

Secret Explorer Quest Notes



Gilly's Giant Mess

At a tea party last week, old friends Gilly the Giant and the Easter Bunny finally got the chance to catch up. Bunny found herself telling Gilly about how busy she'd been lately with Easter preparations. Trying to be helpful, Gilly decided to make his own chocolate eggs and deliver them at night. But, there was one BIG problem - he made giant eggs! A little overexcited and clumsy, Gilly set out to make his deliveries but started dropping eggs everywhere. Poor Bunny awoke to reports from all over the world of sweet and sticky piles of melted chocolate appearing mysteriously. Oops! Luckily, with each egg, Gilly also dropped a clue to the location of his hidden chocolate factory...

Ready to start your quest?

We need some sweet-toothed eggs-ploers to track down the spots where Gilly dropped the giant eggs, then solve the clues and eliminate all but one of the map locations on Gilly's Secret Map.

You'll need to explore various locations via Google Maps and Streetview in order to spot the information you need. Every sneaky clue you answer will match one of the place names on the map below. Once matched, you should cross that place off. Gilly's chocolate factory isn't there. Solve all the clues and you'll be left with just one spot on the map. This must be where Gilly is making his giant eggs. Hurry! Bunny needs to put a stop to this big old mess!

Gilly's Secret Map



Adventure Details

This quest requires you to travel (virtually) to multiple locations around the world. New reports are still coming in of eggs being found, so we need to act fast!

Help the Easter Bunny to collect the clues and cross off a location with each one you find!

Let's Go



Open up Google maps on your chosen device and get ready - you're about to go on an eggs-travagant journey!

Visit the location specified in each clue box, then start to search for the answer. For your first clue, head straight to Vegreville Pysanka, Canada.

Clue 01

We've found our first egg, Eggs-ploers. He can't have dropped this long ago as it hasn't started to melt yet!

Get as close to this egg as you can. It's made up of small white, black and gold chocolate pieces, but what shape are they? Link this to a place on your treasure map and cross it out.

Clue 02

Our next egg is the "World's Largest Egg". Can you spot it in Winlock?

Eyes down as you search the area here, as X or 'Eggs' marks the spot...twice! What letters can you see on either side of the Xs? They are initials to another place you can remove.

Clue 03

It's time to hop over to Torre Galatea, Figueres, Spain. WOAH! Gilly must have slipped up here. How many white eggs has he dropped on the roof of the museum (not just in the circle)? Get a birds-eye view to help you count correctly. The next empty place has this many letters. Cross it off - no eggs there!

Clue 04

New York, New York. The Big Apple! Or is it the big egg? Stand outside the main entrance to the Warwick New York on West 54th Street to spot one. Eek! It's cracking up already! Look beyond the egg to find 'makeup', 'skincare' and 'spa'. Rearrange the letters just above to reveal another empty spot to cross off!

Fact File

HOT OFF THE PRESS!
A new world record has been set for the largest decorated Easter egg!
Where: Spain
When: 10th March 2022
Height: 15.98m (That's three times the height of an average two-storey house!)
Perhaps Gilly is secretly aiming to beat this record!

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Clue 05

Fly to the Museum De Fundatie, Blijmarkt, in the Netherlands. How big is that egg on the roof? Admire it from near the cinema. When it landed, the building was lucky to survive, but seven symbols dropped out and lodged themselves in a row. The fifth one, said aloud, rhymes with part of a spot to cross off your map.

Clue 06

This egg must have been enormous! It created an egg-shaped lake when dropped - Lake Waccamaw! Check it out from a birds-eye view. A piece of the egg broke off and landed in the sea 47 miles southeast, just off the tip of a hairless island. Match what you find in the sea here to a place on the map.

Clue 07

Bunny thinks this is our last one, and it's possibly the most beautiful. Look for the World's Largest Czech Egg.

Head down Ave D towards the church, pass it and stop at the Gymnasium Auditorium. What letter looms large in white? Find this letter in your final empty spot!

Success!



Great work, Eggs-ploers - you've 'cracked' all the clues! You should have one place left on your treasure map. This must be where Gilly's chocolate egg-making factory is. Submit your answer at:

bit.ly/TTGiantEggs

Bunny will head straight there to stop Gilly making any more giant eggs!