

The Incredible Mr Chicken

All of the children love Mr. Chicken. He wakes them up in the morning for school!

Mr. Chicken wakes up at 4:30 a.m. in the morning. He decides that it is time to wake up the entire town. He oooke-ooke-ooos 3 times every minute until 8:00 a.m.! How many oooke-ooke-ooos does Mr. Chicken crow?

The children still aren't up. It's time for cold water! One bunch of 6 kids wake up after having a single cup of cold water dumped on them. Another 10 kids wake up after 2 cups of water, and 8 kids require 3. Also, there is one who is a real "hard case". This kid requires 187 cups of cold water before he wakes up! (Mr. Chicken uses a hose for this one.) How many cups of icy cold water did Mr. Chicken use to wake all of the children up?

The kids are up! The parents decide to reward Mr. Chicken with \$126 for his help. Mr. Chicken decides to spend it on coffee. Each cup of coffee costs 4 dollars. How many cups of coffee can Mr. Chicken buy? Will there be any money left over?

Spank-a-doodle-doo! Mr. Chicken drank too much coffee and is going nuts! He runs around town spanking people! He even spanked the police when they arrested him. The judge sentences Mr. Chicken to 142 days in jail for his outrageous behavior! But... he then decides to reduce his sentence by 126 days as a reward for being so good at waking kids up. How many days will Mr. Chicken stay in jail?

