

Brain Teaser – Paper 2

Can you solve the problems below – remember to think in as many different ways as you can and use your imagination!

1. The words in the list below all have the something in common. Write what you think the link is on the line below.

Can you add any words of your own which could belong to the group? Write them in the spaces.

- a) mistletoe
- b) armour
- c) spear
- d) chair
- e) machine

f) _____

g) _____

h) _____

2. Can you provide the answer to this mystery? Explain in a few sentences exactly what you think has happened and why.

‘An aeroplane takes off from an airport in France. The passengers on board are from Britain, France and Spain. The aeroplane is nearing its destination in the United States of America when it crashes into the sea. Where would they have to bury the survivors?’

ANSWERS

1. All the words contain names of parts of the body.

- a) mistletoe
- b) armour
- c) spear
- d) chair
- e) machine

2. Although there are many different countries involved, the key is in the word 'survivors'. Since these people did not die, hopefully we would not bury them at all – at least – not yet!