# **Picture graphs**

## **Understanding the Topic**

- A picture graph shows information using pictures.
- Each picture stands for a number of things.
- It helps us see, count, and compare easily.
- Picture graphs are also called pictographs.
- They make learning data fun and simple.

## Why Do We Use Picture Graphs?

- To show data clearly
- To compare who has more or less
- To count items quickly
- To understand information better using pictures

#### **Examples with Solutions**

1. If 1 = 1 apple, and we see (), how many apples are there?

**Answer:** 3 apples

2. If 1 = 2 fish, and we see , how many fish are there?

Answer:  $2 \times 4 = 8$  fish

3. A graph shows 💸 💸 for bikes and 🚗 🚗 for cars. Which are more?

Answer: Bikes are more (3 bikes and 2 cars)

4. If 1 in = 5 donuts, and we see in the see

**Answer:**  $5 \times 2 = 10$  donuts

5. In a picture graph, ( = 1 dog and = 1 cat. If we see ( ) ( ) ( ) ( ), who are more?

**Answer:** Cats are more (3 cats, 2 dogs)

#### **Summary Points**

- A picture graph shows data using pictures or symbols
- Each picture may stand for one or more items
- We can use picture graphs to count and compare
- They help us understand data quickly