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The Happy Easter Issue



springtime

fresh start

celebration

hope

new beginnings

What is Easter?

Easter is one of the most important celebrations in the Catholic calendar. Easter is a holiday that celebrates the resurrection of Jesus Christ. After his crucifixion, death, and burial, three days later Jesus arose from the grave. In doing so, he conquered death and redeemed us from sin.

Remembering and celebrating Easter is a worldwide observance, and there are many traditional symbols that coincide with this time of the year. Let's take a look at a few of them.



Eggs are important Easter symbols. They represent fertility, birth, and new life. *Eggs are important Easter symbols. They represent fertility, birth, and new life.



Chicks symbolise new life, a fresh start during spring. *Similar to eggs, chicks symbolise new life, a fresh start during spring.



The lamb is said to symbolise Jesus in both suffering and triumph. The lamb is forgiving, gentle, and pure. *The lamb is said to symbolise Jesus in both suffering and triumph. The lamb is forgiving, gentle, and pure.



Hot cross buns are a popular sweet bread at Easter time. The bread has a cross which symbolises the crucifixion of Jesus. *Hot cross buns are a popular sweet bread at Easter time. The bread has a cross which symbolises the crucifixion of Jesus.



The cross is a recognised symbol across the globe. During Easter, this symbol becomes even more important. *The cross is a recognised symbol across the globe. During Easter, this symbol becomes even more important.



Rabbits are a symbol of new life and rebirth. Easter bunnies carry coloured eggs in baskets. *Rabbits are a symbol of new life and rebirth. Easter bunnies carry coloured eggs in baskets.



Fresh flowers symbolise springtime. Daffodils and Tulips are very popular at this time of the year. *Fresh flowers symbolise springtime. Daffodils and Tulips are very popular at this time of the year.



Chocolate is a popular ingredient of most celebrations. It is a fun way to involve children or people with a sweet tooth. *Chocolate is a popular ingredient of most celebrations. It is a fun way to involve children or people with a sweet tooth.

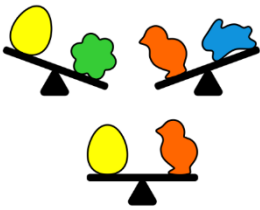
Decorating eggs is a popular tradition at Easter. Easter eggs symbolise new life, a fresh start, and new hope. When we decorate Easter eggs it is important to use bright colours and lively patterns. Give it a go!



Eggciting Puzzles



Easter Candy

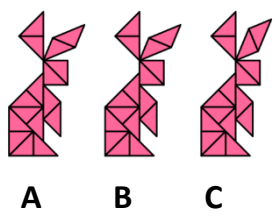


Which Easter candy is the heaviest?

Flower Puzzle

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \text{Red flower} + \text{Red flower} + \text{Red flower} = 60 \\
 & \text{Red flower} + \text{Blue flower} + \text{Blue flower} = 30 \\
 & \text{Blue flower} - \text{Yellow flower} = 3 \\
 & \text{Yellow flower} + \text{Red flower} \times \text{Blue flower} = ?
 \end{aligned}$$

Which bunny is different?



Help the lamb home



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APRIL EGGS BUNNY CANDY CHICK CHOCOLATE

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SUNSHINE FLOWERS HOLIDAY MARCH SPRING

The colourful flowers on campus really make it feel like spring is here

