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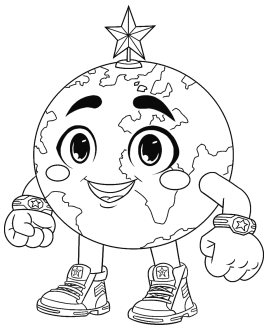
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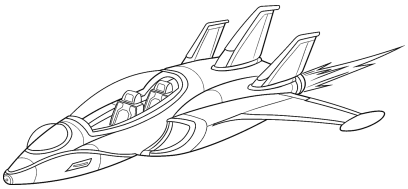
Joli Jaunts is a children's book series about a curious, brave girl named Joli. She flies around the world in her jet to help kids. This guide is a little visit from her crew, for military kids who are moving to a new place.



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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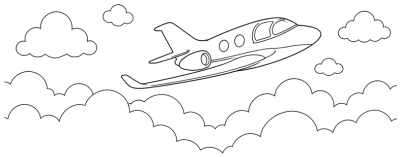
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Hello from Joli!

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 Mildenhall. This guide is for YOU.



THIS GUIDE BELONGS TO

Name _____

I move to Mildenhall 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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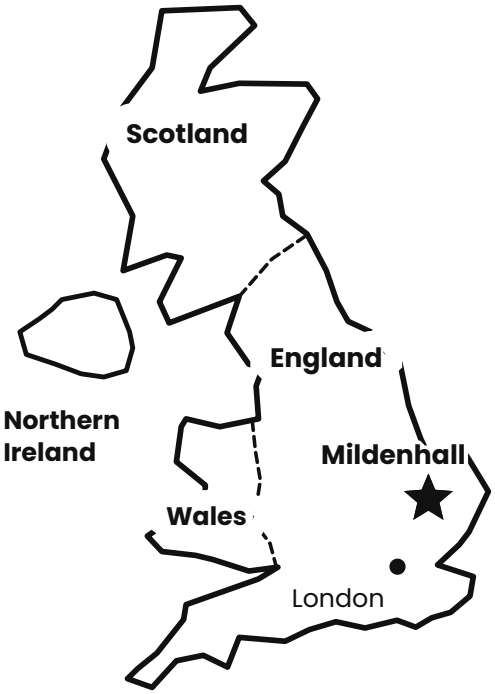
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Where is Mildenhall?

Find the United Kingdom. Find Mildenhall.







The United Kingdom has four nations: England, Scotland, Wales and Northern Ireland. Dashed lines show the borders. Mildenhall is in England, in Suffolk, say: SUF-uk, near Bury St Edmunds.

FAMOUS PLACES: CIRCLE ONE



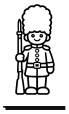
Big Ben



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.

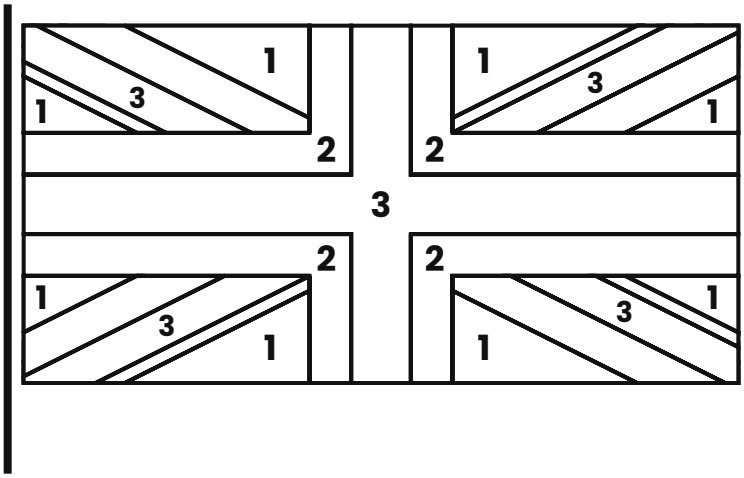


LOCAL WORD **Queue** say: KYOO = a line of people waiting

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.
Tea	In some places, tea means the evening meal, not only a drink.
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!

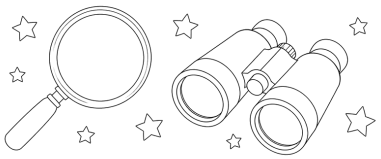
Cheers CHEERZ = thanks

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

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

FIND THESE PLACES AND WORDS. CHECK EACH ONE.

- ☐ **MILDENHALL**
- ☐ **BANHAM**
- ☐ **WESTSTOW**
- ☐ **HOVETON**
- ☐ **DISS**
- ☐ **THETFORD**
- ☐ **ELY**
- ☐ **CAMBRIDGE**

Clue: ELY is a small city with a big cathedral.

JOLI'S MINI-MISSION

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

Which one was hardest? _____



Your first week

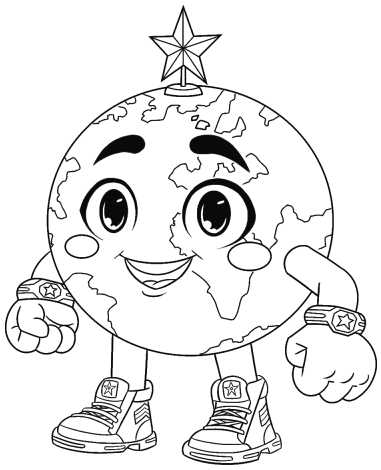
A new place can wait one more night.



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

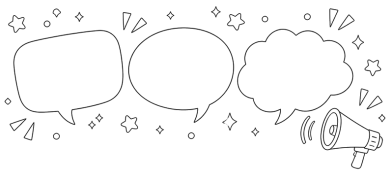
HOW I FEEL ABOUT MY NEW HOME

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
WELLIES WEL-eez rain boots	**JUMPER** JUM-per sweater	**TORCH** TORCH flashlight
PAVEMENT PAYV-ment sidewalk	**BLIMEY** BLY-mee wow	**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.

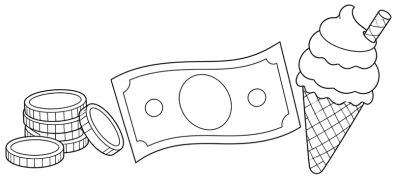
Example: BISCUIT = cookie



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

Numbers and money

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



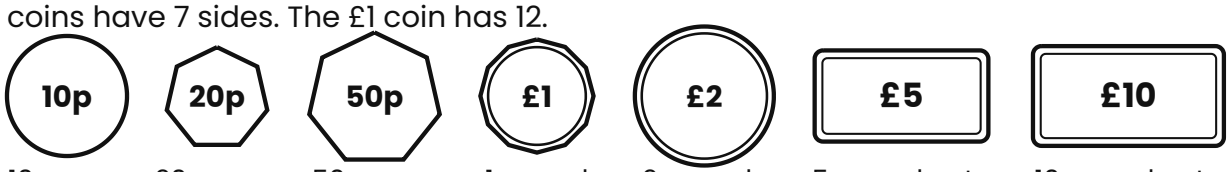
LOCAL WORD **Pound** say: pownd = the main money

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

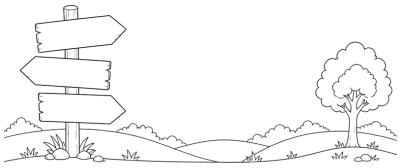
Example: I buy an apple. It costs 50p. I pay with a 50p coin.

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 at RAF Mildenhall

Check the one you want to try first.



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

Check the box for places you want to try.

- ☐ **Youth Center**
  Open play and clubs.
- ☐ **Sports fields**
  Run, kick and throw on the big grass.
- ☐ **Youth Sports**
  Team sports.
- ☐ **Classes**
  Classes like gymnastics and Hapkido, a Korean martial art.
- ☐ **Pen Pal Program**
  Write to a pen pal before you arrive.
- ☐ **Mildenhall Library STEAM Room**
  Build and make. STEAM means science, technology, engineering, art and math.
- ☐ **Playground near home**
  Swings and slides close to home.
- ☐ **Footpath walk**
  Follow a path through fields and woods.

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.

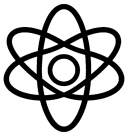


LOCAL WORD **Day out** say: day owt = a trip

1 **Colchester Zoo** Colchester
See tigers, giraffes and meerkats all day.
colchesterzoologicalsociety.com


Color me

2 **Cambridge Science Centre**
Try a ball run, a wind tunnel and lots of hands-on science.
cambridgesciencecentre.org


Color me

3 **BeWILDerwood** Hoveton
Meet make-believe woodland characters called Boggles and Twiggles.
bewilderwood.co.uk


Color me

4 **High Lodge Thetford Forest** Brandon
Climb nets, find Gruffalo clues, ride bikes.
forestryengland.uk


Color me

5 **Sea Life Hunstanton** Hunstanton
Watch seal pups get better and meet penguins.
visitsealife.com

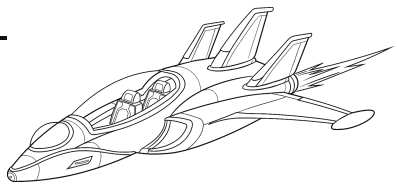

Color me

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 **Bressingham Steam Museum** Diss

Ride steam trains and old fairground horses.

bressingham.co.uk

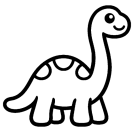


Color me

7 **ROARR! Dinosaur Adventure** Lenwade

Walk with big dinosaurs, then slide and splash!

roarr.co.uk



Color me

8 **Africa Alive** Suffolk coast

See giraffes, lions and rhinos on safari.

africaalive.co.uk



Color me

9 **Banham Zoo** Banham

See big cats, lemurs and meerkats at a countryside zoo.

banhamzoo.co.uk



Color me

10 **West Stow Anglo-Saxon Village** West Stow

Step inside rebuilt homes from long, long ago.

weststow.org



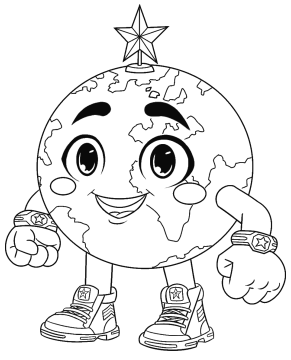
Color me

LOOK AND REMEMBER

Close the book. Name two trips you remember.

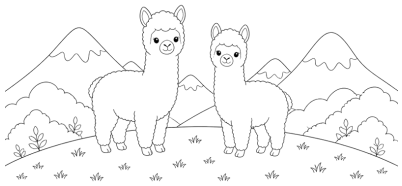
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Let's Jaunt!

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 go to Colchester Zoo? I want to see the meerkats and tigers!**
  colchesterzoologicalsociety.com
  We went on _____

- ☐ **Can we go to Africa Alive? I want to see giraffes!**
  africaalive.co.uk
  We went on _____

- ☐ **Can we go to BeWILDerwood? I want to meet the make-believe woodland characters!**
  bewilderwood.co.uk
  We went on _____

- ☐ **Can we go to Sea Life Hunstanton? I want to meet the penguins!**
  visitsealife.com
  We went on _____

- ☐ **Can we go to ROARR? I want to walk with life-size dinosaurs!**
  roarr.co.uk
  We went on _____

- ☐ **Can we go to Cambridge Science Centre? I want to build a ball run!**
  cambridgesciencecentre.org
  We went on _____

WHY I WANT TO GO

I most want to go to _____

Because _____

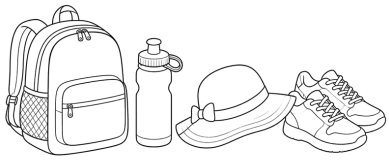
JOLI'S MINI-MISSION

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

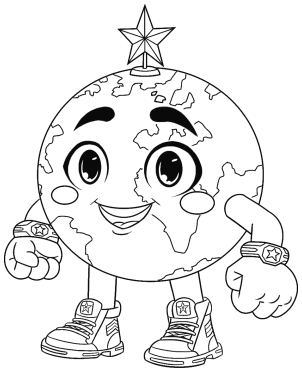
- Water bottle
- Sunscreen and a hat
- A snack
- Comfy shoes
- A rain jacket
- A card with a phone number

MY BACKPACK

Draw what goes inside.

MY DAY TRIP

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



Pack it!

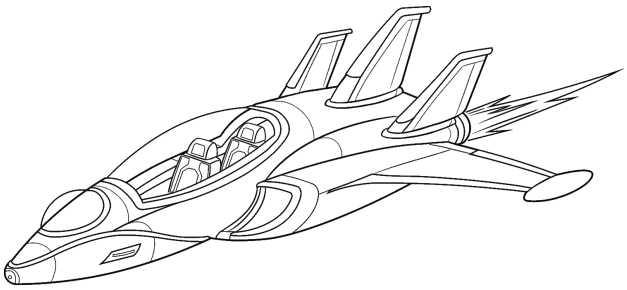
My new home!

Dream big. Draw it. Label it.



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

Many families live in market towns and villages nearby. Your street may have brick houses, red post boxes, red phone boxes and roundabouts. 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 _____

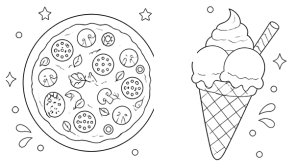
ZORTY'S MINI-MISSION

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



☐ **Newmarket sausage**
say: NYOO-mar-kit SOS-ij
a peppery sausage from Newmarket



I want to try _____

Local fun: Newmarket is known as the home of horse racing in England.

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: FISH • CHIPS • BUS • SCONE

Why? _____

Park day!

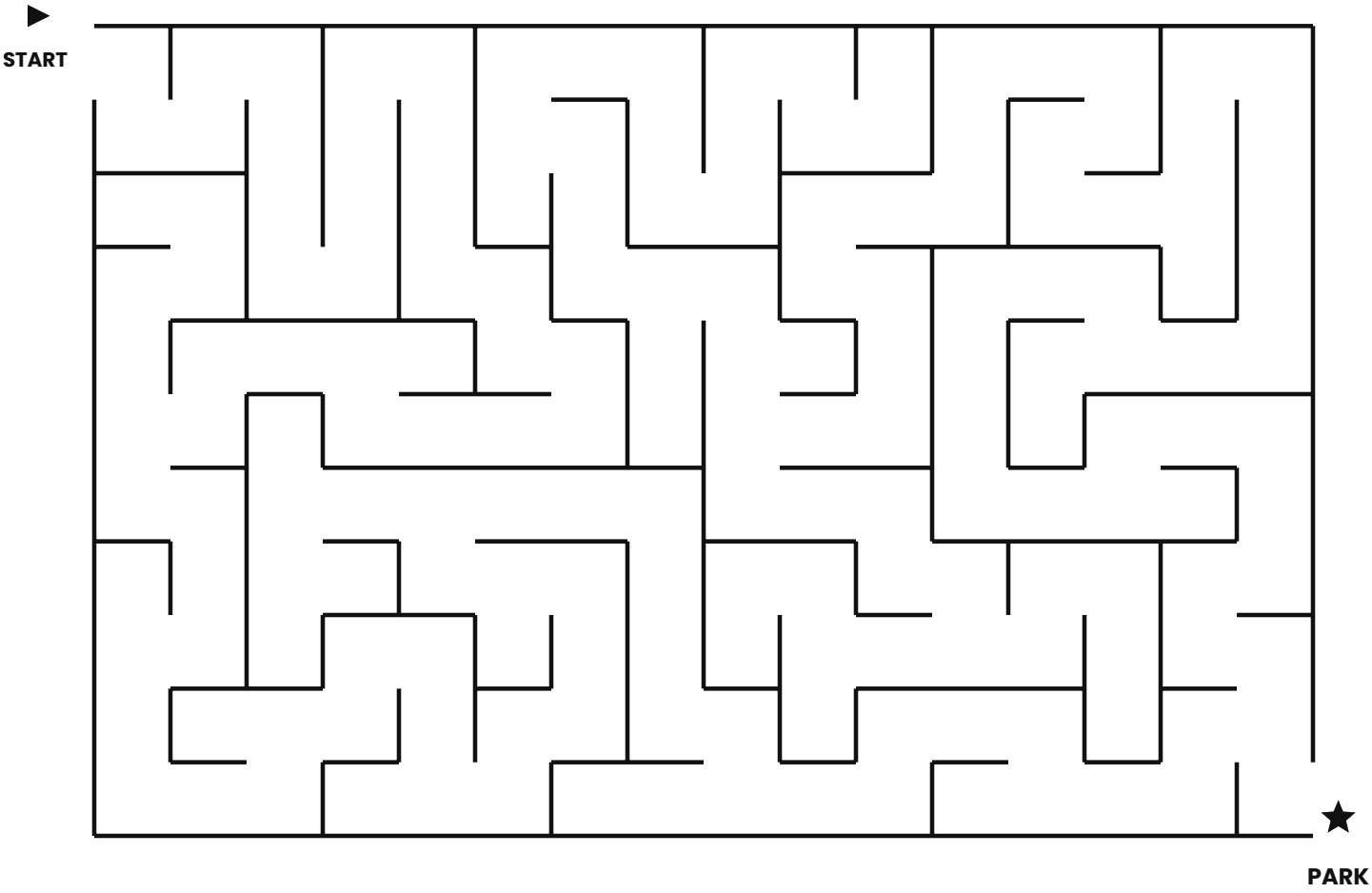
Walk your crew to the park. Find the one path.



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

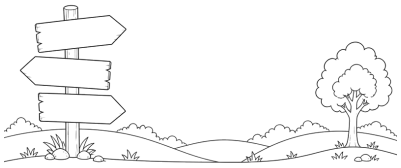
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Our snack

_____

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

JOLI JAUNTS®

NEW BASE, NEW ADVENTURE

This certificate is awarded to

_____

for becoming a Mildenhall 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!

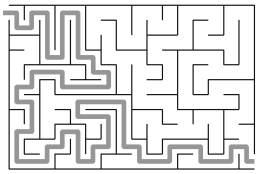
Joli Jaunts. New base, new adventure.

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
BUS. The others are British foods.

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

Page 19 • Secret code
YOU ARE A STAR

T	K	U	W	E	F	**D**	**I**	**S**	**S**	Y	A
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Page 5 • Spot It!

MILDENHALL: row 12, column 2, going across

WESTSTOW: row 3, column 4, going across

THETFORD: row 10, column 5, going across

CAMBRIDGE: row 9, column 3, going across

HOVETON: row 6, column 2, going across

BANHAM: row 5, column 4, going across

DISS: row 1, column 7, going across

ELY: row 2, column 7, going across