Unit 20. The Pound Sign (£) and Adding Amounts of Money

National Curriculum Requirement

Recognise and use symbols for pounds (£) and pence (p); combine amounts to make a particular value

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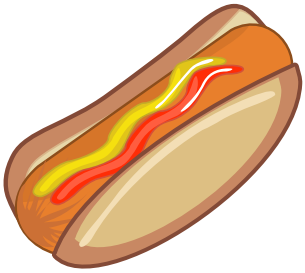
An exercise that will, we hope, aid pupils' understanding of the symbols used for money in the UK. It may well be that pupils will need help with the spelling of the words. Perhaps the greatest mistake lies in putting the pound sign after the units. In many ways this is understandable given that we say three pounds when we mean £3.

The latter exercise gives practice in adding money. Working in columns, we believe, helps pupils to identify the pound and pence units.

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The Pound (£) Sign

Write in the cost of each of the following using words in the same way as the cost of the hot dog which has been done for you.



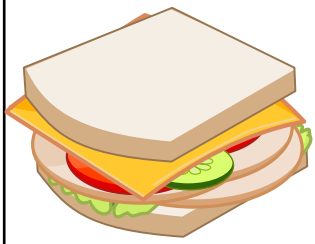
Hot dog
£1.50

The price is:
One pound and 50p



Teddy bear
£2.50

The price is:



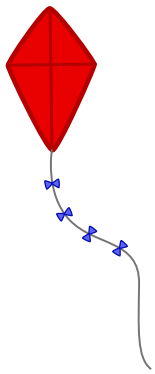
Sandwich
£1.25

The price is:



Football
£4.99

The price is:



Kite
£7.49

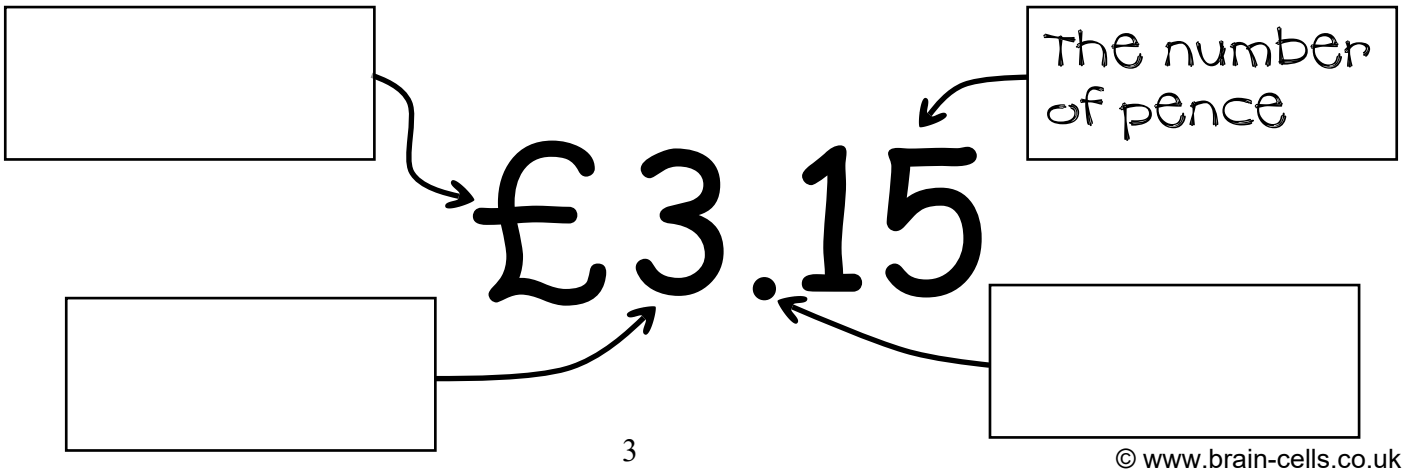
The price is:

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Using the words - ***written, pence, point*** - onto in the correct grey blanks in the passage below:

We use a symbol like this £ for the pounds and a dot, called a decimal _____, separates the pounds and pence. So two pounds and fifty _____ would be _____ as £2.50

Write the titles - ***Pounds, The number of pence, Decimal point, The number of pounds*** - into the boxes so as the explain the diagram. One has been done for you



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Adding Money

Add these amounts of money so as to get the total amount. The first one has been done for you.

£3.20 and £2.10

£	.	p
3	.	20
2	.	10
5	.	30

£2.10 and £3.20

£	.	p

£4.10 and £1.30

£	.	p

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£ . p

£2.50 and £3.30

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£ . p

£1.60 and £2.20

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£ . p

£3.40 and £4.10

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_____

£ . p

£5.40 and £4.50

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£ . p

£2.12 and £3.10

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£ . p

£1.15 and £2.10

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£ . p

£1.12 and £1.14

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£ . p

£1.42 and £5.03

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£ . p

£1.70 and £2.40

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£ . p

£1.80 and £1.20

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£ . p

£1.50 and £4.50

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£ . p

£2.70 and £3.50

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£ . p

£2.25 and £1.45

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£ . p

£1.15 and £2.95

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£ . p

£3.45 and £4.85

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£ . p

£5.45 and £4.69

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