

THE EIFFEL TOWER

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Erected in 1889 and named after its engineer, Alexandre Gustave Eiffel, the Eiffel Tower is the most visited monument in the world. The tower welcomed its 250 millionth visitor in 2010.



The greatest number of visitors (taking on the 300 steps to the first level and another 300 to the second level, before taking a lift to the top of the tallest structure in Paris) are from France. This accounts for around 10% and is closely followed by holidaymakers from Spain, Italy, the USA and Britain.

When it opened, famous visitors included the Prince of Wales, Thomas Edison – known for inventing the world's first practical electric lightbulb, and Buffalo Bill.

What is the leaflet mainly about? Tick the correct one.

It was named after its engineer

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Visitors to the Eiffel Tower

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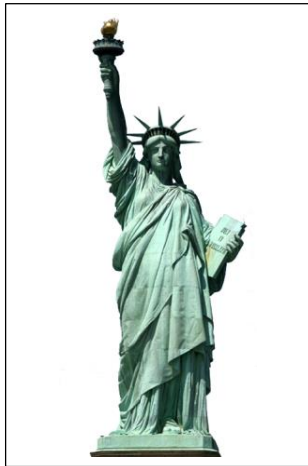
The tallest structure in Paris

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Write **two** sentences from the leaflet that helped you to make your choice:

THE STATUE OF LIBERTY

Here is an information leaflet about the Statue of Liberty. What is it mainly about?



The Statue of Liberty

Built on Liberty Island in New York Harbour by Gustave Eiffel in 1886, the Statue of Liberty was a gift from the people of France to the USA. Some of the money for it was raised in France.

The sculpture is of a female figure representing Libertas, the Roman goddess of freedom. She wears a long robe and holds a torch as if lighting the way and a tablet of stone symbolising the law. At her feet are broken chains, also suggesting freedom.

Often referred to as *Liberty Enlightening the World*, the statue must have been a welcoming sight to migrants fleeing to the safety of the USA from European tyrants.

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The statue is in New York harbour

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It was constructed in France

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It represents freedom

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IDEAS ABOUT MUSIC

Read this information about making music. Then, alongside each statement, write down whether it is the **main idea** or a **detail** that supports the main idea.

There are a few ways you can change the pitch of a guitar string. You can tighten it or make it shorter. You can also use a thinner string.

you can change the pitch of a guitar string

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you can use a thinner string

You pluck a guitar string to make it vibrate. When playing a xylophone, you strike the bars. To produce a sound, you have to create a vibration.

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Stringed instruments can be plucked harder. Percussion instruments can be struck harder. This is how we change the volume of a note.

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You can make your own instruments. It is important to gather together the right materials. Tins, rubber bands, balloons and seeds are useful.

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