1. A new Guinness Record was made last week when 488 Aussie kids created the world’s LARGEST cricket lesson. It went for 30 minutes, but 23 of the players were disqualified for taking a toilet break, etc. at the wrong time. What fraction of the players DIDN’T take a break during the lesson?

2. In pop album sales last week, 3 of the top 10 best-sellers were by Australian artists. What is that as a percentage?

3. At the ARIA Awards recently, THE WIGGLES won the Best Children’s Album Award for their album, “WIGGLE TOWN”. What fraction of The Wiggles are males? (A reminder – there are now 3 blokes and one gal!)

4. The TV show “THE BLOCK” had 1,792,000 viewers on its Grand Final night, and 2,135,000 viewers on the night when the winner was announced. If a quarter of the extra viewers watching the “Winner” night were children, how many extra ADULTS were watching the announcement of the winning team?

5. The oldest woman in the world turned 117 last week. If she had a birthday cake with one candle for each year of her life, but she could only blow out $\frac{2}{3}$ of those candles, how many were still alight?

6. At one aquarium in the city, fish similar to those found in the movie “FINDING DORY” have been used to make a great exhibit. It includes schools of blue tang fish (Dory) and clownfish (Nemo). In those names – “bluetang” and “clownfish” -- what fraction of the letters are consonants?

7. The number of bees around the world is falling. Experts have found that by planting paths of flowers 4 km long, the bees can be led to really good places in which they could thrive. If 20,000 bees set off on that path, and only 70% of them reach the hoped-for destination, how many DIDN’T make it?

8. **Open-ended Question:** The skeleton of a Dodo sold recently at an auction for half a million dollars. If only HALF that skeleton was to be sold, how much do you expect it would be sold for? (Think about it BEFORE you estimate a price!)
1. \( \frac{465}{488} \)
2. 30%
3. \( \frac{3}{4} \)
4. 257,250 extra adults
5. 39 candles were still alight
6. \( \frac{12}{17} \)
7. 6,000 bees didn’t make it
8. Various answers. (Discuss the value of half a skeleton!)