

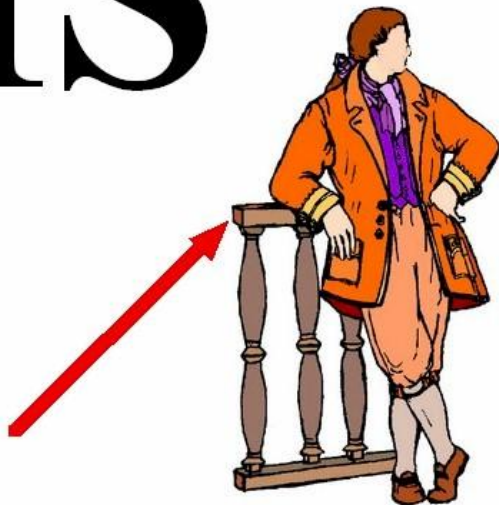
# Class Newsletter

## Brainercise Riddle

I went on a trip last week. The traffic was moderate and the journey took two and a half hours. On the return journey, the traffic was similar, but I made it back in 150 minutes. How come?



# Who Am I? IS



### Fun Bible Facts Casting Lots

The main obvious reason for casting lots was the impartiality of a certain decision. No one could argue that the decision was the result of politics, favoritism, etc. It basically was the same as the casting of dice today. They used different means of casting, depending on the location and customs. They varied from polished sticks to coins, cards, dice, and more.

The last recorded case in Scripture is in Acts 1:24-26, when the apostles asked God's decision on a choice between two men to replace Judas, through the casting of lots:

"And they prayed and said, "You, O Lord, who know the hearts of all, show which of these two You have chosen to take part in this ministry and apostleship from which Judas by transgression fell, that he might go to his own place." And they cast their lots, and the lot fell on Matthias. And he was numbered with the eleven apostles." (Acts 1:24-26)

Fun  
Facts

## Jump start your week

**Memory Verse:** John 14:6

*"Jesus answered, 'I am the way and the truth and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me.'"*



**Story of the Week:** Joshua & Jericho  
Joshua 1, 2, 6

### Hints for "Who am I?"

His name was originally Jacob

He had a twin brother

He was tricked by his father-in-law

His mother loved him more than his father

He died in Egypt