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# My Carry-Along Easter Activity Book

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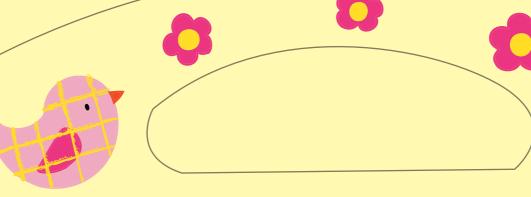
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Easter is about new life, like when chicks hatch from eggs.

The three eggs in the top row look very like their "pair" in the

bottom row.

Can you spot the differences? There are 10 in all.



#### 2 Make an Easter basket

Use a leftover plastic drinks bottle to make this cute basket.



1 Ask a grown-up to help you cut your bottle. Cut the bottom section about 8cm deep. Punch holes around the top edge, leaving about 1cm between each.



2 Take about 1m of ribbon and thread it through one hole, leaving a tail about 20cm long. Wind the long end over the rim and through the next hole.



3 Continue all the way around and tie a bow.



4 Cut or punch paper shapes and glue these to the outside of your basket.



5 Take a shorter length of ribbon and make a handle. Make a knot near one end, take the long end through a hole from the inside out, then back through a hole on the other side from the outside in. Tie a knot.



You will need:

- plastic drinks bottle (1 or 2 litre)
- paper scraps or stickers
- hole punch
- shape punch
- glue
- 1.5m ribbon,
- 1.5-2cm wide

