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## How Much Money?

3. Find three things that will cost him exactly $£ 5$ altogether.
4. Rehan would like to buy a cheese sandwich, some soup, a cake and a milkshake. This costs more than his $£ 5$. How much more money will he need?

## How Much Money? - Answers

1. Anna has $£ 1.50$. What could she buy from the café?

Children can choose individual items which are less than £1.50, or choose to combine items. Check for accurate calculation.
2. Choose two things that she can buy for her lunch with $£ 1.50$. Will she get any change? How much will it be?
An example would be pasta salad and a biscuit.
$70 p+50 p=£ 1.20$
The change would be 30p.
3. Find two things that will cost her exactly $£ 1.50$ altogether.

Examples include a cake and a biscuit or a cheese sandwich and salad.

## How Much Money? - Answers

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An example is a cheese sandwich, salad and a biscuit.
$\mathbf{£ 1 . 2 0} \mathbf{+ 5 0 p} \mathbf{+ 3 0 p}=\mathbf{£ 2}$
2. Will he get any change? How much?

In the above example, he would get 50p change.
3. Find three things that will cost him exactly $£ 2.50$ altogether. An example is a cheese sandwich, salad and soup.

## How Much Money? - Answers

1. Rehan has $£ 5$. Find three things he could buy from the café for his lunch. An example is a cheese sandwich, soup and tea.
$£ 2.25+\mathbf{8 0 p}+\mathbf{6 5 p}=£ 3.70$
2. Will he get any change? How much?

In the above example, he would get $£ 1.30$ change.
3. Find three things that will cost him exactly $£ 5$ altogether.

A cheese sandwich, pasta and a cake.
4. Rehan would like to buy a cheese sandwich, some soup, a cake and a milkshake. This costs more than his $£ 5$. How much more money will he need?

## He will need another 25p.

