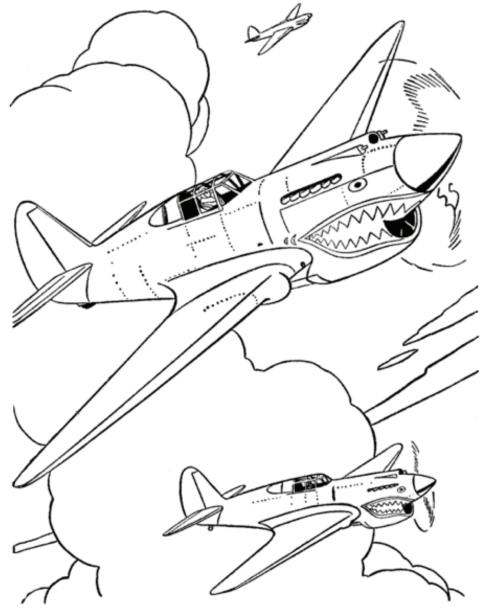
# SPITFIRE activity worksheet



# ABOUT THE EXHIBITION



- 1. 2016 marks the 200th anniversary of the close relations between the Kingdom of Bahrain and the United Kingdom.
- 2. This exhibition celebrates the major role aviation played in this strong partnership.
- 3. The Spitfire is an iconic aircraft and is one of the most celebrated fighters in history.

# SPITFIRE TIMELINE



#### October 1932

First scheduled commercial flight arrived in Bahrain en-route from London to Delhi. Through these frequent flight services Bahrain was established as the gulfs first international airport.



#### Year 1940

The Gulf Fighters Funds donated the sum of 50,000 GBP a total of 10 spitfire aircrafts to the Royal Air Force to support the efforts of World War II.



#### December 1961

A new passenger terminal was built in Muharraq to assist the growing transit traffic in the region.



#### Year 1976

British airways concorde, the worlds first supersonic commercial flight, made history when it first flew from London Heathrow to Bahrain International Airport in 3 hours and 17 minutes, a milestone in aviation history.

#### August 1927

First Imperial Airways Flight to Bahrain from Baghdad (an overnight stay in Basrah) chartered by a local pearl merchant.



#### Year 1937

Bahrein Marine Airport was established to accommodate the rise of commercial flying boats.



#### Year 1950

The Gulf Aviation company was established, the Anson, designed and built by Avro in England, was used to launch the company



#### December 1971

Further expansion plans were made to retain its position as the regions leading airport and transit hub.



# LOCATE THE AIRPORTS IN BAHRAIN

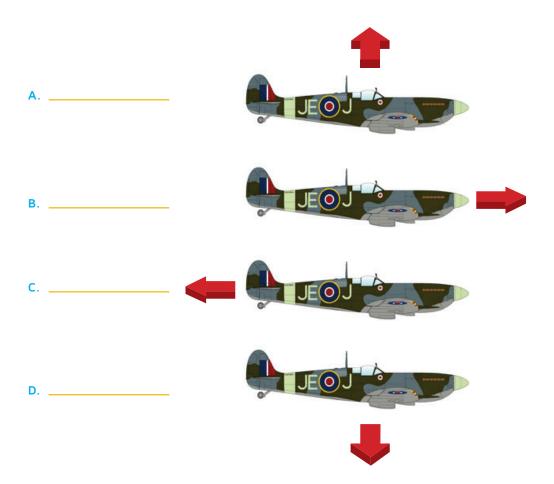
AIRPORT	LOCATION				
Bahrain International Airport	Muharraq				
Shaikh Isa Air Base	Qurayn Al Dhirban				
Sakhir Air Base	Səkhir				



# HOW DOES AN AIRCRAFT FLY?

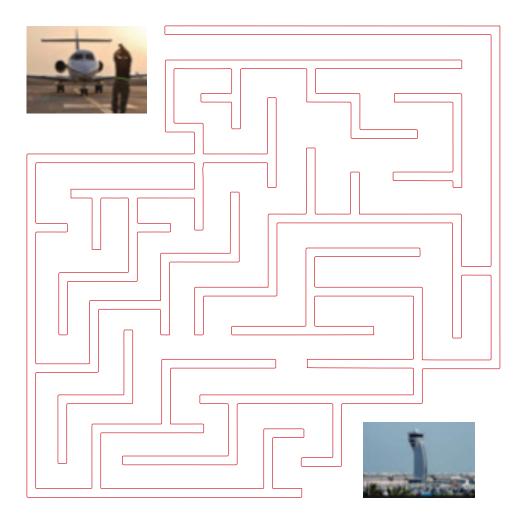
Identify the forces used to control an aircraft to the direction it takes it direction DRAG THRUST

LIFT WEIGHT





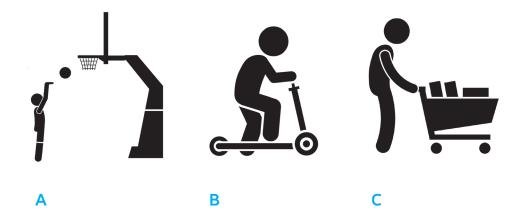
# Try to get the Airplane to Bahrain International Airport:



Newton's 3rd Law of Motion states that "For every action there is an equal and opposite reaction", and is used to fly a plane



Below are illustrations of different types of motions used in everyday life, which of these illustrations fit the law stated above

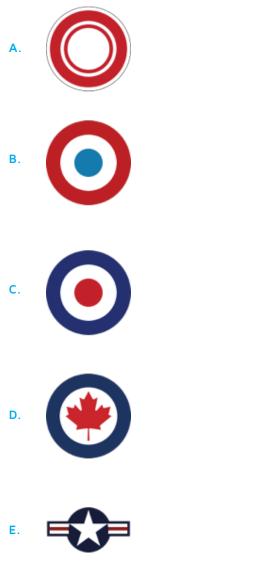




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## Match the insignia of national air forces to its country.



#### FRANCE

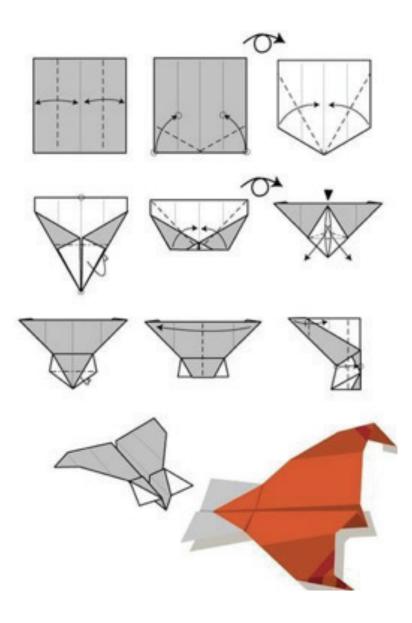
#### CANADA

#### **UNITED STATES**

#### UNITED KINGDOM

#### BAHRAIN

# MAKE YOUR OWN AIRPLANE

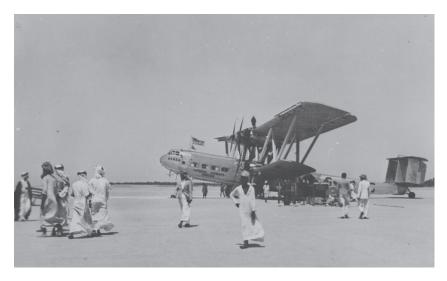


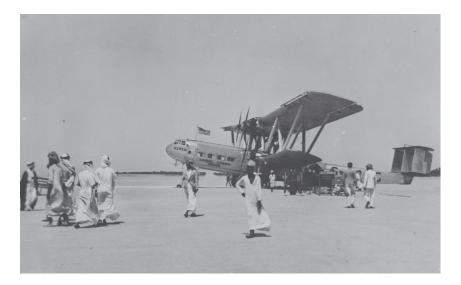
Draw an item of your choice from the Spitfire collection. Be creative!

## Why did you choose this item?

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# SPOT THE DIFFERENCE at least 5! look carefully





	MY REFLECTIONS	E-MAIL AGE
	1. What did you enjoy most ab	out the Exhibition?
	2. What did you learn during yo	
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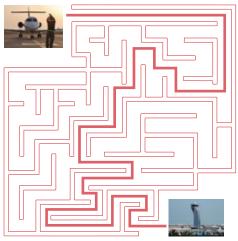
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# **ANSWERS!**

## Page 3:

- A. Sakhir airbase
- B. Bahrain International
- Airport
- C. Shaikh Isa airbase

## Page 5:



## Page 4:

- A. Lift
- B. Thrust
- C. Drag
- D. Weight

## Page 6:

**C**.

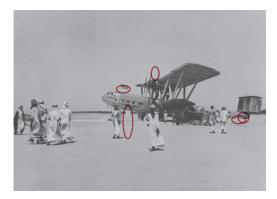
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- A. Bahrain
- B. France
- C. United Kingdom
- D. Canada
- E. United States

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