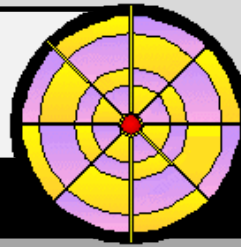


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Pokemon Go phenomenon gives Nintendo shares record lift

Nintendo has enjoyed its biggest weekly share price gain in more than 30 years following the launch of Pokemon Go.

Pokemon Go, a virtual reality treasure hunt where players hunt monsters that appear on their smartphones, leads the free-to-download app chart.

It was made available in the UK this week following its launch in the US, Australia and New Zealand.

This week, Nintendo's stock jumped by 70%. The stock's previous market value was £13bn. What is its current market value?



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FINANCE

UK interest rates held at 0.5%

The Bank of England has held the UK's main interest rate at 0.5% despite speculation that it would cut rates.

****HARDER****

How much compound interest would you receive if you invested £10 000 in a bank account offering this rate of interest for 3 years?



Indian state imposes a 'fat tax'

Kerala is the first state in India to introduce a "fat tax" on burgers, pizzas, doughnuts and tacos served in branded restaurants.



The recently-elected Communist government says the 14.5% tax is aimed at making people more conscious about food choices and curbing obesity.

If a Big Mac meal costs £4.69, how much would it cost with this tax added on?

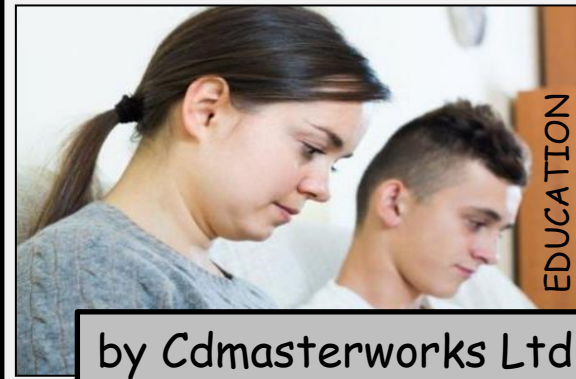
WORLD

Texting parents boosts maths grades, study suggests

Texts from schools to parents about tests and homework can boost secondary pupils' maths grades by the equivalent of a month in class, research suggests.

The texts cost schools £6 per pupil over the year, a report claims.

How much would this text messaging service cost a school of 850 pupils for a years worth of texting?



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