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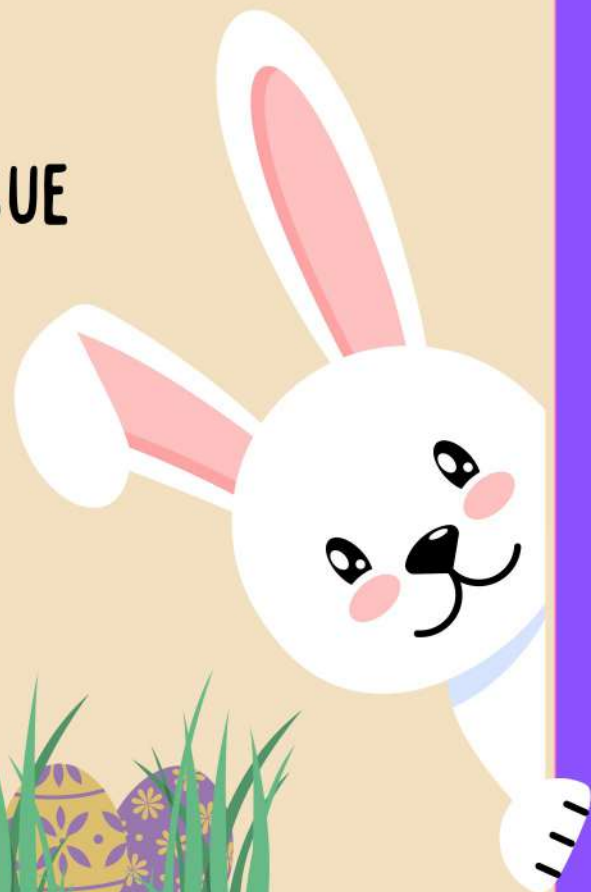
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EASTER CELEBRATIONS AROUND THE WORLD



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Mr. Stephen



A really fun activity that you could do over the Easter holidays is to fly kites! In Bermuda, it's a tradition to fly kites over during the Good Friday KiteFest. Many people make their own kites in bright colours such as yellow, orange, pink, and purple! Have you ever flown a kite before?

If you need some ideas on where to fly a kite, a popular place is Plover Cove Reservoir, near Tai Mei Tuk Tsuen. Or, if you are near Sai Kung, many people fly kites along the beaches along Sai Wan or Ham Tin.



Miss Elaine

My favourite Easter activity is having an Easter egg hunt. During an Easter egg hunt, eggs are hidden all over and children will need to look for them. We can find some chocolate or candies inside the eggs. Then, we collect the eggs in our Easter baskets.



We will usually have an Easter egg hunt outside in the garden, but you can do one in your home too! Ask your mum or dad to hide some chocolate around the house and you can try to find it! At the end, we count the eggs from our baskets and share the chocolate together.

Miss Raji



HAPPY
Easter

Easter is celebrated over a four-day weekend in Australia. The weekend begins on Good Friday and ends with Easter Monday. Easter Sunday is usually celebrated with the giving of chocolate Easter eggs and with chocolate bilbies instead of the traditional chocolate rabbit.



Like rabbits, the Easter bilby has long pointy ears and fine fur. The bilby is our preferred creature in Australia. Another treat which Australians enjoy eating over Easter is the hot cross bun. These delicious treats are traditionally made with spices and dried fruit and are decorated with a white cross.



Miss Catherine

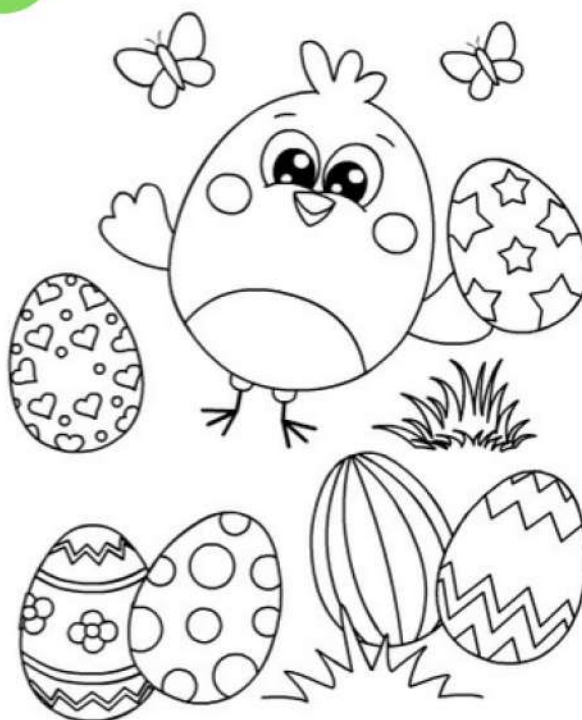
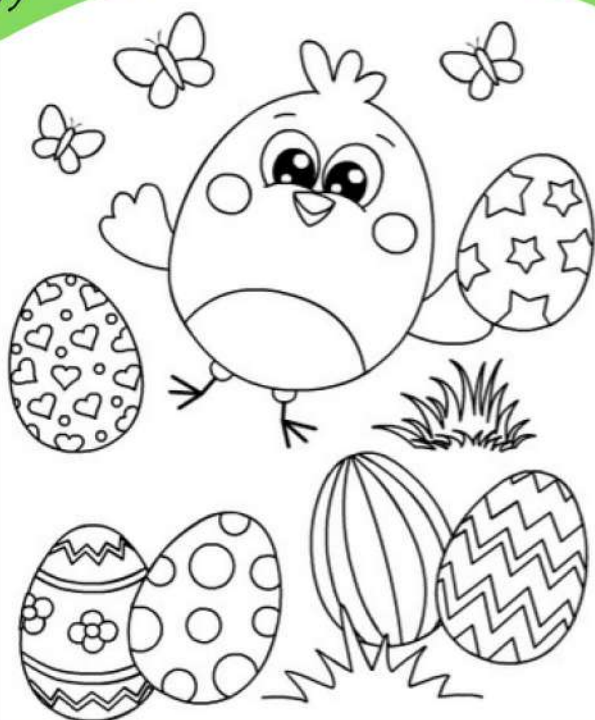
Have you ever wondered how eggs became one of the many symbols of Easter? Eggs symbolise new lives or new beginnings. Just like Easter, the holidays fall in spring, a time where flowers bloom and plants grow.



Did you know that unlike today, there weren't as many chickens that laid eggs all year round as before? Hens laid few to no eggs during the winter time, so they became rare to find. Eggs were so valuable that once upon a time they were used along with money as payment! I am so glad that eggs are more affordable now.

Spot 5 Differences!

Hints: butterflies, legs, heart shape on egg, squiggle shape on egg



Answer these Riddles



1. I am fluffy and cute. I deliver Easter eggs to everyone! Carrots are my favourite food. Who am I?



2. I am very pretty and grow from the ground. You can find me in many different colours and smell very good. What am I?

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3. I taste very good, and you have to search for me on Easter morning. What am I?

Answers: 1. Easter bunny; 2. Flowers; 3. Chocolate Easter eggs