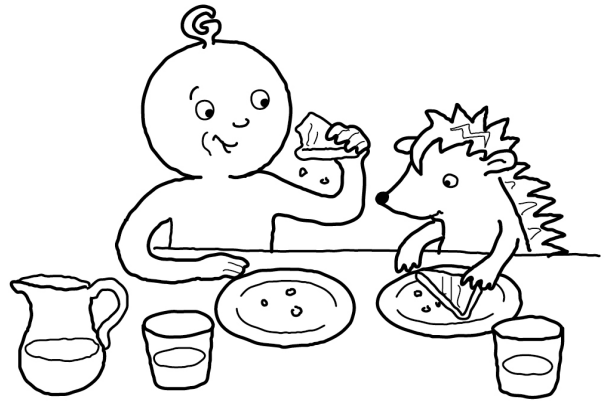


More semi-colons

You can use semi-colons to separate complex lists, like this:

At the café we had toast with marmalade; bacon and eggs and mushrooms; freshly squeezed orange juice.



Put semi-colons into these sentences:

For the trip, Emma has brought her rucksack full of games to play two sets of pyjamas her mum's photograph six different kinds of biscuit a teddy bear with only one eye.

In the dressing-up box were hats of all kinds and shapes jackets with buttons and zips so many shoes you wouldn't believe masks of every animal you can think of enough tops and trousers for the whole class.

Write sentences with semi-colon lists beginning:

At the seaside _____

At the safari park _____

In the morning _____

With your partner, create a paragraph for an adventure story which uses a sentence structured like this, about building a shelter on a treasure island.

Practise making up complex lists verbally, before pupils write out their own sentences using semi-colon lists.
