

# Easter English Activity Booklet

## Answers

### Scrambled Suffixes

<b>-ate</b>	<b>-ise</b>	<b>-ify</b>
dedication	speciality	horror
terminal	advert	class
germ	colony	note
active	reality	intense

### Example sentence

The shops always **advertise** Easter eggs early.

### Think and Write: New Life

Sentence 1: Include a fronted adverbial.

**Yesterday, I was lucky enough to hold newly-hatched chicks.**

Sentence 2: Include an apostrophe to mark plural possession.

**The chicks' feathers were soft and fluffy.**

Sentence 3: Use a dash or dashes to indicate parenthesis.

**My favourite was the grey chick – it made a cute, squeaking noise.**

Sentence 4: Use a relative clause.

**The chicks were in a hatchery, which had a heat lamp to keep them warm.**

Sentence 5: Include a modal verb.

**They must be looked after carefully.**

### Easter around the World

1. Match the country to its tradition.

Country	Tradition
Poland	pot throwing
Spain	omelette making
France	Wet Monday
Greece	skeleton dance
Bulgaria	egg fights

2. Find and copy a word that shows that the skeleton dance is dark.

**gloomy**

3. Which word is closest in meaning to 'predicted'? Tick **one**.

forgotten

**foretold**

told

meant

4. Which country would you least like to visit at Easter? Why?

**Pupils' own responses, such as: I would least like to visit Poland because I don't like the idea of being soaked every time I go outside.**

## Easter Super Sentences

### Example Sentences

The Last Supper, now remembered on Maundy Thursday, was Jesus' last meal with his disciples.

The Easter Bunny (a traditional character in the UK) brings chocolate eggs.

Simnel cake is eaten at Easter – the 11 balls represent the 11 disciples not including Judas.

## Relative Clause Chocolate Chaos

The rabbits, **whose** noses twitched, were jumping around the field.

I'd rather have the cake **that** has a big egg on top.

My gran, **who** is 86, still makes a Simnel cake each Easter.

Your cousin, **whom** you met last year, is visiting this Easter holiday.

I ate all of my eggs this morning, **which** means I have none left.

### Example Sentences

We attended the Easter egg rolling competition **that was held in Oxford**.

We had an assembly given by Reverend Sue, **who told us a funny story about a giant egg**.

## Easter Expectations

### Example Answers

The Easter Bunny **might** bring me lots of eggs this year.

After the effort I've put in making my hat, I **should** win the Easter bonnet competition.

The weather **could** be nice during the Easter holidays.

My sister **cannot** eat Easter eggs because she is allergic to them.

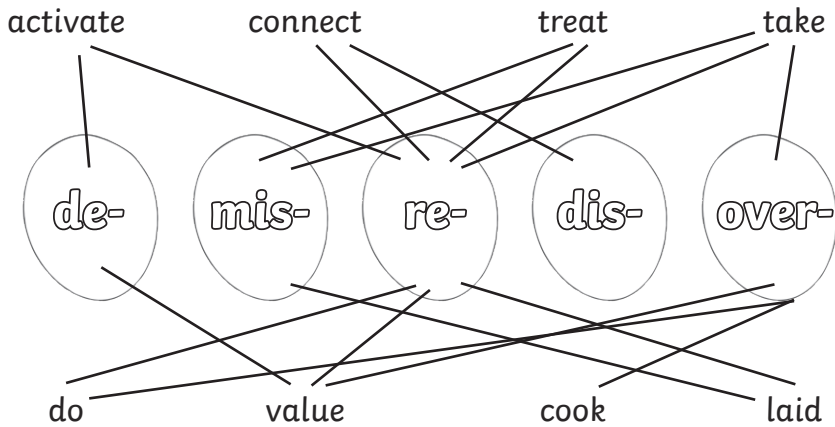
Julian **will not** play football later – he is visiting a chocolate factory today.

I will **possibly** go to the Easter disco on Friday.

Zana's Easter egg is **definitely** the biggest.

If the sun shines, we will **probably** have an Easter egg hunt in the garden later.

## Prefix Pattern Problems



### Example Sentence

We made a **mistake** with the first batch of hot cross buns meaning they were **overdone**.

## Easter Adverbials

### Example Sentences

As the sun shone through the trees, the bluebells were illuminated.

Beaming with pride, my little brother clutched his chocolate treasure.

## Easter Expanded Noun Phrases

### Example Sentences

The colourful eggs exploded on the table.

We made delicious hot cross buns with our gran at the weekend.

The beautiful plants were growing in the planter on our patio.

## Code Breakers

accommodate

embarrass

persuade

bargain

guarantee

rhythm

controversy

lightning

symbol

## **Easter Egg Hunt**

attached

foreign

recommend

bruise

harass

sacrifice

community

interfere

soldier

variety

Secret word – **salvation**