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Grand National: Tiger Roll wins two years in a row



Tiger Roll won a thrilling Grand National to become the first horse since Red Rum 45 years ago to win the Aintree race back-to-back.

(a) In what year did Red Rum win the Grand National for the second year in a row?

In this year's race, Tiger Roll was the 4-1 favourite.

(b) How much would a punter receive for a £10 flutter?

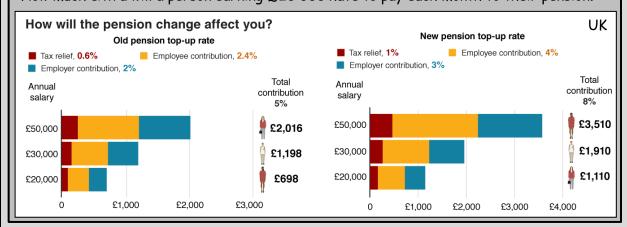
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Ten million people face higher pension payments

who are automatically enrolled into a workplace pension.

workers in the UK will now see a bigger chunk of their wages automatically diverted to a pension, starting with their next pay packet. That will mean less take-home pay for many people

How much extra will a person earning £20 000 have to pay each month to their pension?



UK scientists discover world's tallest tropical tree

Scientists in the UK and Malaysia say they have discovered the world's tallest tropical

tree measuring 328 feet high.

The lofty yellow meranti was spotted in a Borneo rainforest by a



team from the University of Nottingham.

Researchers from the University of Oxford then carried out 3D scans and drone flights to confirm the record.

The Statue of Liberty

is 93 metres tall. Which is taller, the tree or the Statue of Liberty? You MUST give a reason for your answer.

Paint-by-numbers inventor dies at 93

Dan Robbins, the artist behind the paint-by-numbers craze has died at the age of 93.

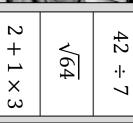
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As a wee tribute we have a paint-by-numbers where the end product is the flag of a country.

Will this be the flag for France, Italy or Ireland? You MUST explain your answer!



1 metre = 3.28 feet



Colour Key: Blue = 9
Green = 5 White = 8
Red = 6 Orange = 7