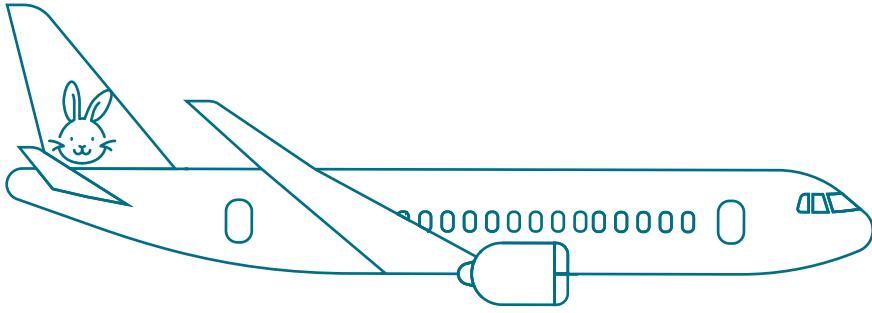


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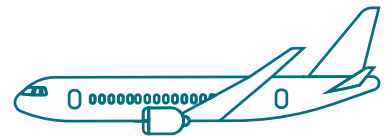


The basket above has 65 aircraft hidden. Can you find them all?

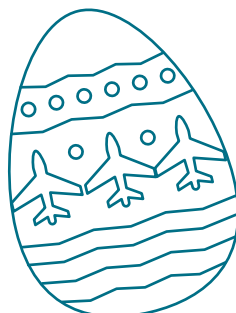
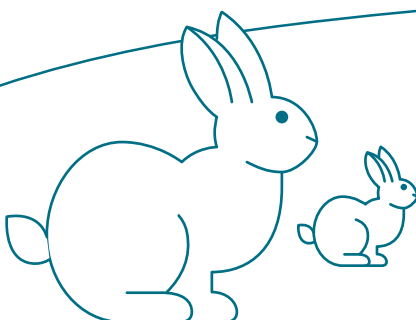


My name is

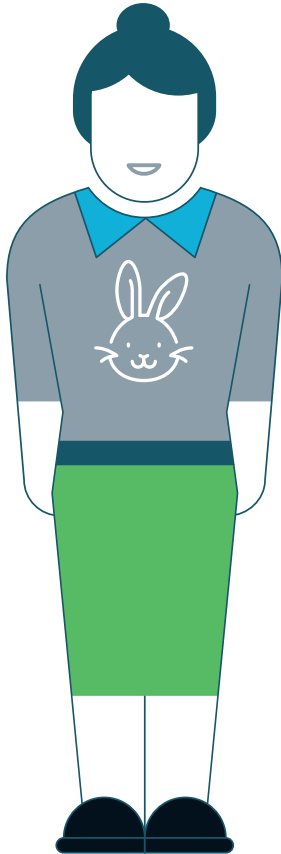
My favourite
Easter snack is



The cutest spring
animal is



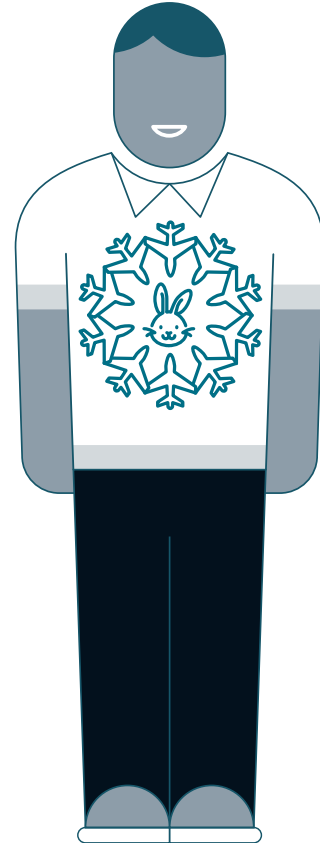
Air Traffic Controllers



This is Natalia.

Natalia works as an Air Traffic Controller at NATS in a control centre. As an Air Traffic Controller Natalia's job is to make sure aeroplanes fly safely in our skies.

Natalia isn't seen by passengers but talks to pilots on the radio and keeps an eye on where they are going. Natalia can see the aeroplane by using a map, this is called a radar. The radar helps Natalia guide the aeroplanes the right way and away from other aeroplanes, so they don't get too close.



This is Nathan.

Nathan works with Natalia at NATS and is also an Air Traffic Controller. But Nathan works in the airport control tower.

Nathan helps pilots navigate the aeroplanes around the airport and helps them take off and land safely.

When the aeroplane is 7,000ft in the air he will pass it to Natalia to direct it to the next airport.



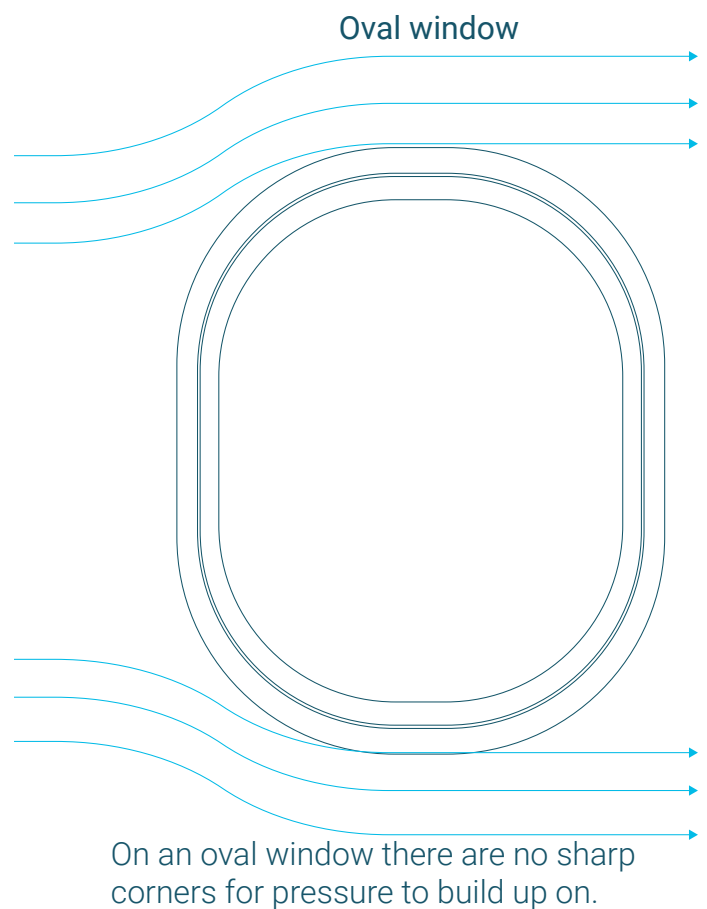
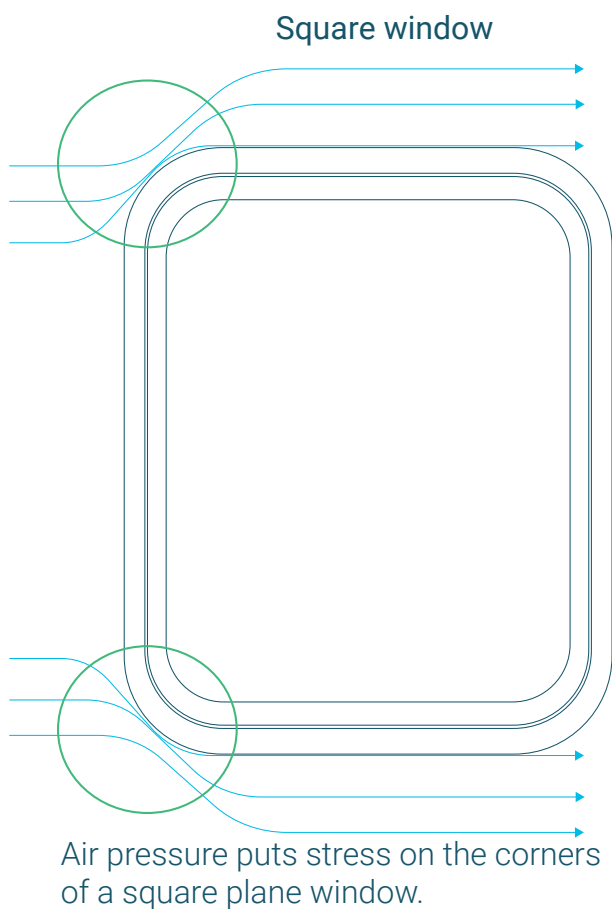
Shape trivia

What do Easter eggs and plane windows have in common?

To help planes fly higher, engineers designed the windows to be oval shaped.

This helps limit the flow of air pressure outside and stops the windows from cracking (pardon the pun!).

An oval is a strong shape! Why don't you research what else is oval shaped?



Anagrams

Can you work out these jumbled up words? They are all related to aviation.

1. tcrolronle _____
2. gisnw _____
3. nuwray _____
4. gnienne _____
5. odlh _____
6. koctcpi _____
7. wtero _____
8. glfhti _____
9. paoirtr _____
10. peadrurte _____ 



Easter egg plane

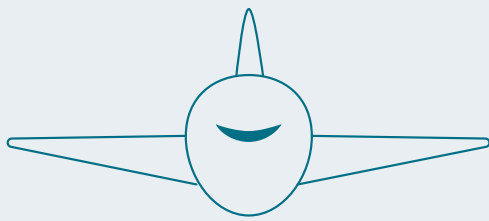
Have a go at drawing your own egg shaped inspired plane following the below steps.



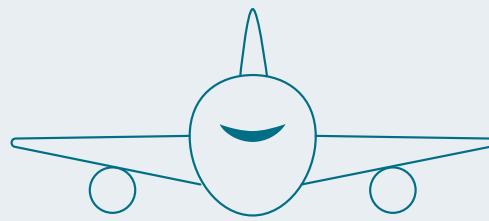
1. Draw an upside down egg shape.



2. Add a triangle for the tail and a crescent shape for the window.

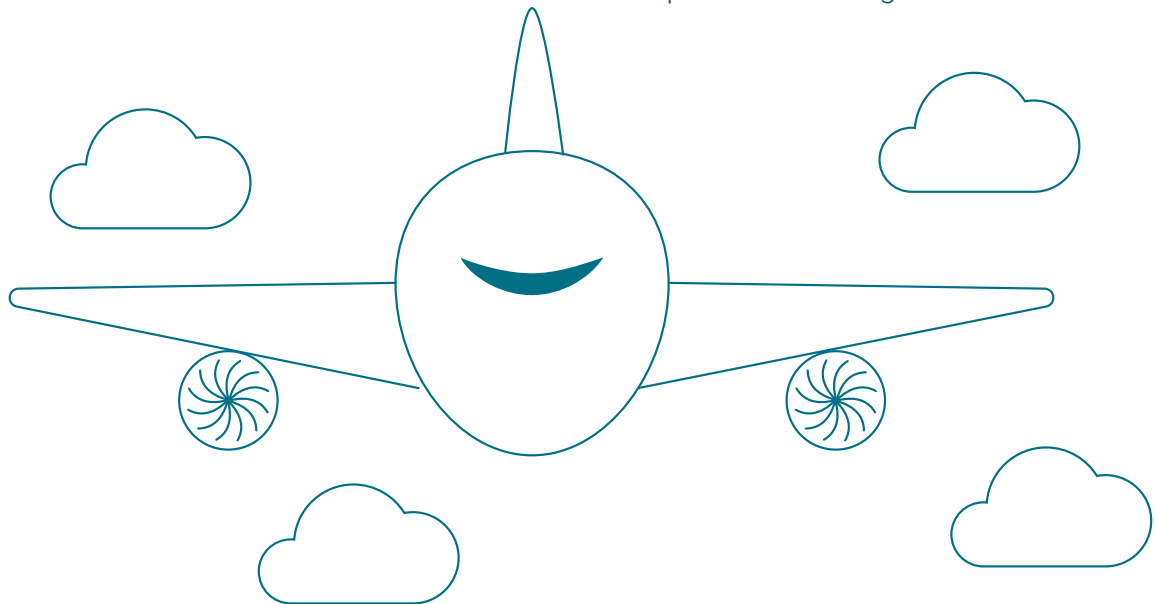


3. Draw two long triangles for the wings.



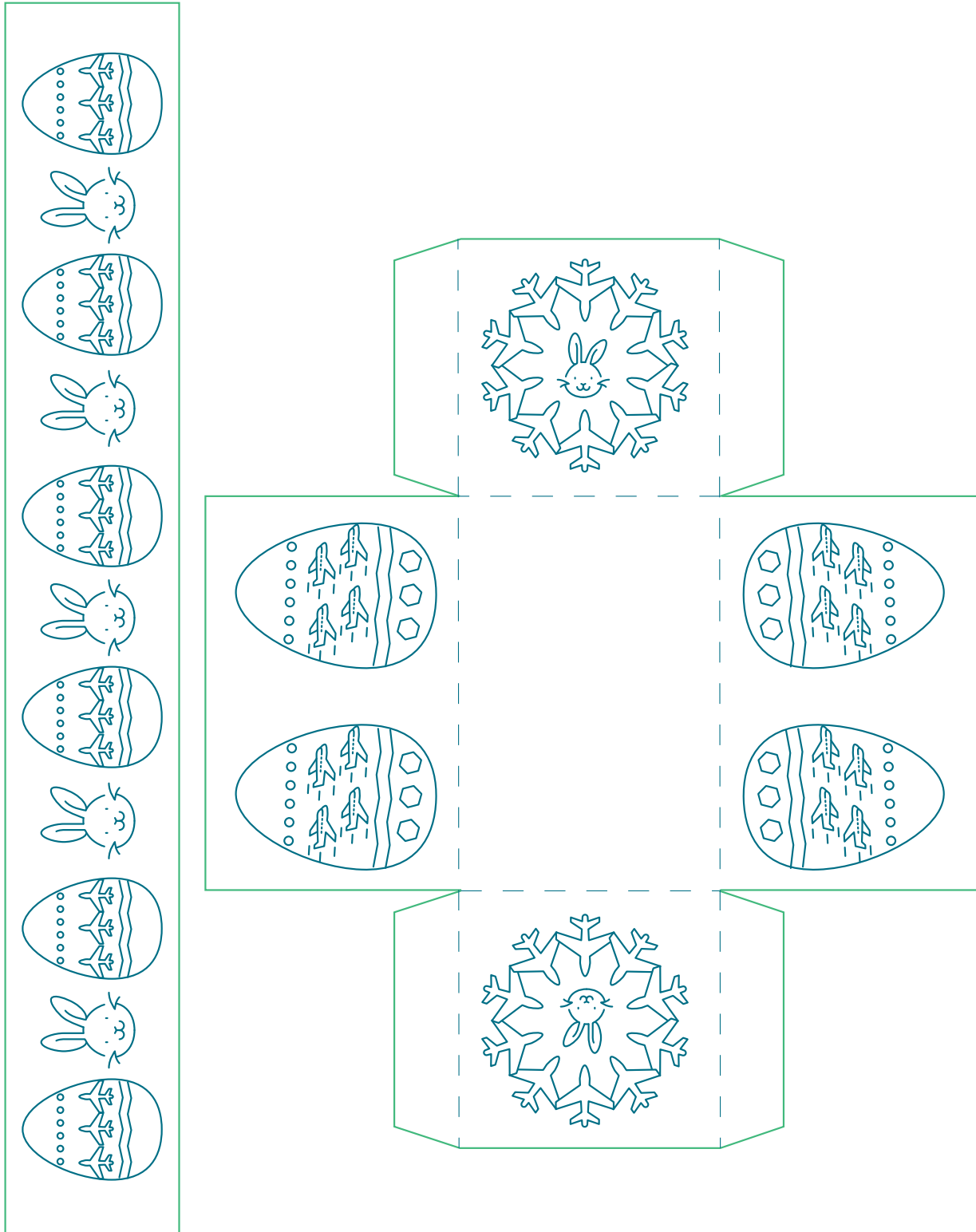
4. Under each wing draw engines as circles.

5. You can add more details such as clouds and spirals on the engine.



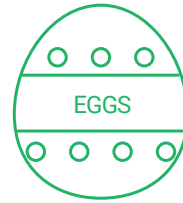
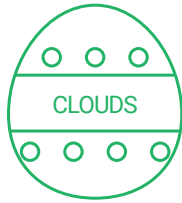
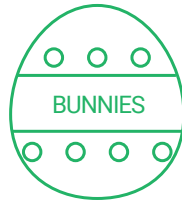
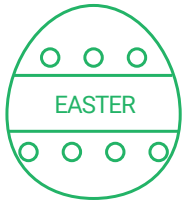
Easter egg suitcase

Cut along the solid green lines and fold along the dotted lines. Glue or staple the flaps and stick the handle on. Fill your suitcase with some yummy Easter treats.



Word Search

Can you find the words below in the word search?

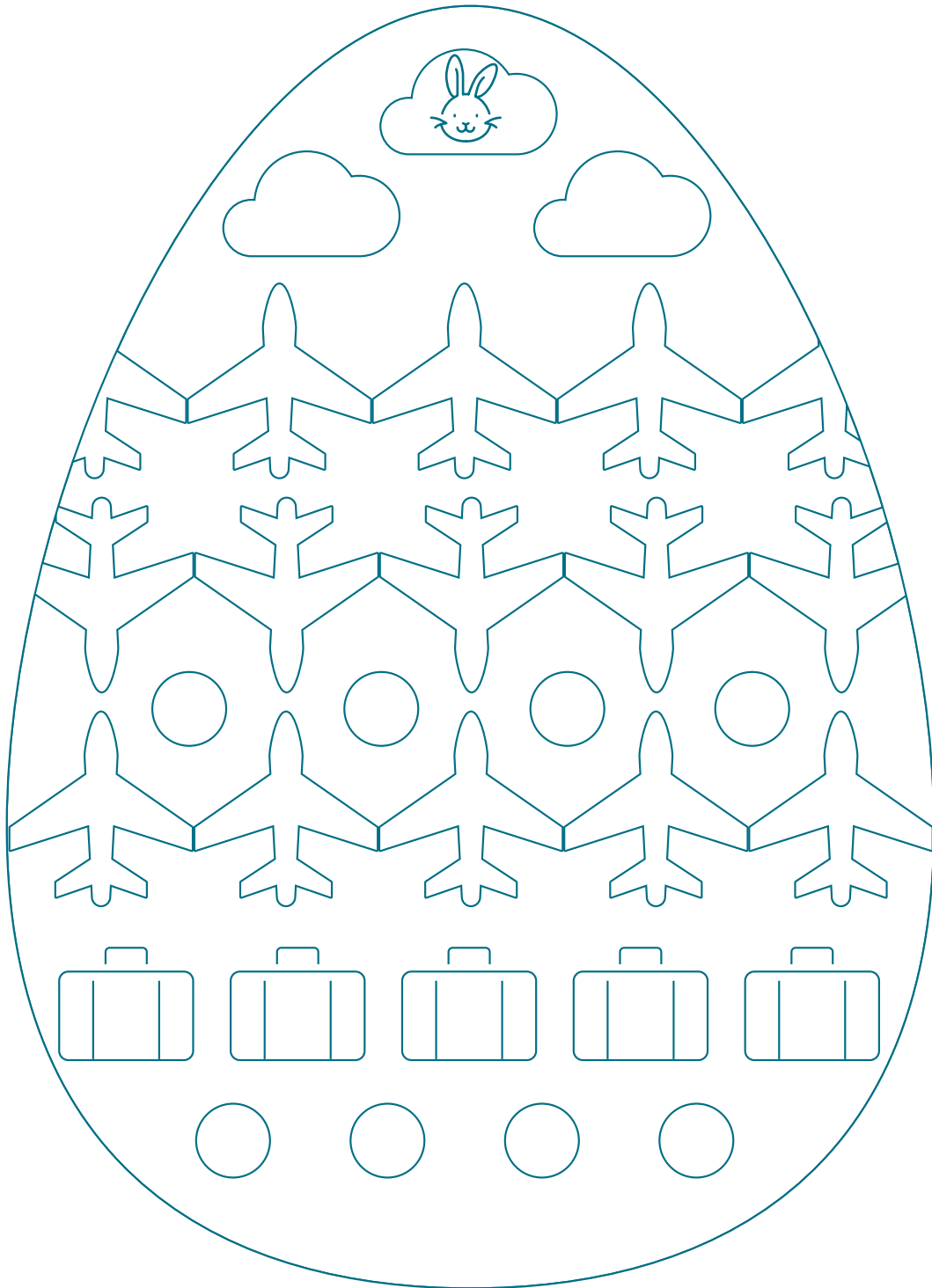


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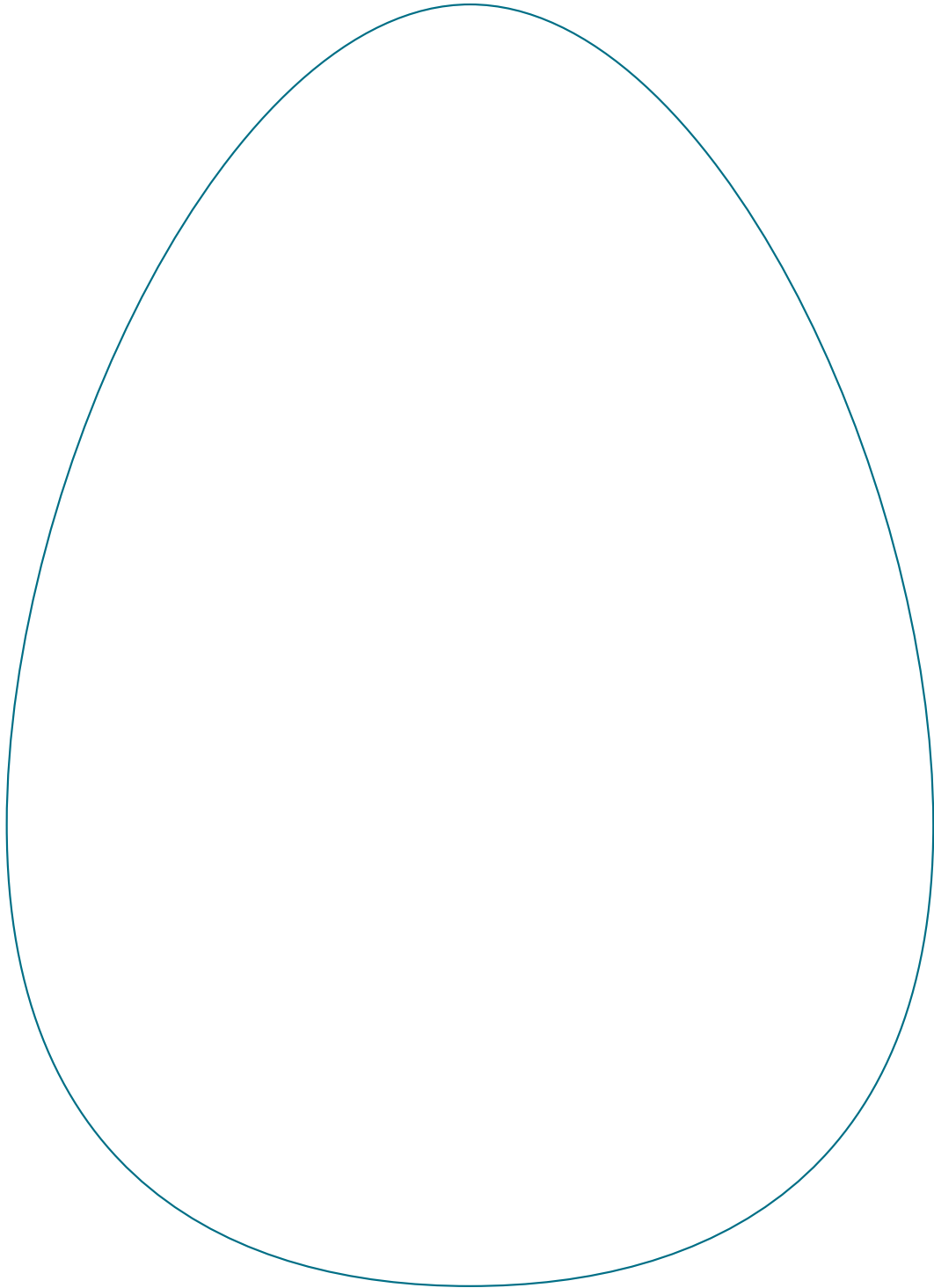
Plane Easter Egg

Below is an aviation themed Easter Egg design. Enjoy colouring it in.



Plane Easter Egg

Can you design an aviation themed Easter Egg?






Phonetic Alphabet

Did you know... There is a special language that controllers and pilots use to talk to each other—and it's called the **phonetic alphabet**. Instead of 'A' for 'apple', we say 'Alpha', and instead of 'D' for 'dog', we say 'Delta'!

Can you say a festive word phonetic alphabet? For example, Easter, would be **E**cho **A**lpha **S**ierra **T**ango **E**cho **R**omeo

We would love to see your work on the activities in the pack. If you'd like to share it, please ask an adult to post it on Social Media. Ideally share it on our Twitter or Facebook pages with the hashtag #LearnWithNATS. .

A Alpha	B Bravo	C Charlie	D Delta	E Echo
F Foxtrot		G Golf	H Hotel	
I India	J Juliett	K Kilo	L Lima	M Mike
N November	O Oscar	P Papa	Q Quebec	R Romeo
S Sierra	T Tango		U Uniform	V Victor
W Whiskey	X X-ray	Y Yankee	Z Zulu	

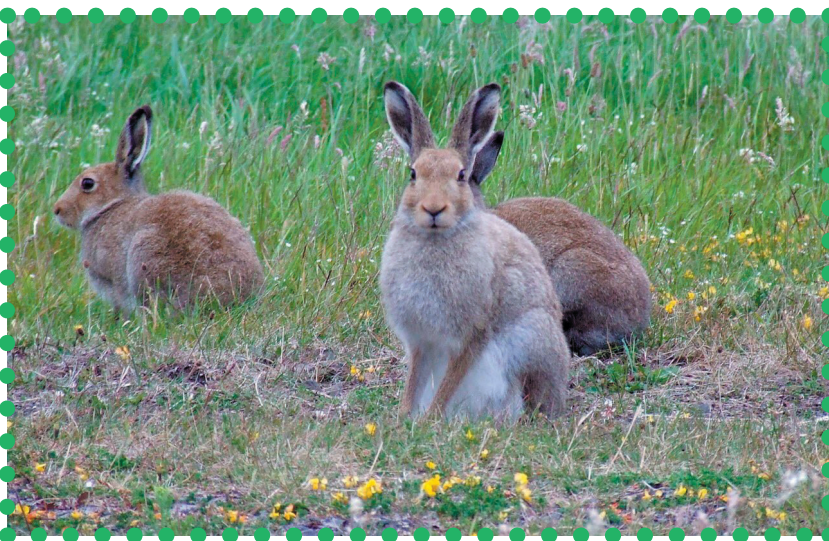


Did you know?

At Belfast International Airport, there are some special residents that make it very unique. Around 60 hares live on the airfield and are often spotted by passengers!

The Irish hares are attracted to the airfield because of its long grass which is used to deter birds from getting too close to the planes. The airport has the largest protected population of Irish hares on the island of Ireland!

Below are some pictures of the Irish hares at Belfast International Airport.



Photos by @BelfastAirport

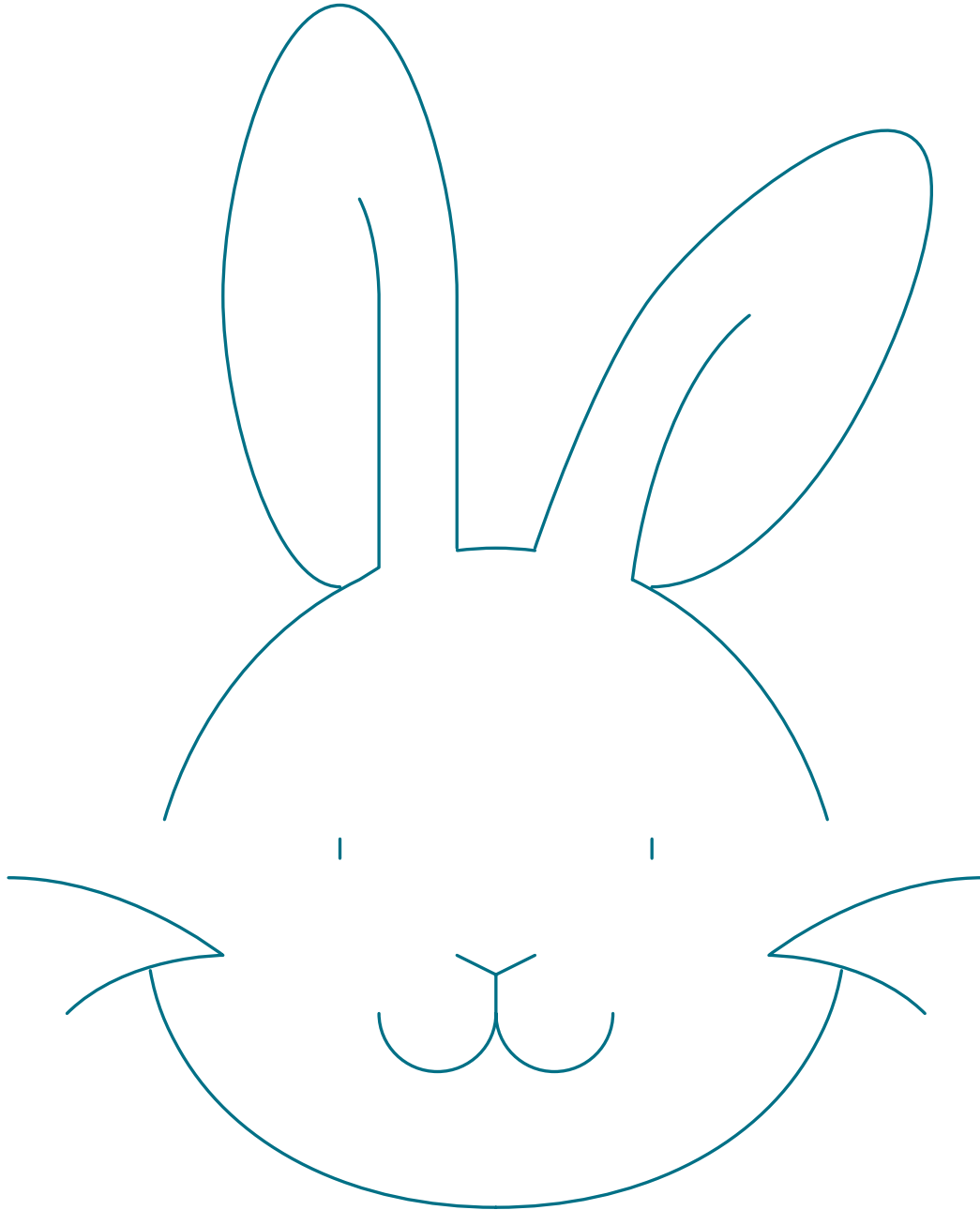


'Nibbles' the bunny!

Throughout this activity pack 'Nibbles' the bunny appears on most pages.

How many times have you spotted him?

Hint: On some pages he features more than once.

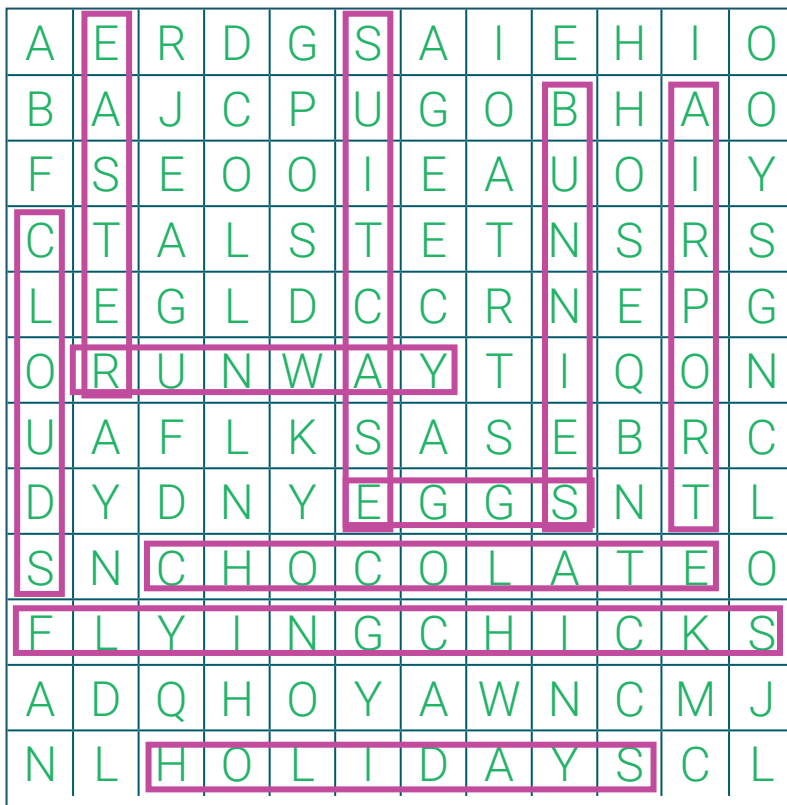


Answers

Anagrams

1. tclronle → Controller
2. gisnw → Wings
3. nuwray → Runway
4. gniene → Engine
5. odlh → Hold
6. koctpi → Cockpit
7. wtero → Tower
8. glfhti → Flight
9. paoirtr → Airport
10. peadrurte → Departure

Word Search



How many 'Nibbles' the bunny did you find?

There were 18 in this pack.



Happy Easter

Happy Easter from all at NATS!

We at NATS hope you've enjoyed this activity pack and learnt something new.

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