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Very old cheese

Scientists have analysed a white lump that filled a broken clay jar in the tomb of Ptahmes, who was the mayor of Memphis in the 13th century BC. They say that the lump weighs several hundred grams and seems to be made of a mixture of cow milk and either sheep or goat milk, in other words cheese. The cheese also contains remains of bacteria that cause an infection with fever both in cattle and people. They did not smell the cheese but said that because it was 3,200 years old, they did not think that it smelled of anything. This moves cheese making thousands of years back in time. Archaeologists have found other samples of dairy products earlier, but not solid cheese.

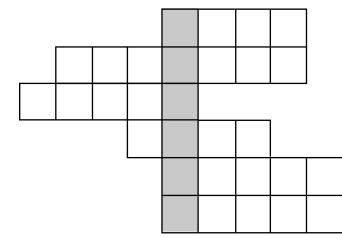
Memphis was the capital of ancient Lower Egypt and the ruins of the city are near the town of Mit Rahina, 20 km south of Giza. They have been preserved together with the pyramids of Giza as a World Heritage Site and an open-air museum.

WORDS YOU MAY NOT KNOW

a lump – en klump clay – lera a tomb – en gravkammare a mayor – en borgmästare BC – före Kristus to weigh – att väga seem – verkar, ser ut att to contain – att innehålla a remain – en rest, kvarleva cattle – boskap dairy – mejeri solid – fast to preserve – att förvara

a World Heritage Site – ett Världskulturarv open-air museum – utomhusmuseum

Read the text above and solve the crossword below to find out what the word in the grey area is, please. There is a clue for each word in the crossword and you can find them all in the text.



- 1. A large town.
- 2. Name of the mayor of Memphis.
- 3. The opposite of black.
- 4. 365 days.



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6. The opposite of late.



Ruins in Memphis

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Fill in the words

Pick words from the box below and write them into the gaps to complete the story, please. Cross out each word when you use it because you can only use them once.

There are	seasons in every year – spring, summer,								
and winter. Each season brings different									
weather. It is	s very3	in winte	er and sunny a	nd					
in summer. In autumn the days become									
5	and the _	6	on trees change	2					
colour. The wind gets colder and the leaves fall off the									
7	In winter	the8	covers the						
ground and makes it white. We have to wear warm9									
when we go out. In spring the days become									
and the gets warmer. Many 12									
come back from their winter homes. In summer there are leaves									
on the trees and on plants. What is your favourite									
? Do you like the summer when it is warm and									
school is out	, or the	when	n you can ski, s	kate and					
make a snow	vman?								
cold	trees	four	snow	season					
autumn leaves	winter warm	shorter clothes	weather birds	flowers longer					



This is not a joke

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Usain Bolt, a famous Jamaican sprinter, who finished his successful athletics career after the 2017 World Championships in London, will join the Australian club Central Coast Mariners. In 2016, he had expressed that it had always been his dream to play professional football. Cricket was the first sport that caught his interest and as a child he admired the Pakistani cricket team. In 2013 Bolt even played basketball in the NBA All-Star Weekend Celebrity Game, but was not very good at it. Bolt arrived in Australia on August 18 and will join the Mariners for an "indefinite training period". He has earlier trained with Borussia Dortmund in Germany, Sundowns in South Africa and Strømsgodset in Norway. None of these training periods ended with Bolt signing with the club, but they all got a lot publicity. The Mariners tell they are welcoming him with open arms and Bolt says he is very excited about coming to Australia. "This is real. I've told the world I want to be a footballer and I know what I can do for the Mariners who are giving me the opportunity to show what I'm capable of."

Central Coast Mariners Football Club is a professional soccer club in Gosford, a small town in New South Wales with less than 4,000 inhabitants about 76 km from Sydney. The club plays at Central Coast Stadium with 20,000 seats and their supporters are called the Yellow Army because of their colours. The Mariners have won the A-League* Premiership twice and both Championship and Pre-Season Challenge Cup once since the club was formed in 2005. Majority of their players came from no longer existing National Soccer League and it is said that the club usually exceeds most expectations.

The club's aim is to train Bolt to a professional football player and offer him a professional contract if they succeed. The club's chief executive told at a press conference that their goal is to be the most innovative, entertaining and community minded sports brand in Australia and that Bolt joining the club to train and hopefully developing into a professional football player corresponds perfectly with the club's philosophy. He also said that this is a very real football opportunity, not a stunt or a gimmick, the club wants to find out if Bolt can play and continues that the time will tell at what level he is and if he fits the A-league.

Usain Bolt, who turned 32 on 21 August, is an eight-time Olympic gold medallist and holds the world record in the 100 m, 200 m and 4 x 100 m relay. He also holds the title of the fastest man on earth.

Read the text above and decide what the things explained in sentences below are, please.



Usain Bolt at the 2013 London Anniversary Games

- 1. A race between teams of runners, each team member in turn covering part of the total distance
- 2. Any of various forms of team game involving kicking (and in some cases also handling) a ball
- 3. A person engaged in a specified activity as one's main paid occupation
- 4. A written or spoken agreement

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5. A person who is actively interested in and wishes success for a particular sports team

* Professional men's soccer league run by Football Federation Australia (FFA) Pick and choose®

Compound word puzzle

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Use the letters in each puzzle to form two words that make **a compound word** (sammansatt ord), please. There is a clue in each puzzle to help you.

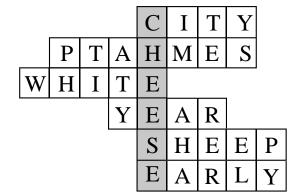
An example: B R 1. SKAETALL (a sport) R **RRCSSDW** (a puzzle) 2. BENYHO (an insect) E R B 3. POOWTEFA 4. EYRLERU (resistent to water) (a small berry) R 6. NEGAI \mathbf{O} (jewellery) 5. SHWERUK (work done in housekeeping) Α 7. BLOTX 8. PRELLWP (for keeping (on the wall) tools in) T 10. HITRAF 9. BEALEMI (an animal in the sea) (a plan of times) S

Teacher's notes

Very old cheese



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Fill in the words



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- 1. four
- 2. autumn
- 3. cold
- 4. warm
- 5. shorter
- 6. leaves
- 7. trees
- 8. snow
- 9. clothes
- 10. longer
- 11. weather
- 12. birds
- 13. flowers
- 14. season
- 15. winter

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- 1. a relay
- 2. football
- 3. a professional
- 4. a contract
- 5. a supporter

Compound word puzzle **B**



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- 1. basketball
- 2. honeybee
- 3. waterproof
- 4. blueberry
- 5. housework
- 6. earring
- 7. toolbox
- 8. wallpaper
- 9. timetable
- 10. starfish

Pick and Choose information

Missa inte att det finns extramaterial på Pick and Choose egen hemsida:

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Welcome to Pick and choose's website for extras! When we write our material, there is always something more we would like to do but cannot find the space for So we came up with the idea of putting it on the web. These extras are just suggestions for further studies and you can use them in any way you like.

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In this box you can always find the latest extras. They are also included at the bottom of the page.

THIS WEEK'S EXTRAS

A-uppgifter:

Here is an article about the world's oldest cheese and picture of the pot where it was found.

If you want to make your own cheese, this page has the instructions.

You can find out more about Memphis on this page.

If you are interested in finding out more about the ancient Lower Egypt and its kings, you can find information here.

There was also Upper Egypt, here is some more about the two kingdoms.

You can find some more "Fill in the Blanks Stories" on this page.

B-uppgifter:

This is the official website of the Central Coast Mariners where you can see a film of Usain Bolt arriving on the airport. You can find out what Usain Bolt thinks about moving to Australia on Bolts website.

Missa inte heller Ämnesarkivet som är ett mycket billigt komplement till prenumerationen: https://www.meraforlaget.se/vara-laromedel/pick---choose/amnesarkivet

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A-uppgifterna lämpar sig mest för årskurs 3-5 och B-uppgifterna för årskurs 6-9. Klickar du exempelvis på underrubriken "Animals" kommer du till en sida där du hittar ett antal A-uppgifter som handlar om djur.

A-uppgifter

- Animals
- Grammar
- · Interests and hobbies
- Me and my family
- · Nature, space and environment
- · Weather, time and seasons
- Miscellanea