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KIDS' NEWCOMER GUIDE



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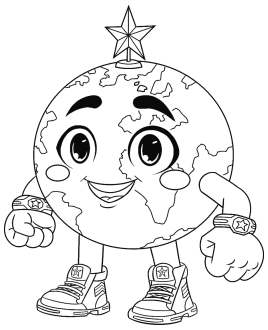
About Joli Jaunts

Books, stories and fun for kids who love to explore.

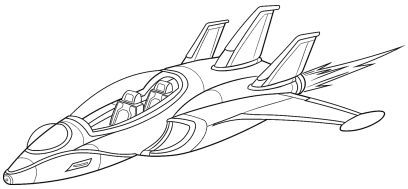
Joli Jaunts is a children's book series about a curious, brave girl named Joli. She flies around the world in her jet to help kids. This guide is a little visit from her crew, for military kids who are moving to a new place.



Joli
The pilot. Curious and brave.



Atlo
The globe who knows where and when.



Zorty
The jet who knows how things work.

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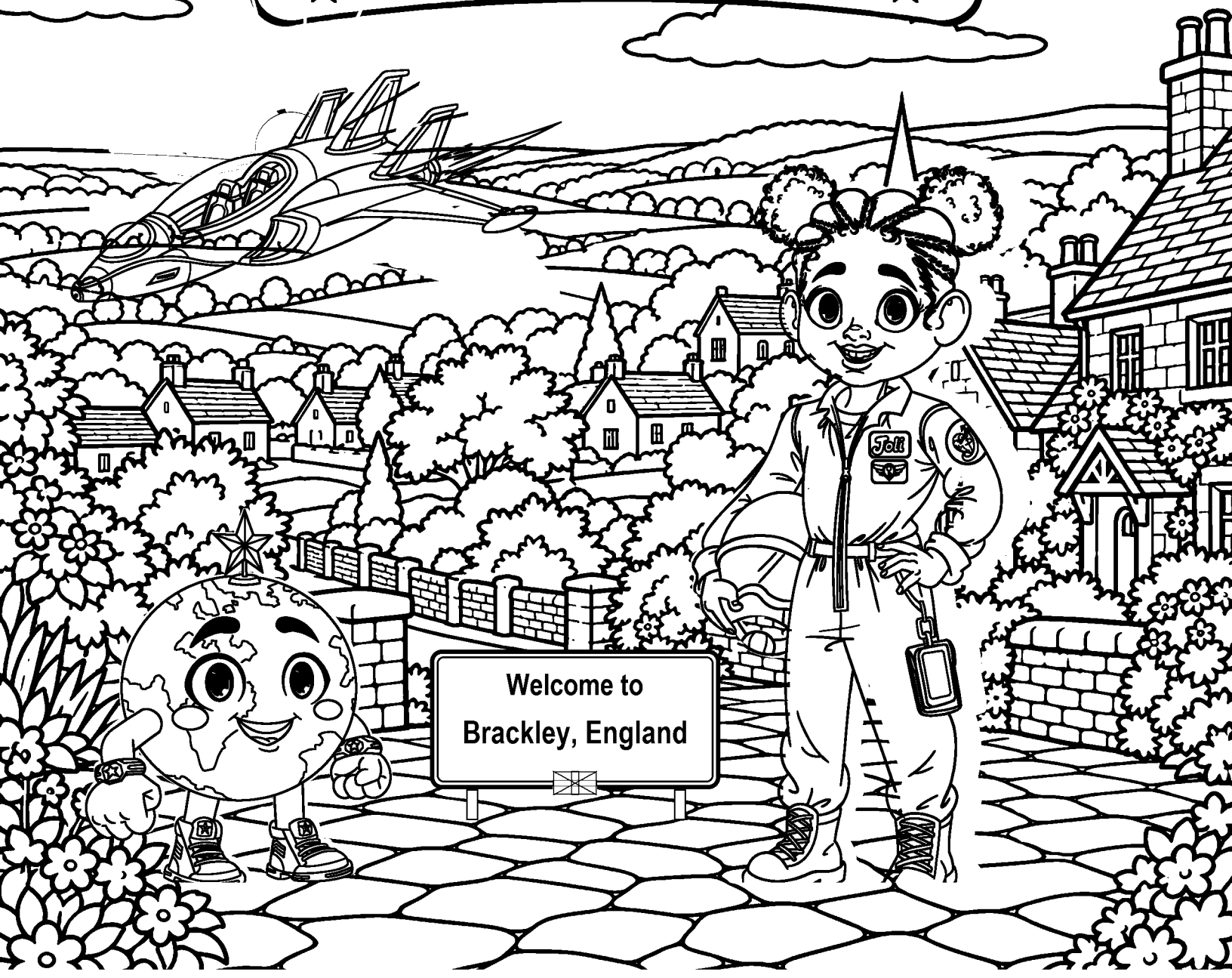
Draw yourself flying with Joli!

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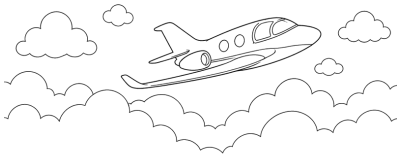
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Hello from Joli!

Read it, circle it, draw it. Go at your own speed.



Hello, explorer! I'm Joli Jaunts. My jet is headed to the United Kingdom, and I need your help. Grab a pencil, pick any page and play. Ready? Let's Jaunt!

Your family has lots of checklists for moving to Croughton. This guide is for YOU.



THIS GUIDE BELONGS TO

Name _____

I move to Croughton on _____

HOW TO USE THIS GUIDE

Pick any page. Draw, circle and play. It is okay to feel excited, worried, curious, or all three! A move means a new school and new friends too.

DRAW YOURSELF FLYING WITH JOLI!

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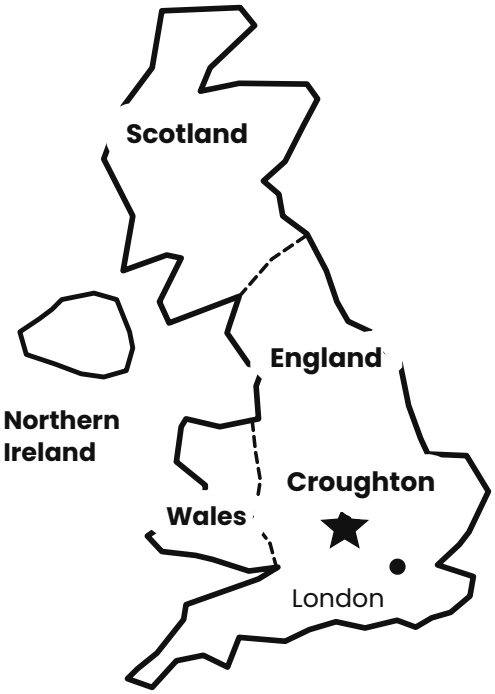
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Where is Croughton?

Find the United Kingdom. Find Croughton.







The United Kingdom has four nations: England, Scotland, Wales and Northern Ireland. Dashed lines show the borders. Croughton is in England, in Northamptonshire, say: nor-THAMP-tun-shur, north of Oxford.

FAMOUS PLACES: CIRCLE ONE



Big Ben



Tower Bridge



London Eye



Buckingham Palace guard



Stonehenge



Castles



Where are we? Find it on the map!

LOCAL WORD **Brilliant** say: BRIL-yunt = great

British customs for kids

A few things that are different, and totally cool.

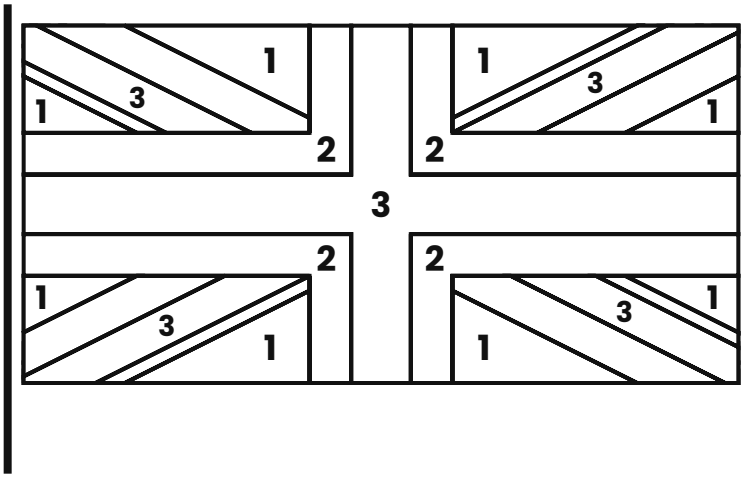


LOCAL WORD **Queue** say: KYOO = a line of people waiting

THINGS THAT ARE DIFFERENT IN THE UNITED KINGDOM

Queue	People wait in a line and take turns. Do not push.
Roads	Cars drive on the left. Stop at the edge, look all around and listen before you cross.
Please and thank you	People say please, thank you and sorry a lot. Cheers can mean thanks.
Footpaths	Paths cross fields. Leave gates as you find them, and follow the signs.

COLOR THE FLAG OF THE UNITED KINGDOM



COLOR KEY

1. **blue**
   Color every blue part.
2. **white**
   Leave it white!
3. **red**
   Color every red part.

The flag of the United Kingdom is called the Union Jack.

SAY IT!

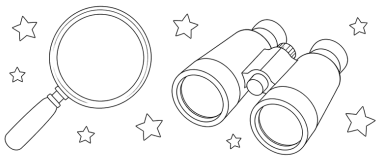
Cheers CHEERZ = thanks

Ta TAH = thanks, a quick way to say it

I will say “Cheers” to _____

Spot It!

Words go across or down. Find the places and trip words.



LOCAL WORD **Spot on** say: spot on = exactly right

F	K	S	N	V	A	H	B	Y	D	B	I
J	L	S	E	U	A	I	O	H	K	K	Y
U	H	A	T	T	O	N	K	J	S	U	E
K	D	R	I	E	O	P	A	L	A	C	E
H	O	X	F	O	R	D	E	H	Y	G	W
W	D	W	F	H	K	G	W	T	O	D	K
B	A	N	B	U	R	Y	T	B	K	E	W
F	A	I	R	Y	T	A	L	E	I	S	E
H	F	J	E	S	L	G	A	R	Y	K	U
K	C	R	O	U	G	H	T	O	N	K	G
S	R	T	T	W	A	R	W	I	C	K	O
F	B	L	E	N	H	E	I	M	W	F	G

FIND THESE PLACES AND WORDS. CHECK EACH ONE.

- ☐ **CROUGHTON**
- ☐ **BLENHEIM**
- ☐ **HATTON**
- ☐ **WARWICK**
- ☐ **FAIRYTALE**
- ☐ **OXFORD**
- ☐ **BANBURY**
- ☐ **PALACE**

Clue: PALACE is Blenheim Palace. BANBURY is a town near Croughton.

JOLI'S MINI-MISSION

Circle each word in the grid. Check its box when you find it.

Which one was hardest? _____



Your first week

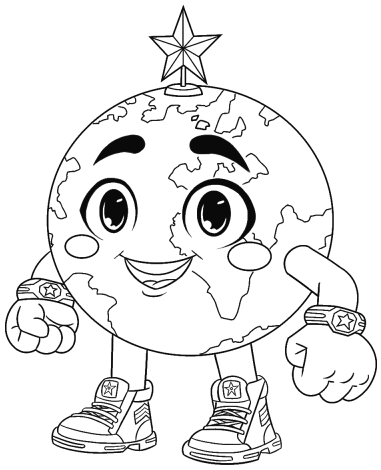
A new place can wait one more night.



LOCAL WORD **Cuppa** say: KUP-uh = a cup of tea

PACK MY FIRST-NIGHT BAG

Draw or list what helps you feel cozy.



Pack smart!

ATLO'S MINI-MISSION

Circle the silly item to pack:
pillow • toothbrush • bicycle • pajamas

MY FIRST WEEK PLAN

First I want to _____

Then I want to _____

I am excited about _____

HOW DO I FEEL ABOUT MOVING?

worried okay excited curious

HOW I FEEL ABOUT MY NEW SCHOOL

worried okay excited curious

HOW I FEEL ABOUT MAKING FRIENDS

worried okay excited curious

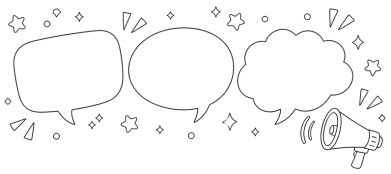
HOW I FEEL ABOUT MY NEW HOME

worried okay excited curious

Circle one or more.

Say it!

Say the words out loud. Trace them. Try them.



LOCAL WORD **Natter** say: NAT-er = to chat

Try these three words today: CHEERS, MATE, QUEUE. The rest are extras.

CHEERS CHEERZ thanks	**BRILLIANT** BRIL-yunt great	**MATE** MAYT friend
QUEUE KYOO a line	**BISCUIT** BIS-kit cookie	**CRISPS** KRISPS potato chips
LORRY LOR-ee truck	**JUMPER** JUM-per sweater	**TORCH** TORCH flashlight
PAVEMENT PAYV-ment sidewalk	**TA** TAH thanks	**LOVELY** LUV-lee very nice

TRACE AND PRACTICE

CHEERS MATE _____

QUEUE LOVELY _____

CRISPS BISCUIT _____

JOLI'S MINI-MISSION



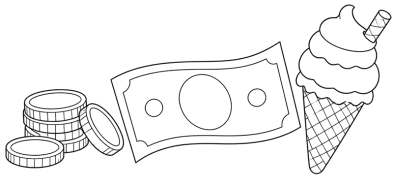
Write what each word means. Use the cards.

Example: BISCUIT = cookie

CHEERS = _____ **MATE =** _____ **QUEUE =** _____

Numbers and money

Know your coins. Learn the money words. Go shopping.



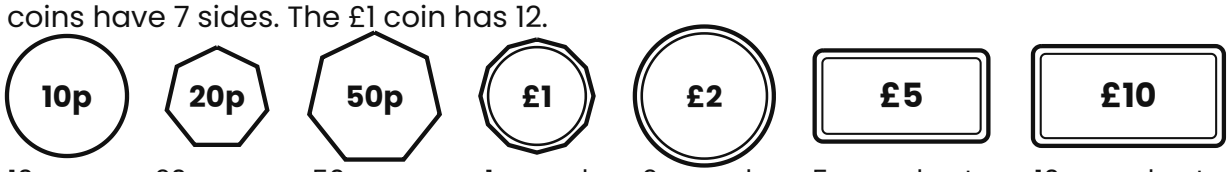
LOCAL WORD **Pound** say: pownd = the main money

BRITISH MONEY WORDS

pence	the small money. 1p is one penny.
pound	the main money. 100 pence make £1.
quid	a slang word for a pound.
fiver	say FY-ver. A £5 note.
tenner	say TEN-er. A £10 note.

COINS AND NOTES

In the United Kingdom, money is the pound, written £. The 20p and 50p coins have 7 sides. The £1 coin has 12.



10 pence | 20 pence | 50 pence | 1 pound | 2 pounds | 5 pound note | 10 pound note

How much is it? Then say: Cheers!

COUNT THE MONEY

Example: £1 + £1 + 50p = £2.50

Start 50p + 20p = _____

1. £2 + £1 = _____

2. £5 + £2 = _____

Challenge 3. £10 + £5 + £1 = _____

PRETEND SHOP

Apple 50p • Book £2

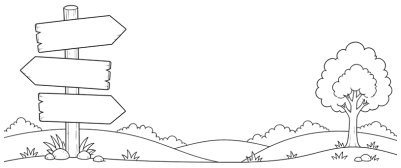
Example: I buy an apple. It costs 50p. I pay with a 50p coin.

I buy a _____ It costs _____

I pay with _____ Say: Cheers!

Signs I will see

Say the sign. Draw a line to what it means.



LEARN THE SIGNS FIRST

Start with three signs. Then try all six. Cover this box, then match.

WAY OUT = exit

WAY IN = entrance

MIND THE GAP = watch the gap by the train

GIVE WAY = let others go first

KEEP LEFT = walk or drive on the left

TOILETS = restroom

DRAW A LINE FROM THE SIGN TO ITS MEANING



- let others go first
- restroom
- exit
- entrance
- watch the gap by the train
- walk or drive on the left

FUN IN EVERY SEASON

SPRING
Lambs in the fields and blue bluebell flowers in the woods.

SUMMER
Long light evenings and village fairs.

FALL
Conkers are shiny seeds. Bonfire Night has fireworks in November.

WINTER
Frosty mornings and Christmas lights.

The season I am most excited about: _____

Where kids play near RAF Croughton

Check the one you want to try first.

LOCAL WORD **Chuffed** say: CHUFT = really pleased

Check the box for places you want to try.

- ☐ **Local library**
  Story time, books and a quiet corner.
- ☐ **Village playground**
  Swings and slides close to home.
- ☐ **Footpath walk**
  Follow a path through fields and woods.
- ☐ **Bike ride**
  Wear a helmet. Ride the quiet routes with your family.
- ☐ **Sulgrave Manor**
  Dress up like a child from Tudor times, long ago, and grind spices in the old kitchen.
- ☐ **Stowe Gardens**
  Walk by the lake past old temples and twisty trees.
- ☐ **Park near home**
  Run, swing and play on the grass.
- ☐ **Village green**
  Open grassy space for games and picnics.

MY FAVORITE SPOT

I want to try _____ first.

Draw it here.

PLAN MY FIRST PLAY DAY

Who I will ask to play _____

What we will play _____

Where we will play _____



Places to go!

Color three pictures. Draw a star by your favorite.



LOCAL WORD **Day out** say: day owt = a trip

1 **Warwick Castle** Warwick
Visit a big old castle with a kids' play area.
warwick-castle.com


Color me

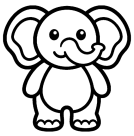
2 **LEGOLAND Windsor** Windsor
Build with bricks and ride rides made for kids.
legoland.co.uk


Color me

3 **Whipsnade Zoo** Dunstable
Ride a little train past giant animals.
whipsnadezoo.org


Color me

4 **Cotswold Wildlife Park**
Giraffes, rhinos and an adventure playground.
cotswoldwildlifepark.co.uk


Color me

5 **Fairytale Farm** Chipping Norton
Moving dinosaurs, fairy mushrooms and farm animals.
fairytalefarm.co.uk

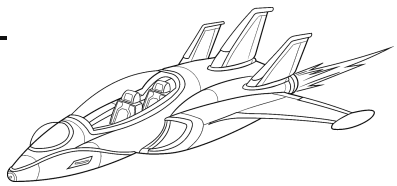

Color me

MY OWN TRIP

I want to go to _____

How much do I want to go?

Color the stars: ☆ ☆ ☆



More places to go!

Color three pictures. Draw a star by your favorite.



LOCAL WORD **Day out** say: day owt = a trip

6 **Oxford University Museum of Natural History** Oxford
See dinosaur bones and touch shiny rocks.
oumnh.ox.ac.uk


Color me

7 **Hatton Adventure World** Hatton, Warwick
Meet farm animals, ride slides and zip lines!
adventure.hattonworld.com


Color me

8 **Blenheim Palace** Woodstock
A huge palace with gardens, a maze and a train.
blenheimpalace.com


Color me

9 **Warner Bros. Studio Tour London** Leavesden
See real movie sets and props.
wbstudiotour.co.uk

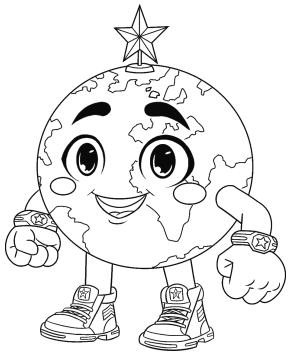

Color me

10 **Cadbury World** Birmingham
Learn how chocolate is made, then taste some.
cadburyworld.co.uk


Color me

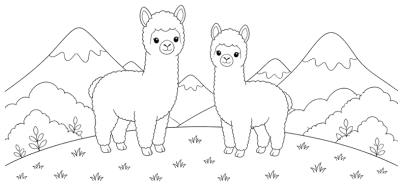
LOOK AND REMEMBER

Close the book. Name two trips you remember.



Let's Jaunt!

Check the box when your family goes.



LOCAL WORD **Cheeky** say: CHEE-kee = playful and bold

Pick your favorites. Ask your family. A park or a walk near home counts too!

- ☐ **Can we find the maze at Blenheim Palace?**
  blenheimpalace.com
  We went on _____

- ☐ **Can we see the giraffes at Cotswold Wildlife Park?**
  cotswoldwildlifepark.co.uk
  We went on _____

- ☐ **Can we see dinosaurs at the Oxford museum?**
  oumnh.ox.ac.uk
  We went on _____

- ☐ **Can we go to Fairytale Farm? I want to see the dinosaurs!**
  fairytalefarm.co.uk
  We went on _____

- ☐ **Can we visit the play area at Warwick Castle?**
  warwick-castle.com
  We went on _____

- ☐ **Can we go to Hatton Adventure World? I want to zip down the slides!**
  adventure.hattonworld.com
  We went on _____

WHY I WANT TO GO

I most want to go to _____

Because _____

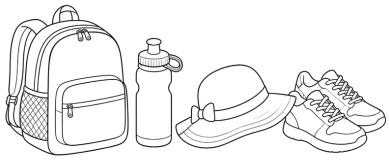
JOLI'S MINI-MISSION

After your trip, color the stars for your top pick. One is fun. Two is very fun. Three is the best day ever.

☆ ☆ ☆

Pack for a day trip

A good explorer is always ready.



LOCAL WORD **Torch** say: TORCH = flashlight

DRAW AND PACK

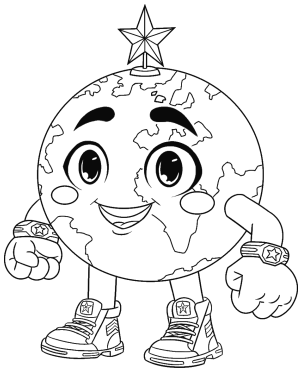
- Water bottle
- Sunscreen and a hat
- A snack
- Comfy shoes
- A rain jacket
- A card with a phone number

MY BACKPACK

Draw what goes inside.

MY DAY TRIP

Draw your perfect day trip. Where will you go? Who comes with you?



Pack it!

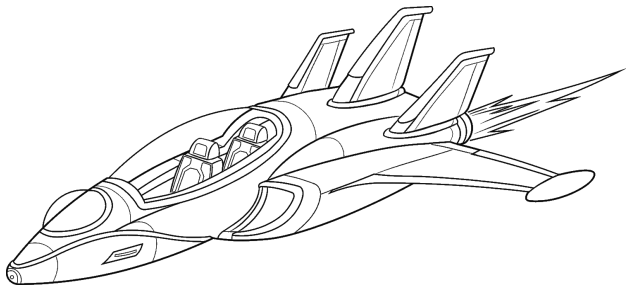
My new home!

Dream big. Draw it. Label it.



LOCAL WORD **Lounge** say: LOWNJ = the living room

Many families live in stone villages near the base. Look for roofs covered with straw, open grassy spaces called village greens, narrow lanes and red phone boxes. Cars drive on the left!



DESIGN MY DREAM ROOM OR TREEHOUSE

Draw it big. Then label two parts.

DRAW MY CREW

A pet, a friend or family.

moggy, say MOG-ee = a cat

MY HOME

My cozy spot is _____

My secret hideout is _____

MY CREW

Name _____

Loves _____

First friend I will invite _____

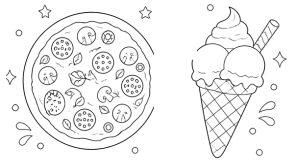
ZORTY'S MINI-MISSION

Circle the words a pet needs for a trip.

water bowl	**pizza**	**crate**
bicycle	**leash**	**favorite toy**

A taste of home and the UK!

Looking and smelling count too.



LOCAL WORD **Biscuit** say: BIS-kit = cookie

☐ **Fish and chips**
say: fish and chips
fried fish with thick fries, called chips



☐ **Sausage roll**
say: SOS-ij rohl
sausage baked in flaky pastry



☐ **Scone with jam**
say: SKON
a small, soft cake with jam and cream, for tea time



☐ **Full English breakfast**
say: full ING-glish BREK-fust
eggs, sausage, beans and toast on one plate



☐ **Roast dinner**
say: rohst DIN-er
roast meat, potatoes, vegetables and gravy



☐ **Banbury cake**
say: BAN-bree kayk
a sweet fruit pastry with warm spices



I want to try _____

Local fun: Banbury cakes were first made in the town of Banbury.

You can look, smell, or skip any food. If you cannot eat something, ask: “Does this have milk?”

DRAW MY FAVORITE BRITISH FOOD

Then color it in.

JOLI’S MINI-MISSION

Circle the odd one out: SCONE • SAUSAGE ROLL • HAT • BANBURY CAKE

Why? _____

Park day!

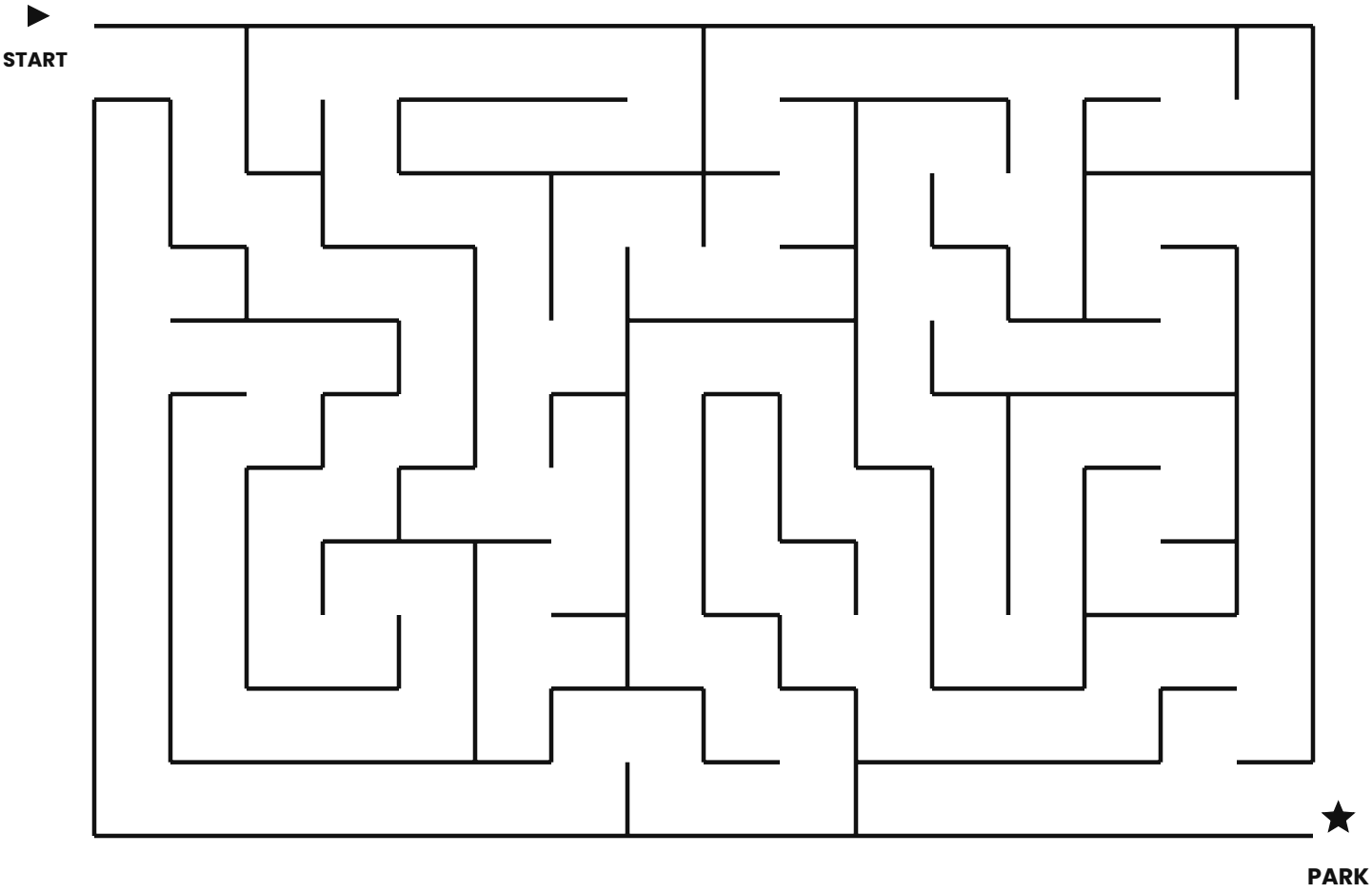
Walk your crew to the park. Find the one path.



LOCAL WORD **Play park** say: PLAY park = a playground

PARK MAZE

Start at the arrow. Find the one path to the park.



BONUS

Draw a treat for your crew at the park.

MY PARK PLAN

Who comes with me

_____

We will play

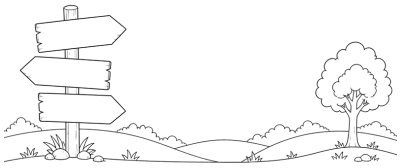
_____

Our snack

_____

My top 5 places

Pick your favorites. Save the bingo for when you get there!



LOCAL WORD **Poorly** say: POOR-lee = not well

MY TOP 5 PLACES TO GO

Look back at pages 10 to 12 for ideas. Write the places you want to see most.
Star number 1.

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____

NEW PLACE BINGO

When you get there, do one. Circle the square. Try for three in a row!

Say hello to a new friend	Try a new food	Find a playground
Wave to a new neighbor	★ **FREE: Joli says hi!**	Spot an airplane
Find a flag	Draw your street	Learn a new word

In an emergency in the United Kingdom, call 999. It is free from any phone.

Certificate

Great job, explorer!

LOCAL WORD **Smashing** say: SMASH-ing = really great

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NEW BASE, NEW ADVENTURE

This certificate is awarded to

_____

for becoming a Croughton explorer!

You learned where you live, how to explore, how to say hello, and how to be brave.

★ ★ ★

Signed _____ Date _____

Joli Jaunts

STARS EARNED

One star for every page you try.
Trying counts!
Total stars _____

HOW DO I FEEL NOW?

worried okay excited

SECRET CODE

Joli left a secret message! Use the key. Write each letter on its line.

A=1	B=2	C=3	D=4	E=5	F=6	G=7	H=8	I=9	J=10	K=11	L=12	M=13
N=14	O=15	P=16	Q=17	R=18	S=19	T=20	U=21	V=22	W=23	X=24	Y=25	Z=26

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Let's Jaunt again!

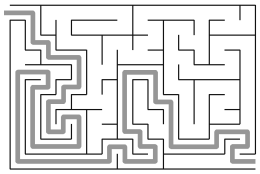
Joli Jaunts. New base, new adventure.

Answer Peek

Page 15 • Pet words
Circle crate, water bowl, favorite toy and leash. Not pizza or bicycle.

Page 17 • Maze

The gray path shows the way.



Page 6 • Silly item
The bicycle. It does not fit in a first-night bag.

Page 7 • What the words mean
CHEERS = thanks • MATE = friend • QUEUE = a line

Page 8 • Count the money
Start = 70p • 1 = £3 • 2 = £7 • 3 = £16

Page 9 • Signs
WAY OUT = exit • MIND THE GAP = watch the gap by the train • GIVE WAY = let others go first • KEEP LEFT = walk or drive on the left • TOILETS = restroom • WAY IN = entrance

Page 16 • Odd one out
HAT. The others are British foods.

Page 4 • Flag colors
1 blue • 2 white • 3 red

Page 19 • Secret code
YOU ARE A STAR

F	K	S	N	V	A	H	B	Y	D	B	I
J	L	S	E	U	A	I	O	H	K	K	Y
U	**H**	**A**	**T**	**T**	**O**	**N**	K	J	S	U	E
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Page 5 • Spot It!

CROUGHTON: row 10, column 2, going across

FAIRYTALE: row 8, column 1, going across

BLENHEIM: row 12, column 2, going across

WARWICK: row 11, column 5, going across

BANBURY: row 7, column 1, going across

HATTON: row 3, column 2, going across

OXFORD: row 5, column 2, going across

PALACE: row 4, column 7, going across