

How Much Did it Cost?

Dan bought a packet of crisps and an ice cream.

The cost of both of them together is in one of the boxes below.

£1.85	75p	£1.74	£2.25	£1	£1.56
£2.10	80p	£1.80	£3.06	£1.44	£1.50
£1.60	£1.25	£1.20	90p	£1.45	£1.27

Use these clues to find out how much he paid:

1. You need more than three coins to make this amount.
2. There would be change when using the most valuable coin to buy them.
3. The crisps cost more than 50p.
4. You could pay without using any copper coins.
5. The ice cream costs exactly twice as much as the crisps.

Show Not Tell

This is a great tool to use not only for suspense but for characterisation. We don't just want to **TELL** the reader how the character is feeling. We want to **SHOW** them by what is happening to their body, how they are talking, how they are moving or how they treat people.

For example:

Telling

Joe was scared.

Showing

Joe froze.

The hair on the back of his neck stood up.

Joe's heart raced

★ Now it's your turn! I want you to change the telling emotions to showing. You could act out the emotions yourself or think of a time when you felt like that. What was happening to your body? Voice? Breathing?

★ Try and write 2 or 3 idea down under showing – you might be able to use this in your writing later on.

Zara was sad.

Jonah felt shy.

Tom was angry.

He was frightened.

Remi was nervous.