the right of the garage?
 - 5 What else can you see in photo **A**?

- 1 Newsagent, Hairdresser, Chemist, Baker, Butcher, Garage, Manor School, Police
- 2 13 (including fire engine)
- 3 23
- 4 Right (it is white)
- 5 People, motorcycles, roads, flowerbeds, trees, fire station, cars, flagpole, houses

Page 11: Questions


Answers

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- 1 Find **C**, **D** and **E** in photo **B**. Say what they are.
 - 2 How many cars and lorries can you see?
 - 3 Find the Police Station. Is there a car next to it going along the road?
 - 4 Why could you not see the car in **A**?

- 1 **C** motorcycle; **D** flowerbed; **E** car
- 2 15 (including fire engine & car in garage)
- 3 Yes
- 4 It was hidden behind the Police Station

where is it in the model?


Page 12: Questions

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- 1 Which building is next to the House?
 - 2 Name the building beside the Butcher's shop.
 - 3 What is **opposite** the Hairdresser?
 - 4 What is on the **right** of the Semi-detached houses?
 - 5 Name something **in front** of the Fire Station.
 - 6 Which building is **between** the Police Station and the Butcher's shop?

Answers

- 1 Offices
- 2 Garage
- 3 Car Park
- 4 Fire Station
- 5 Crossroads, Flowerbed, car, fire engine
- 6 School

Page 13: Questions


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- 1 Has the map been drawn looking from the side or looking straight down?
 - 2 What is the shape of the Baker's shop?
 - 3 Name three things you can see in photo A which are **not** in map B.
 - 4 Name the building furthest away from the Fire Station in map B.

Answers

- 1 Looking straight down
- 2 Rectangle
- 3 People, cars, motorcycles, lorry, fire engine, police car
- 4 House

where is it in the local area?


Page 14: Questions

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- 1 Was photo A taken looking down from the side or from straight above?
 - 2 Look at photo A. Name three things you can see in front of the School.
 - 3 Use photo C to find the Post Office in A. What is between the Post Office and the School?
 - 4 Photo D shows St Paul's Church. Find it in A near the Shops. Name three things you can see by the Church.

Answers

- 1 Looking down from the side
- 2 The Green, Post Office, Shops, road, trees
- 3 The Green
- 4 House, large tree, car park, grass

Page 15: Questions


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- 1 Which part of the School does plan H show?
 - 2 Draw a plan of The Green. On it show the paths and the trees.
 - 3 What is between the Church and the Playing field?
 - 4 Draw the plan of a place far from the Park. Name it.

Answers

- 1 Playing field
- 2 *ACTIVITY*
- 3 Tuckswood School, Playground, Paddling pool
- 4 *ACTIVITY*, e.g. Shops, Flats

shapes and colours


Page 16: Questions

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- 1 Which building is shown in plan A?
 - 2 What does plan B show?
 - 3 Find and name what is shown in plan C.
 - 4 Draw a plan of the park. Colour it.
 - 5 Draw a plan of one row of Shops. Colour it.

Answers

- 1 Tuckswood School
- 2 Flats
- 3 Church
- 4 *ACTIVITY*
- 5 *ACTIVITY*

Page 17: Questions


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- 1 Which colour shows the School Playground?
 - 2 Draw the shape used to show trees.
 - 3 Which colour shows the School building?
 - 4 What is shown by the blue shape?
 - 5 How are walls and fences shown?
 - 6 Why is it useful to have the roads named?

Answers

- 1 Grey
- 2 *ACTIVITY*
- 3 Yellow
- 4 Paddling pool
- 5 Black lines
- 6 So you can find places or describe where things are

large and small


Page 18: Questions

- 
- 1 What is the colour of the smallest car?
 - 2 Which car cannot drive under the garage roof?
 - 3 Why can it not drive under?
 - 4 Which car do you think is the best size to go in the model?
 - 5 Why do you think it is the best size?

Answers

- 1 Yellow
- 2 The red car
- 3 It's too tall
- 4 The medium-sized blue car
- 5 It is not too big or too small compared to the garage

Page 19: Questions


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- 1 Which is the smallest shop?
 - 2 Is the Police Station larger or smaller than the Fire Station?
 - 3 Does the School, the Garage or the Offices cover the most ground?
 - 4 Which is the longest road?
 - 5 Name two roads which are the same length.

Answers

- 1 Baker's Shop (or Chemist)
- 2 Smaller
- 3 School
- 4 Manor Way
- 5 Oak Lane and Albert Lane

near and far


Page 20: Questions

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- 1 Name a shop near the Car Park.
 - 2 Name two buildings far away from the Park.
 - 3 Which building is **nearest** to the House?
 - 4 Is the School or the Baker's shop **nearer** to the Hairdresser?
 - 5 Is the Butcher's shop or the Chemist **furthest** from the Police Station?

Answers

- 1 Newsagent, Hairdresser, Chemist, Baker's shop, Butcher's shop
- 2 Flats, Newsagent, Hairdresser, Chemist, Semi-detached houses, Fire Station
- 3 Offices
- 4 Baker's shop
- 5 Chemist

Page 21: Questions

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- 1 Are the Flats nearer the School or the Church?
 - 2 Are the Shops or the Flats further from the Playing field?
 - 3 Is Tuckwood Lane or Scarlet Road nearer the School?
 - 4 Draw the plans of three things which are close together.
 - 5 Draw two things which are far apart on Robin Hood Road.


Answers

- 1 School
- 2 Shops
- 3 Scarlet Road
- 4 *ACTIVITY*, e.g. School, Paddling pool and Playing field
- 5 *ACTIVITY*

which way in the model?

Page 22: Questions


Answers

- 
- 1 How many cars are parked in the Car Park?
 - 2 Is the Garage in a one-way street?
 - 3 Find the yellow car. Draw the road sign which shows it will have to turn left or right at the end of London Road.
 - 4 How many streets are there round the School?
 - 5 How many streets are one-way streets?

- 1 2
- 2 Yes
- 3 *ACTIVITY*; Draw sign F (T junction)
- 4 4
- 5 3

Page 23: Questions


Answers

- 
- 1 Draw an arrow that shows a left turn.
 - 2 Name a road you cannot turn into from Manor Way.
 - 3 Name the roads you would drive along to go from the Fire Station to the Offices.
 - 4 To drive to the Police Station from Oak Lane, do you turn left or right into Manor Way?

- 1 *ACTIVITY*
- 2 Oak Lane
- 3 Albert Lane; Manor Way; Elm Road *or* High Street; Manor Way; Elm Road *or* High Street; Oak Lane; Manor Way; Elm Road
- 4 Left

looking at the way to school


Page 24: Questions

- 
- 1 Which way does Donna turn when she leaves home?
 - 2 Name three places Donna walks past.
 - 3 Is the place in photo B nearer the School or Donna's home?

Answers

- 1 Left
- 2 Houses, Post Office, Phone
- 3 Nearer Donna's home

Page 25: Questions

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- 1 How many times does Donna turn left on her route to School?
 - 2 Donna walks back the same way. How many right turns does she make?
 - 3 Find something Donna put in the wrong place on her map. What is it?
 - 4 Donna has not drawn in the postbox in photo C on her map. What should she draw it next to in map D?
 - 5 Look at the way Donna drew her home, and the way it is drawn in map F. Which one shows Donna's home looking straight down from above?
 - 6 Which roads does Donna walk along on her route from home to School?
 - 7 Is the way Donna goes the shortest route from her home to the School?
 - 8 Draw the way you go to school.


Answers

- 1 3 or 4
- 2 3 or 4
- 3 Phone box
- 4 Post Office
- 5 Map F
- 6 Robin Hood Road; Maid Marion Road; Tuckswood Centre
- 7 Yes
- 8 *ACTIVITY*

looking at different routes

Page 27: Questions

Answers


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- 1 Name the places in B, C and D.
 - 2 Which path would you go along to get from the Car Park to the Manor House?
 - 3 You want to visit B. Name the paths you would go along from Manor House.
 - 4 You are at C. Which paths would you walk along to get to D?
 - 5 Look at E. Find where the three paths meet on map A. Is the sign post nearest the Play Area or the Boating Pond?
 - 6 You want to go from the sign post in E to the Adventure Castle. Which paths would you walk along to get there?

- 1 B: Butterfly House, C: Tea Room, D: Garden Centre
- 2 Arch Drive
- 3 Middle Drive; Butterfly Path
- 4 Orange Path; Arch Drive; Middle Drive; House Path; Beach Tree Path *or* South Path; Gallery Path; Beach Tree Path
- 5 Boating Pond
- 6 South Path; West Path; Cottage Path; Castle Path *or* East Path; Play Path; Zig-Zag Path; Butterfly Path; Cottage Path; Castle Path

looking down from space at the British Isles

Page 28: Questions

Answers


- 
- 1 What colour is the sea in photo A?
 - 2 Which colour shows the sea in map B?
 - 3 Is Ireland larger or smaller than Britain?
 - 4 Look at photo C. Is the area it shows in Ireland or Britain?
 - 5 Look at the area in photo D. Which of the two largest islands is it in?
 - 6 Map E shows some islands. Find them in A and B. Are they nearer the coast of Ireland or Britain?
 - 7 F shows a small island. Find it in map B. Is it near the coast of Ireland or Britain?

- 1 Dark blue
- 2 Pale blue
- 3 Smaller
- 4 Britain
- 5 Ireland
- 6 Britain
- 7 Britain

countries of the British Isles

Page 29: Questions

Answers


- 
- 1 Which countries are on the island of Britain?
 - 2 Which country has a border with Scotland?
 - 3 Which country would you be coming from if you drove past the sign in H?
 - 4 Which sea separates Britain and Ireland?
 - 5 Which two countries are on the island of Ireland?
 - 6 Which seas surround the British Isles?

- 1 Scotland, England and Wales
- 2 England
- 3 England
- 4 Irish Sea
- 5 Northern Ireland and Ireland
- 6 North Sea, Celtic Sea, Atlantic Ocean

looking down from space at the Earth

Page 30: Questions

Answers


- 
- 1 Name two parts of the Earth you can see in map B.
 - 2 Draw the shape of an island you can see in map B.
 - 3 Look at photo C of the globe. Name a part of the Earth it shows.
 - 4 Find the British Isles in map B. Which part of the Earth are they in?

- 1 Asia, North America, Europe, Africa
- 2 *ACTIVITY*
- 3 Africa
- 4 Europe

continents and oceans

Page 31: Questions

Answers

- 
- 1 Name the continents in map F.
 - 2 How many continents are there?
 - 3 Which oceans are shown in D and E?
 - 4 Which other oceans are shown in F?
 - 5 Which ocean would you cross to go from Africa to Oceania?
 - 6 Name one continent on each side of the Pacific Ocean.

- 1 North America, Europe, Asia, South America, Africa, Oceania, Antarctica
- 2 7
- 3 Pacific Ocean and Atlantic Ocean
- 4 Indian Ocean and Southern Ocean
- 5 Indian Ocean
- 6 Asia or Oceania; North America or South America