

Would you rather...?

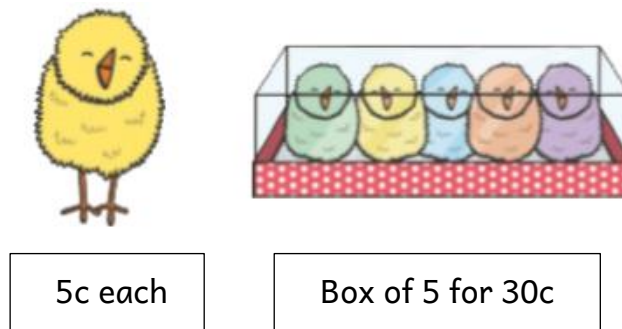
Mr. and Mrs. Bonello are organising an Easter Theme Party for their family and friends.

Help them decide whether they would rather buy party supplies individually or by the box/packet.

There are **10 children** invited for the Easter themed party.

Wayne is in charge of preparing the party bags.

Would he rather buy craft chicks individually for 5c each or a packet of 5 craft chicks for 30c?



For 10 children, Wayne needs to buy either 10 individual craft chicks or else two boxes of 5 chicks for 30c each box.

1 craft chick individually costs 5c

1 craft chick in the box costs = $30 \div 5 = 6c$

So it is better if Wayne buys craft chicks individually.

In each party bag, Wayne wants to put a hot cross bun.

Each hot cross bun costs 4c.

A packet of 6 costs 30c.

Would he rather buy hot cross buns individually or by the packet?



4c each



Packet of 6
for 30c

For 10 children, Wayne needs to buy either 10 hot cross buns individually or else two packets of 6 hot cross buns for 30c each packet.

1 hot cross bun individually costs 4c

1 hot cross bun in the packet costs = $30 \div 6 = 5c$

So it is better if Wayne buys 10 hot cross buns individually.

Mrs. Bonello wants to buy muffins for the party.

Would she rather buy individual muffins or a box of muffins?



20c each



Box of 4 for €1

For 10 children, Mrs. Bonello needs to buy either 10 individual muffins or else three boxes of 4 muffins for €1 each box.

1 individual muffin costs 20c

1 muffin in a box = $100c \div 4 = 25c$

So it is better if Mrs. Bonello buys 10 individual muffins.

Yasmine wants to give a mask to each child coming to the party.
Would she rather buy individual masks or masks by the packet?
Explain your reasoning.



10c each



Packet of 4
for 32c

For 10 children, Yasmine needs to buy either 10 individual masks or else three packets of 4 masks for 32c each packet.

1 individual mask costs 10c

1 mask in a packet costs = $32c \div 4 = 8c$

So it is better if Yasmine buys 3 packets of masks (to have enough for everyone) because it would be cheaper the cost of each mask.

Explain your reasoning for each question.

Remember we should be responsible consumers when going shopping!