

At the Kopitiam

GRADE 3

SKILL TRAINED: VISUAL DISCRIMINATION · VISUAL SCANNING

THE STRATEGY: SEARCH IN QUADRANTS

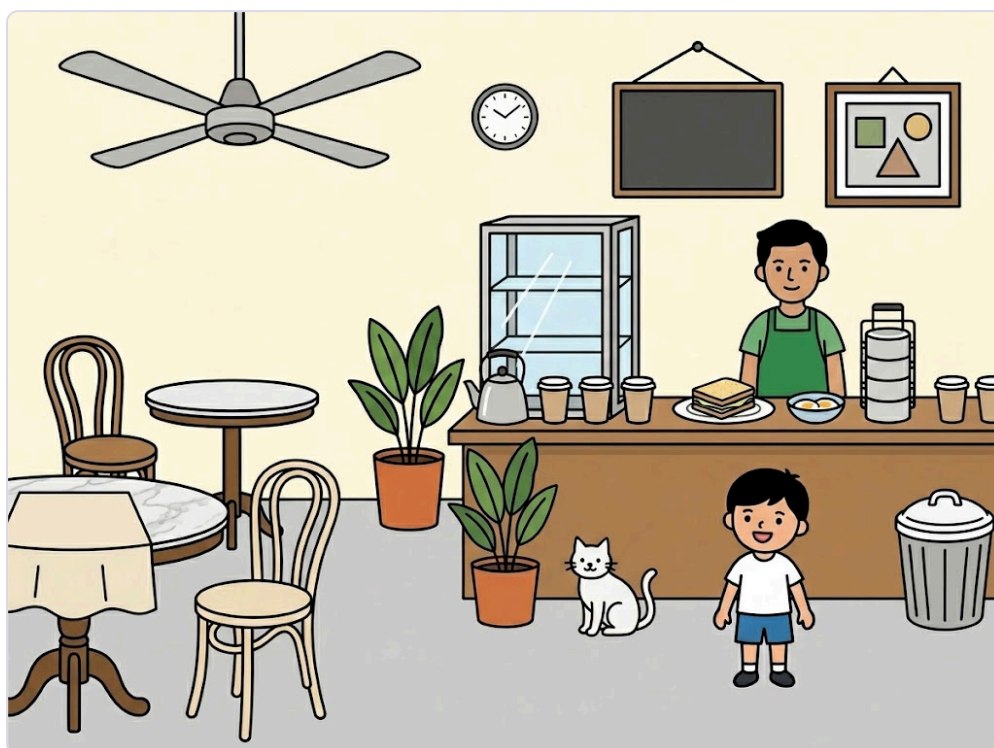
Do not let your eyes jump about. Split each picture into four squares in your mind and finish one square completely before moving to the next. Watch for four kinds of change: something has moved, something has changed size, something has changed colour or pattern, and something has appeared. A careful order finds more than a fast look.

There are **12 differences** between Picture A and Picture B. Find them all, and tick a box each time you find one.

PICTURE A



PICTURE B



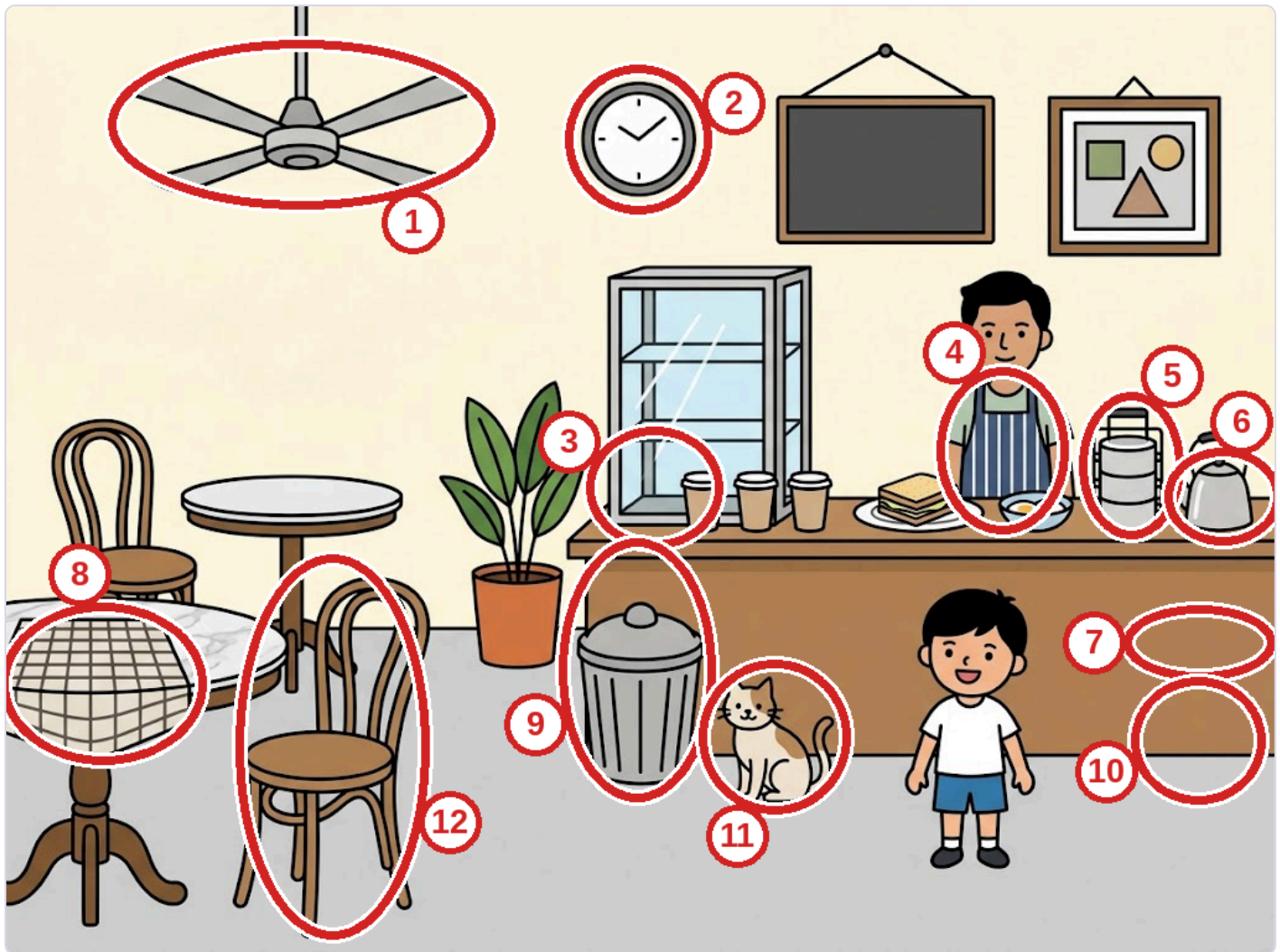
DIFFERENCES FOUND

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At the Kopitiam — Answers

All 12 differences, marked on Picture A

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- 1 **The fan.** The ceiling fan is bigger.
- 2 **The clock.** The clock is smaller.
- 3 **The kettle.** The kettle has moved to this end of the counter.
- 4 **The apron.** The apron has changed from striped to plain.
- 5 **The tiffin.** The tiffin carrier has an extra tier, so it is taller.
- 6 **The cups.** Two extra cups have appeared at this end of the counter.
- 7 **The lid.** The bin's lid has changed from grey to white, with a new handle.
- 8 **The tablecloth.** The tablecloth has changed from checked to plain.
- 9 **The plant.** An extra plant has appeared here, where the bin used to be.
- 10 **The bin.** The bin has moved across the room to here.
- 11 **The cat.** The cat has changed from ginger and white to all white.
- 12 **The chair.** One chair has changed from brown to cream.

BRING IT BACK TO REAL LIFE

Where else do you need to notice a small change that is easy to miss? Proofreading your own writing, checking each step of a maths problem for a copied-down mistake, or noticing that something in a room has been moved rather than taken away. Talk about one together, and write it below.
