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McDonald's is cutting plastic toys from its Happy Meals from 2021

McDonald's is cutting its plastic toys from its Happy Meals in a bid to make them more environmentally friendly and replacing them with a soft toy, a book, or a paper-based treat.

It is hoped the shift will save the restaurant's UK business more than 3000 metric tonnes of plastic - the biggest single reduction to date.

How many GRAMS of plastic is this? Give your answer in WORDS.

Shop fights stockpiling by charging A LOT for a second bottle of hand sanitiser

The UK government has announced that there is no shortage of food in the UK, and advised against panic buying amid the coronavirus pandemic, but some people have been left without the household essentials they needed most.

Now, a store in Denmark has come up with a crafty idea to prevent people from stockpiling hand sanitiser.

They are selling one bottle of hand sanitiser for kr40 or, if you want buy an additional bottle, you can buy two for kr1000!

How much are the shop charging for the

second bottle of hand sanitiser? Give your answer in pounds and pence.

Exchange Rate: £1 = kr 8·11





As people are trying to find a way to keep themselves entertained during the coronavirus quarantine, one man has cured his boredom by running along his balcony - until he completed a marathon!



Elisha Nochomovitz spend a grand total of 6 hours and

48 minutes running 42.16 kilometres around the balcony of his apartment in Toulouse, France.

What was the average speed of his run in kilometres per hour?

Dad takes matters into own hands with quarantine maths lesson

An American parent had a go at working out just how much toilet roll you would actually need to use during a 14 day quarantine.

Inspired by this story we want you to use your **Estimating and Rounding** skills to answer the

following question -DO NOT unravel a precious roll of toilet roll to check your answer!

 (a) Estimate how many sheets there are in a standard roll of Andrex toilet paper.



The American parent claimed that the average visit to the toilet used 20 sheets of paper.

(b) Using this average, how many visits to the toilet would the multi-pack in the picture last for?



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