



# Working in the strawberry packing house

Agriculture may not be an obvious topic to include on a website dedicated to engineering education, but it is thanks to farming that the Rochester Bridge Trust's work is able to happen.

More than 600 years ago, the people who established the Trust knew the importance of having money to pay for all the bridge works, and so they set up an estate. Much of the [estate](#) is made up of farm land, including Langdon Manor Farm in Faversham, which was one of the first properties to be donated to the Trust all those centuries ago.





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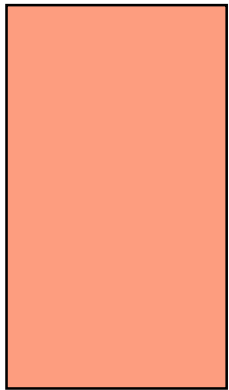
- In the packing house at fruit farms like Langdon Manor, strawberries must be packed up into punnets in order to go out to the supermarket
- They must be a consistent colour
- The strawberries should all be a consistent size
- It will be your job to assemble a punnet of strawberries that are the correct colour and consistent size, to go out to the supermarket



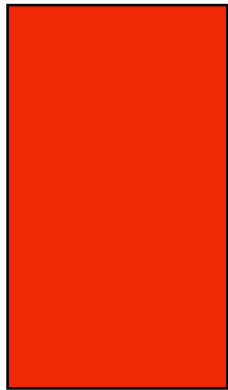


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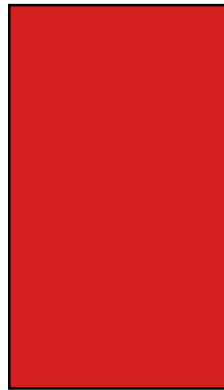
# Strawberry colour chart



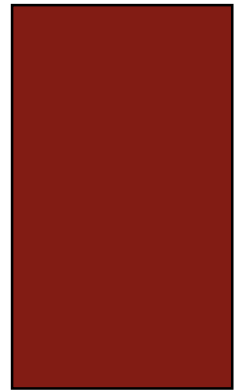
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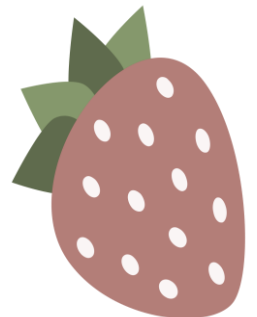
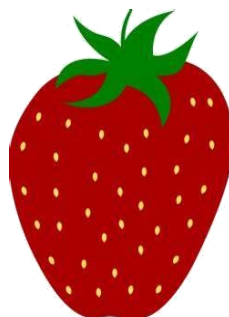
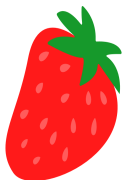
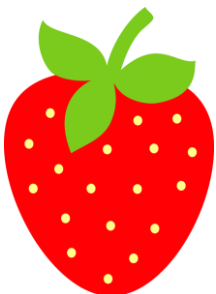


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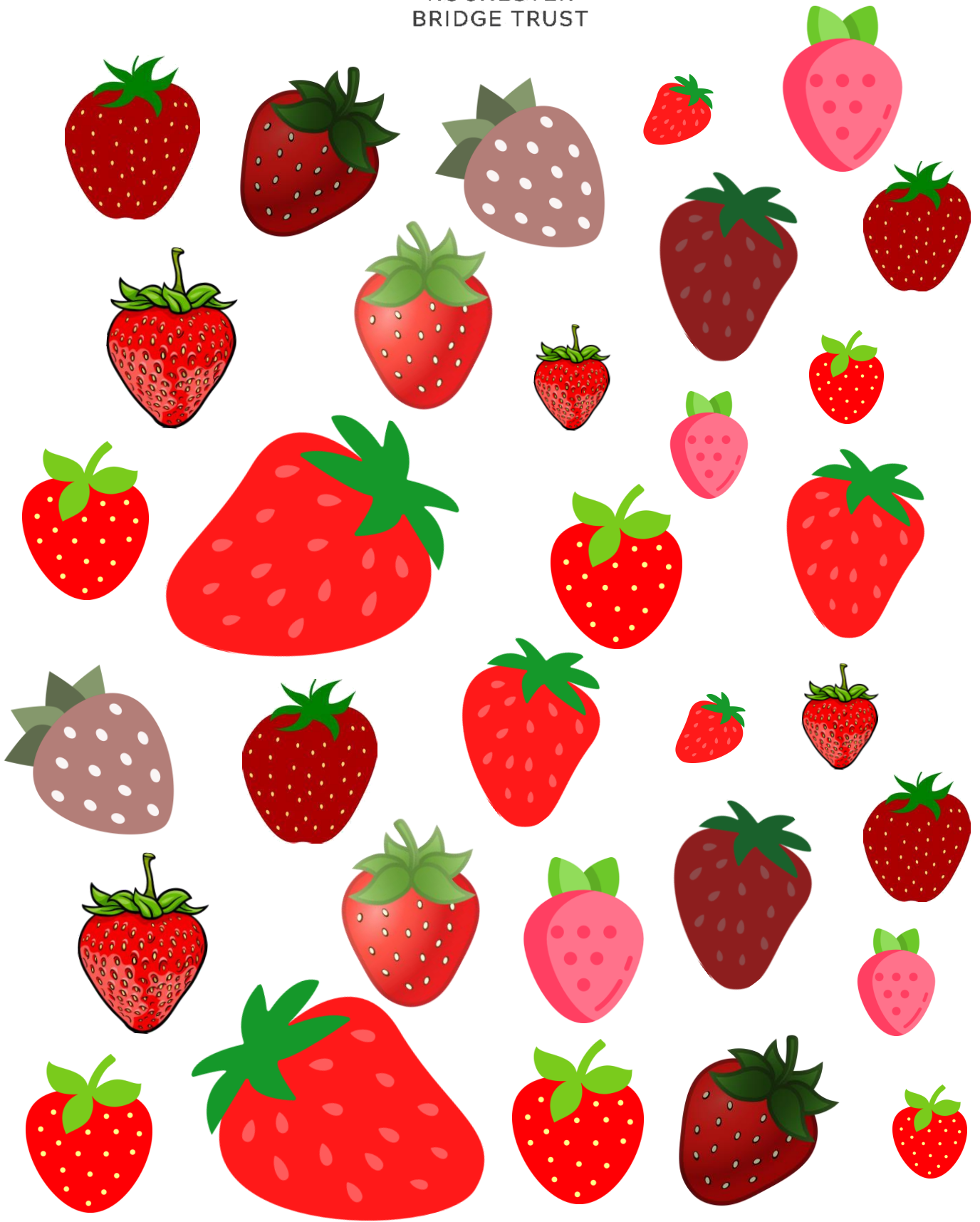
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Cut out the individual strawberries from the sheet. Sort your strawberries into those that are the right colour, using the colour chart above. Then select those of similar size to stick onto your punnet to go to the supermarket.





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# Your strawberry punnet

