

Monday 1st February

Buying a Balloon



Lolla bought a balloon at the circus. She gave the clown six coins to pay for it.

What could Lolla have paid for the balloon?

Which of your answers seems a reasonable amount to pay for a balloon?

First, draw out all the coins she could have used.

Next, work logically to find different combinations and answer this question.
How do you know you have found them all?

Then, find the highest and lowest amount Lolla could have paid.

Finally, explain which amount is most reasonable and why. (This may be a small range of amounts)