

English

Tuesday 12th January 2021

MLJ: To collect and generate imagery of Iron Man.

The Iron Man came to the top of the cliff.

How far had he walked? Nobody knows. Where did he come from? Nobody knows. How was he made? Nobody knows.

Taller than a house, the Iron Man stood at the top of the cliff, on the very brink, in the darkness.

The wind sang through his iron fingers. His great iron head, shaped like a dustbin but as big as a bedroom, slowly turned to the right, slowly turned to the left. His iron ears turned, this way, that way. He was hearing the sea. His eyes, like headlamps, glowed white, then red, then infrared, searching the sea. Never before had the Iron Man seen the sea.

He swayed in the strong wind that pressed against his back. He swayed forward, on the brink of the high cliff.

And his right foot, his enormous iron right foot, lifted - up, out into space, and the Iron Man stepped forward, off the cliff, into nothingness.

CRRRAAAASSSSSH!

Down the cliff the Iron Man came toppling, head over heels.

CRASH!

CRASH!

CRASH!

From rock to rock, snag to snag, tumbling slowly. And as he crashed and crashed and crashed.

His iron legs fell off.

His iron arms broke off, and the hands broke off the arms.

His great iron ears fell off and his eyes fell out.

His great iron head fell off.

All the separate pieces tumbled, scattered, crashing, bumping, clanging, down on to the rocky beach far below.

A few rocks tumbled with him.

Then

Silence.

Only the sound of the sea, chewing away at the edge of the rocky beach, where the bits and pieces of the Iron Man lay scattered far and wide, silent and unmoving.

Only one of the iron hands, lying beside an old, sand-logged washed-up seaman's boot, waved its fingers for a minute, like a crab on its back. Then it lay still.

While the stars went on wheeling through the sky and the wind went on tugging at the grass on the cliff top and the sea went on boiling and booming.

Nobody knew the Iron Man had fallen.

Night passed.


Just before dawn, as the darkness grew blue and the shapes of the rocks separated from each other, two seagulls flew crying over the rocks. They landed on a patch of sand. They had two chicks in a nest on the cliff. Now they were searching for food.

One of the seagulls flew up - Aaaaaark! He had seen something. He glided low over the sharp rocks. He landed and picked something up. Something shiny, round and hard. It was one of the Iron Man's eyes. He brought it back to his mate. They both looked at this strange thing. And the eye looked at them. It rolled from side to side looking first at one gull, then at the other. The gulls, peering at it, thought it was a strange kind of clam, peeping at them from its shell.

Then the other gull flew up, wheeled around and landed and picked something up. Some awkward, heavy thing. The gull flew low and slowly, dragging the heavy thing. Finally, the gull dropped it beside the eye. This new thing had five legs. It moved. The gull thought it was a strange kind of crab. They thought they had found a strange crab and a strange clam. They did not know they had found the Iron Man's eye and the Iron Man's right hand.

# What is an adjective?

Adjectives are words that describe nouns or pronouns.



Adjectives to  
describe Iron Man.

# What is a simile?

A simile is a descriptive phrase that uses the words 'like' or 'as' to compare two things.

Share an idea of a simile you can use to describe  
Iron Man.

1. Create a word bank of adjectives that describe Iron Man.

2. Create a simile to describe Iron Man's:

- eyes
- shoulders
- jaw
- hands



Maths

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MLJ: To recognise the place value of each digit in a given number.

Warm up!

Write the next number for each of these numbers.

99 ● →

334 ● →

459 ● →

199 ● →

999 ● →

Challenge: what is 100 more for each number?

Warm up!

Write the next number for each of these numbers.

99 ● → 100

334 ● → 335

459 ● → 460

199 ● → 200

999 ● → 1000

100 more

200

435

560

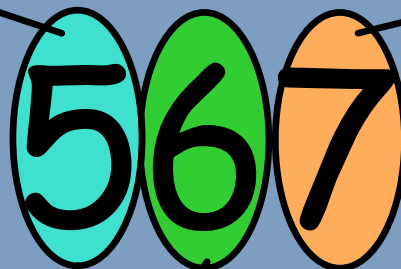
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1100

Challenge: what is  
100 more for  
each number?

Hundreds / 100s

Ones / 1s



Tens / 10s



567

How many hundreds? There are 5 hundreds.

How many tens? There are 6 tens.

How many ones? There are 7 ones.



1,034

1000s	100s	10s	1s

How many thousands?

How many hundreds?

How many tens?

How many ones?

What digit represents the hundreds in the number below?

767

134

What value does the underlined digit represent?

546

### **What is the number?**

- The number has three digits.
- The ones digit is an odd number bigger than 7.
- The tens digit is 5 less than 6.
- The hundreds digit is the same as the tens.