

# Postcard from Rupert

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24 went through. The vibrant yellow and  
31 purple flowers stood out in the window  
41 and I knew I had to send it to you.  
49 Life here has not been exciting at all.  
57 Each day is an early start with tiring  
62 training. Then, breakfast and endless  
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83 I am missing you dearly.

85 With love,

86 Rupert



## Questions



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Tick one.

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☐ dull and dark colours  
☐ light pastel colours



2. What does Rupert do early in the morning?

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3. Why do you think Rupert finds every day boring?

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**Rupert does training early in the morning.**



3. Why do you think Rupert finds every day boring?

**Pupils' own responses, such as: I think Rupert finds each day boring because he isn't doing anything new.**



4. What do you think Annie would write on a postcard to Rupert?

**Pupils' own responses, such as: I think Annie would tell Rupert that she misses him too and tell him about the things she has done that day.**