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Interesting facts about Easter all over the world

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Easter is one of the oldest Christian holidays.



The tallest chocolate Easter egg ever was made in Italy in 2011. It was 10.39 metres high and 7,200 kg heavy, and it was taller than a giraffe and heavier than an elephant!

Americans buy more than 700 million marshmallow peeps during the Easter holiday, which makes Peeps the most popular non-chocolate Easter candy.



People in the USA eat over 16 million jellybeans on Easter. That's enough to circle the globe three times over!



Egg dyes were once made out of natural items such as onion peels, tree bark, flower petals, and juices.

The white lily is the official flower of Easter.



TOP 8 apps that will come in handy at school

1. Duolingo - Practise speaking, reading, listening and writing. Play a game, answer questions and complete lessons to improve your vocabulary and grammar.
2. Photomath - Simply point your camera towards a math problem and Photomath will magically show the result with detailed step by step instructions.
3. Gram & Zdam - It is an application that will help you prepare for exams.
4. Timetable - Is the most intuitive app for managing your school life.
5. DzieńSzkolny.pl - In this application you can check your timetable where you have classes and with what teacher.
6. Quizlet - It is the easiest way to practise and master whatever you're learning. Create your own flashcards and study sets or choose from millions created by other students.
7. Microsoft Planner - This Planner provides a simple, visual way to organize teamwork.
8. Synonimy - is an app that will help you when you write something and you need synonyms.





The Queen's birthday



Due to the tradition every British monarch has two birthdays in one year. It was created for the monarchs so they could spend their birthday with their families. Across the centuries The Royal Family wanted to hold the grand royal birthday parade in the summer, but not every monarch has birthday at summer time. The tradition is linked to the unreliable British weather. For example, Edward VII was born on November 9, but his official birthday was always marked in June.

Queen Elizabeth II was born on 21 April but has official birthday on the second Saturday in June. The Queen usually spends her actual birthday privately, but the occasion is marked publicly by gun salutes in central London at midday: 41 gun salutes in Hyde Park, 21 gun salutes in Windsor Great Park and 62 gun salutes at the Tower of London. On her official birthday, Her Majesty is joined by other members of the Royal Family at the spectacular Trooping the Colour Parade (Birthday Parade) which starts at Horseguards' road then continues at The Mall street and ends in front of the Buckingham Palace, where the Queen with family stands on the balcony and waves to the crowd.



Grammar revision

Tense	Simple	Perfect	Continuous
Present	Subject + verb + object I eat pizza everyday.	Subject + have/has+ IIIrd form + object I have eaten all of the pizza.	Subject + be + verb with -ing + object I am eating pizza now.
Past	Subject + verb with -ed or IInd form + object I ate pizza yesterday.	Subject + had + IIIrd form + object I had eaten all the pizza before you arrived.	Subject + was/were + verb with -ing + object I was eating pizza when you arrived.
Future	Subject + will + verb + object I will eat pizza tomorrow.	Subject + will have + IIIrd form + object I will have eaten all of the pizza by the time you arrive.	Subject + will be + verb with -ing + object I will be eating pizza when you arrive.

Name	Use	Construction	Example
0 conditional	Used for general truths, facts and habits.	If Present Simple + Present Simple	If you stand in the rain, you get wet.
1st conditional	Used to predict future probabilities.	If Present Simple + Future Simple	If it rains, we will cancel the picnic.
2nd conditional	Used for impossible events in the future.	If Past Simple + would/could + verb	If I won the lottery, I would buy a house.
3rd conditional	Used for past unreal, imaginary situations.	If Past Perfect + would have + IIIrd form	If you had studied, you would have passed the exam

Prepared by Marcelina Molenda IIIE

Competition articles

Adam's perspective:

On 29th March some students from my school took part in a competition. They had to translate a fragment of the book called "Three Men on a Boat, to say Nothing of a Dog" from English to Polish. It took place in the 1st secondary school in Pabianice. The book was published in 1889, written by Jerome K. Jerome. Here's the list of diseases listed out in the book:

- housemaid's knee
- scarlet fever
- St. Vitus Dance
- typhoid
- gont
- cholera
- diphtheria

Prepared by Adam Stępień

Maciek's perspective:

Some time ago I took part in the translating contest with some of my friends. We were given an initial fragment of a book called "Three Man in a Boat (Say Nothing of the Dog)" from where I learned about diseases I've never heard of like: St. Vitus Dance that causes compulsive movement of limbs and mania or Gout causing joints inflammation. I also thought of other diseases the main character could be „suffering” from and wrote them down along with their symptoms.

Achalasia- sore throat, inability to push food down the oesophagus

Anodontia-genetic disorder that causes absence of teeth

Babesiosis-caused by microorganisms of babesia families, cause fever, chills, headache, nausea, muscle pain

Balo disease- muscle spasms, paralysis, antibodies attack healthy tissues

Bell's Palsy-fever, neck stiffness, pain behind ears, face paralysis

Colorado Tick Fever-fever, muscle pains, generalized discomfort, skin lesions

Yellow Fever-Fever, chills, headache, backache, generalized pain, nausea, vomiting, bleeding gums, eyelid infection

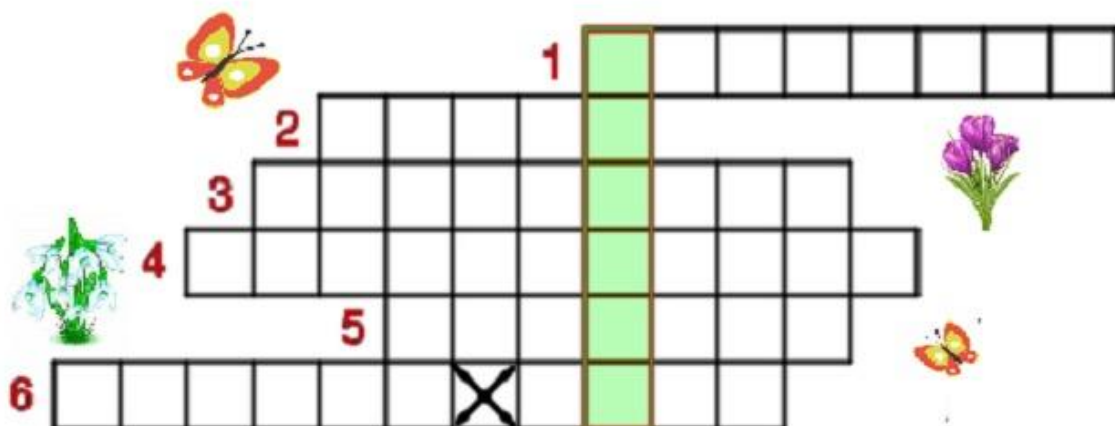
Whipple disease- pain after eating, joint pain, bouts of diarrhoea, cough, chest pain, general weakness, night sweats

Vacuities- blood vessel inflammation, vein damage

Valinemia-protein intolerance, vomiting, coma, drowsiness and/or hyperactivity

Prepared by Maciej Witkowski

CROSSWORD



1. A flower that breaks through the snow.
2. A flower that blooms in season between winter and summer.
3. A worm with wings.
4. Butterfly's larva.
5. It appears after rain.
6. Eggs that we put into the basket.

1.snowdrop 2.tulip 3.butterfly 4.caterpillar 5.rainbow 6.Easter eggs

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KID'S CORNER

 GAMES 			
I like	I don't like	My dad likes	My dad doesn't like
Fifa 2018	Counter Strike	Fifa 2018	Minecraft
Roblox	Fighting	Star Wars Force Arena	Lego Movie
Minecraft	Farcry Classic	Sniper Elite	-
5 Secunds	Kogama	The Witcher	-
Dobble	Farming Simulator	Dooble	-

 BOOKS 			
I like	I don't like	My dad likes	My dad doesn't like
Harry Potter	Little Red Riding Hood	The Shack	Harlequin
Mikołajek	Cinderella	Suarez	The crime novel
The secret garden	Anne of Green Gables	Rio Anaconda	Fifty shades of Grey
Mrs Kleks	-	The Holy Bible	-
The Children of Bullerbyn	-	Robin Van Parsie - The Biography	-