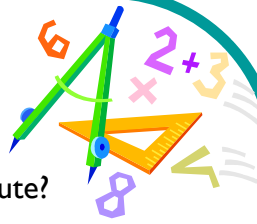


# Maths Corner



How many piers are there on the Thames Clippers route?

Thames Clippers carry 7,000 passengers per day. How many people does it carry in a week?

Thames Clippers has 7 large boats and need 4 crew per boat. How many crew are needed when all 7 boats are running?

Look at the journey times below.



How long will it take you to get from:

A) The QEII Pier to London Bridge?

B) The QEII Pier to Waterloo?



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For more information visit [www.thamesclippers.com](http://www.thamesclippers.com)

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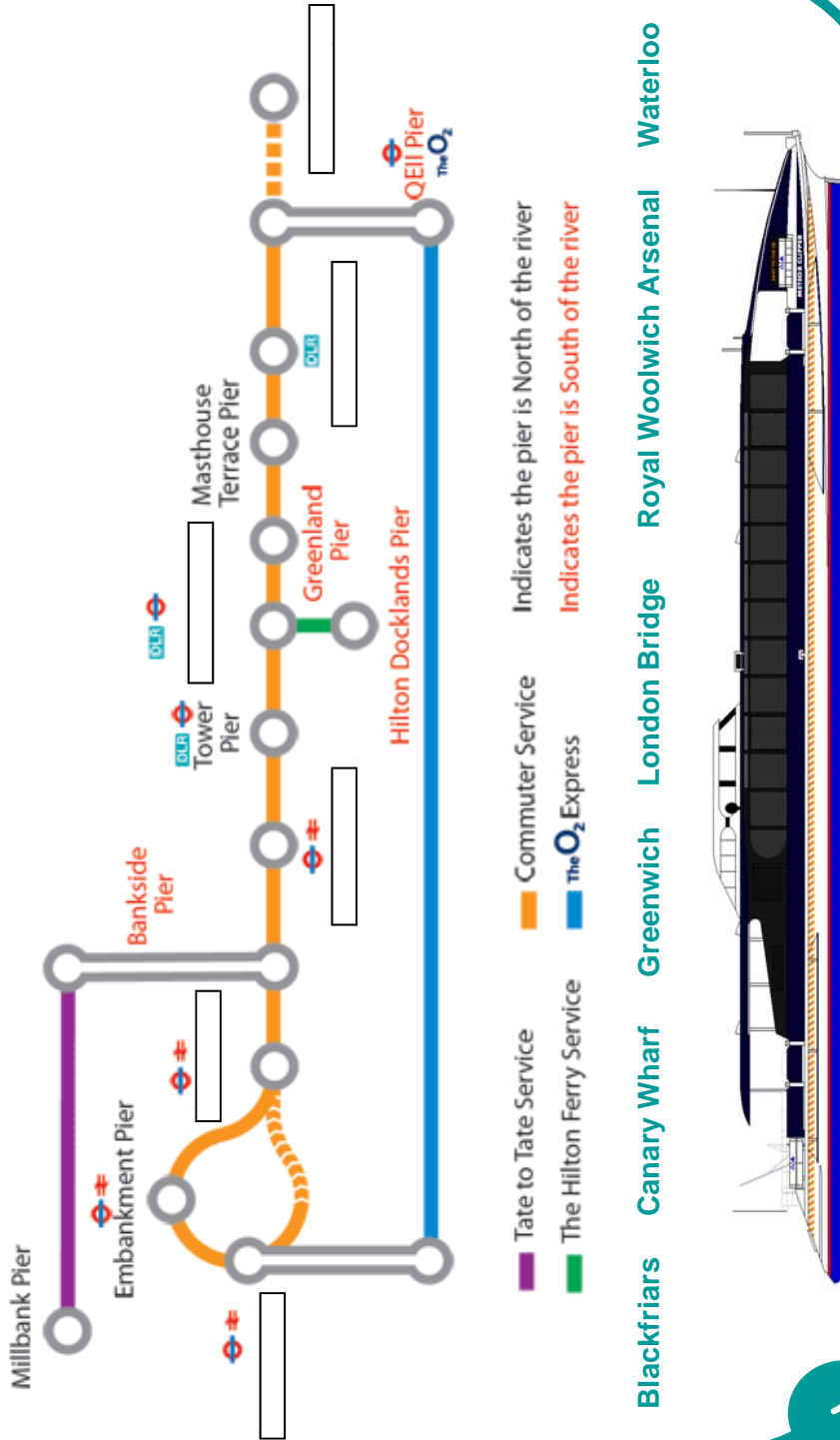
# Activity Booklet



Name



# Fill in the names of the missing piers



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# Clipper facts

Which do you think are **TRUE** or **FALSE**

- 1) When you travel on Thames Clippers you will get wet **TRUE FALSE**
- 2) Thames Clippers have high speed Catamarans which can travel up to 28 knots **TRUE FALSE**
- 3) A Catamaran is a vessel with one hull **TRUE FALSE**
- 4) The smallest Thames Clippers vessels can only carry 10 passengers **TRUE FALSE**
- 5) Some of the Thames Clippers were built in Australia **TRUE FALSE**
- 6) The longest Thames Clippers vessels are 48 metres long **TRUE FALSE**

# Find the names of the Clippers

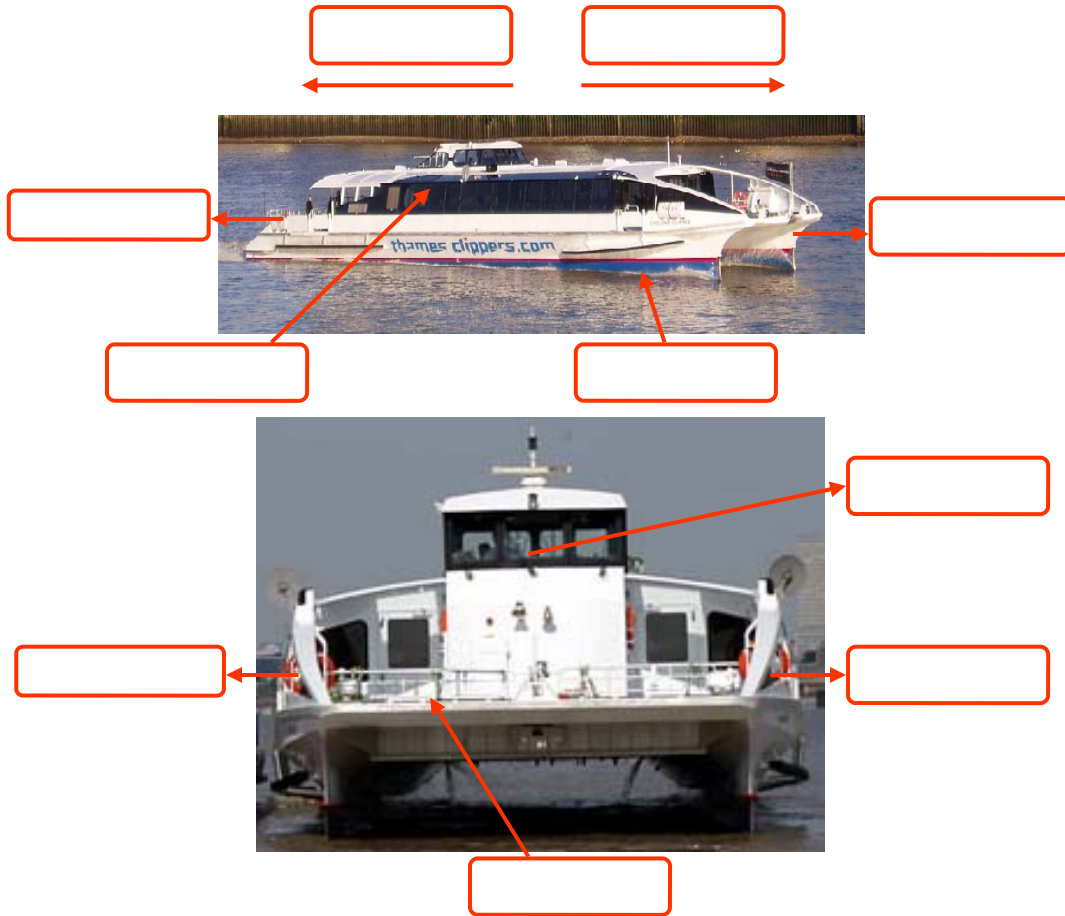
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C	R	M	O	N	S	O	Star
A	S	K	O	R	M	K	Storm
N	Z	G	N	P	N	O	Sun
E	S	T	A	R	C	A	Tornado
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The names of all the Thames Clippers are linked.  
If you could name a clipper what would it be?

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# Boat terminology

Using the glossary, label the different parts of the Thames Clippers

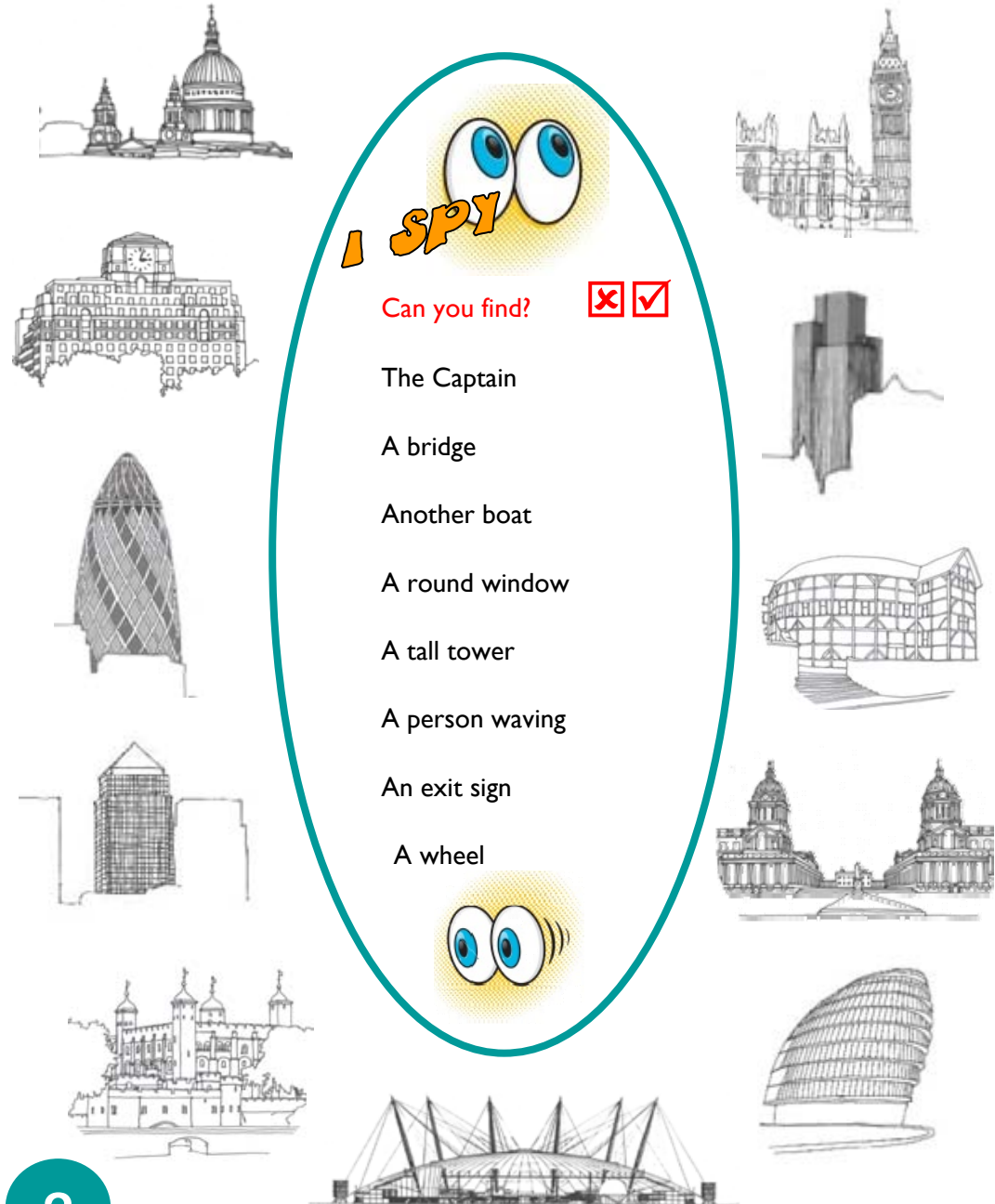


## Glossary

<b>Aft</b>	direction towards the stern
<b>Bow</b>	front of the boat
<b>Cabin</b>	where you and your fellow passengers can sit
<b>Deck</b>	the outside floor of the boat
<b>Forward</b>	direction towards the bow
<b>Hull</b>	the part of the boat in the water
<b>Port</b>	left side of the boat
<b>Starboard</b>	right side of the boat
<b>Stern</b>	back of the boat
<b>Wheelhouse</b>	where the Captain pilots the boat

# Spot these Buildings?

Look for these building as you travel along the Thames...



**I SPY**

Can you find?

- The Captain
- A bridge
- Another boat
- A round window
- A tall tower
- A person waving
- An exit sign
- A wheel

# Working on Thames Clippers

Thames Clippers crew onboard include:

## Captain/Master

- Has overall control and pilots the boat along the river.
- Is responsible for all the passengers & provides the highest levels of customer service on board.
- Has to be skilled and have relevant river qualifications and knowledge of the Thames.



## Captain's Mate

- Assists the Captain in all duties and is 2<sup>nd</sup> in charge of the boat
- Has to be skilled and have relevant river qualifications and knowledge of the Thames.



## Customer Sales Associate (CSA)

- Works either on the boats, ticket kiosks or on the piers
- Duties will include providing excellent customer service, selling tickets to passengers onboard and making announcements to passengers on the intercom.

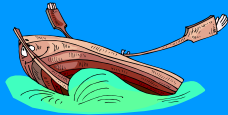
## Deck Hands

- In charge of securing the boat to the pier when it moors up to allow passengers on and off the boat.
- They also secure the ramps to allow passengers on and off the boat taking responsibility for the care and safety of passengers.
- As they work very near to the water they have to wear lifejackets at all times.



## Did you know?

Since the 16th Century people who have ferried passengers on the Thames have been proud to be known as "Thames Watermen".



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# Behind the scenes at Thames Clippers

Match the Thames Clippers head office jobs to the definitions.

**Managing Director**

Looks after the welfare of all the staff and recruits people to work for the company

**Human Resources Officer**

Produces advertising materials i.e. posters/leaflets to inform people about Thames Clippers

**Marketing Manager**

Fixes and maintains the boats

**Financial Controller**

Ensuring that they are enough crew members on each boat and that the boats run on time.

**Operations Manager**

Deals with all money matters of the business

**Engineer**

Responsible for running the whole company and makes all the important decisions

## Did you know?

To work on the river you have to be physically fit, not suffer from colour blindness and have an interest in river life. An apprenticeship scheme for young people is available.

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