

## Frankie does Engineering - Parachutes



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In the story Frankie crash landed because her parachute was too small for a flamingo. Engineers make parachutes from a material that is strong and light. Which of the materials below would be good for a parachute?

1. Jelly
2. Nylon
3. Whipped cream
4. Steel




**Did you know?** A parachute works by using air resistance to slow down something falling through the air. They used to be made from silk.