

NUMBER 13



DRAG AND DROP

ACCIDENTS	AIRLINES	AVOIDED	BRITS	CONSIDER
DISAGREEMENT	GOVERNMENT	LADDER	LEFT OUT	MEMBERS
OCCUPIED	OPERATED	PARTICULARLY	PERCENTAGE	PREPARE
PRESIDENT	PROVE	SUPERSTITIOUS	UNLESS	VOYAGE

_____ the number 13 seems to be unlucky for some people. In Britain the _____ of such people is quite high – as many as 41% of _____ believe that number 13 is connected with bad luck. Therefore, this so called unlucky number is _____ in many places. That leads to the cases that in some hotels and _____ the thirteenth floor or seat is _____. In hospitals, many people refuse to be _____ on Friday the thirteenth. In the past many _____ sailors refused to sail on that day. The British _____ then decided to _____ that they were wrong. They started building a ship, called Friday on the Friday 13th. However on its first _____, the ship and its crew disappeared and were never seen again. Another two examples are Robert Renphrey who had four _____ on Friday 13th and prefers staying in bed on such a day and the American _____ Franklin Roosevelt who never travelled on Friday 13th, _____ he had no choice. In Savoy hotel in London the waiters _____ an extra place at the table when there are only thirteen people in one group. That place is then _____ by Kaspar, a wooden cat. In Philadelphia, however, the _____ of the Friday 13th Club refuse to _____ number 13 to be unlucky. They do a lot of things to show their _____. For example they break mirrors, walk under the _____, open umbrellas indoors etc.

READ THE TEXT AGAIN AND FIND ENGLISH WORDS FOR THESE DEFINITIONS AND TRANSLATE THEM INTO YOUR LANGUAGE.

Your language	English	Definitions
		the right or chance to choose
		a situation in which people have a different opinion about sth and often also argue
		a piece of equipment that is used for climbing up sth.
		to fill a space or period of time
		to leave sth out
		a part or share of a whole
		to say or show that you do not want to do, give, or accept sth
		having a belief that cannot be explained by reason or science
		made of wood