

Just as the team was about to blast off to Crocus Hill, Leo realized that something was terribly wrong.

“My baton is missing!” shouted Leo.

“Oh, dear!” exclaimed Annie. “You’ll need it to conduct the crocus. Where could it be? We need to go back to the clubhouse and find it!”

Quincy was puzzled. “There has to be a clue around here somewhere.”

Look around the clubhouse. Do you see a special message that might help the team?



Great job! You found the special message. Look closely: can you name all the items you see pictured?

“What do all these pictures mean?” asked Annie.
“Hmm, maybe it’s a code we need to crack,” replied Quincy.
June had an idea. “Let’s write down the first letter for each pictured word to see if it spells out a sentence.”
“Good idea, June!” said Leo.



“Let’s see,” said Leo. “If we write in an *F* for frog, an *I* for ice cream, an *N* for nest, and a *D* for dog, we have the word *FIND!*”

“Awesome job, Leo!” praised June. “Let’s look at the next word: a *Y* for yo-yo, an *O* for owl, a *U* for umbrella, and an *R* for rabbit—*YOUR!*”
Can you figure out the last word to solve the secret message?
Look at each picture and think about what letter begins each word.

