

Addition and Subtraction

Code Breaker

Use the code breaker to reveal the answers to the BBC Children in Need trivia and jokes.

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On which day, in 1927, was the first five-minute BBC Children in Need radio broadcast appeal?

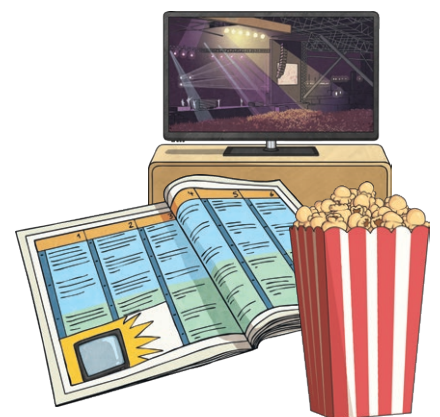
	3558 + 8	3580 - 9	3576 + 5	3580 - 8	3575 + 7	3590 - 7	3567 + 9	3570 - 6	3576 + 6
Answer									
Letter									

	3563 + 4	3567 - 3	3580 + 8
Answer			
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What is the name of the legendary BBC Children in Need presenter who fronted the telethons from 1978 until 2014?

	3492 + 90	3502 + 70	3571 + 10	3553 + 30	3588 - 20	3541 + 40	3631 - 50	3548 + 40
Answer								
Letter								

	3646 - 60	3528 + 50	3630 - 60	3544 + 20	3617 - 40
Answer					
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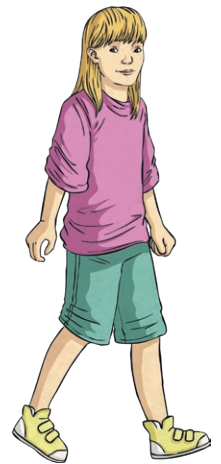
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How was Pudsey Bear told to start the sponsored walk?

	4281 - 700	4068 - 500	4164 - 600	3667 - 100	4388 - 800
Answer					
Letter					

	3560 + 23	3550 + 18	3510 + 57	3490 + 77	3570 + 18	3600 - 30	3590 - 12
Answer							
Letter							



THE HISTORY OF BBC CHILDREN IN NEED

BBC Children in Need is a charity. It raises money to help children across the UK. Their aim is to improve the lives of thousands of children by making sure that their childhood is safe, happy and secure. They also want every child to have the chance to be the best they can be at whatever they choose.

BBC Children in Need has been working towards this for many years. They raise money through a telethon (an extra-long television show) each November.

The First Radio Broadcast

Before creating the BBC Children in Need charity, the BBC raised money for lots of other children's charities. They held their first ever appeal on Christmas Day in 1927. It could only be heard on the radio. It was only five minutes long but it raised over one thousand pounds, which was a lot of money at the time. The money raised was split between four important children's charities.



The First Television Broadcast

The first appeal to appear on television was the Children's Hour Christmas Appeal. It was broadcast by the BBC on Christmas Day in 1955. This appeal was held every year until 1979. Over £625,000 was raised for children's charities.

In 1980, the BBC Children in Need telethon was broadcast for the first time. Lots of people enjoyed watching it and many more people donated than had ever donated before. The BBC had now raised over £1 million for children in the UK.

Pudsey's First Appearance

Pudsey Bear was first seen on television in 1985. His appearance has changed since this date:

Year	Pudsey's Fur	Colour of Bandana	Type of Spots
1985	brown	red	black triangles
1986	yellow	white	red circles
2007	yellow	white	multicoloured circles

Fundraising

Over £1 billion has been raised for BBC Children in Need so far but there are lots more children who still need your help. What could your school do to raise money for BBC Children in Need? You could:

- hold a Blue Peter bring and buy sale;
- bake Pudsey Bear cakes to sell at home time;
- hold a coffee morning in the school hall;
- come to school in your spotty pyjamas in return for a small donation;
- hold a sponsored silence – who do you think can stay silent the longest?



The BBC Children in Need special appeal week is 9th-13th November 2020. Why not speak to your teacher about what you can do to raise money for children in the UK?



THE HISTORY OF BBC CHILDREN IN NEED - QUESTIONS

1. Which of these is one of BBC Children in Need's goals? Tick **one**.

- Making sure that children are happy and secure.
- Giving children lots of toys and presents.
- Sending thousands of children on holiday.
- Stopping children from doing what they enjoy.

2. In which month is the extra-long television show shown each year? Tick **one**.

- September
- October
- November
- December

3. How long did the Christmas Day appeal in 1927 last? Tick **one**.

- one minute
- five minutes
- ten minutes
- one hour

4. Draw **three** lines to match the date with the types of spots found on Pudsey's bandana that year.

1986

2007

1985

black triangles

red circles

multicoloured circles

5. What colour was Pudsey Bear's fur in 1986?

6. How much money has been raised for BBC Children in Need so far?

7. Which fundraising idea would you most like to do? Explain your answer.
