40 Fun-tabulous Puzzles

for Multiplication, Division, Decimals, Fractions & More!

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MATH CAN BE FUN . . . FUN-TABULOUS!

We teachers know that "practice makes perfect"—especially for building computation skills. The puzzles in this book have provided excellent computation practice for my entire class and have motivated my most reluctant students. Many years of experience developing and using puzzles in the classroom have convinced me that when students are engaged by activities such as the puzzles in this book, they will learn effectively and tackle new challenges. While my students are "having fun" solving riddles and working through mazes, they also are building essential skills: addition, subtraction, multiplication and division—the building blocks of mathematics.

WHAT YOU'LL FIND IN THIS BOOK

This book of 40 puzzles is organized by skill areas and includes: number concepts, addition, subtraction, multiplication, division, order of operations, fractions and decimals, graphing, and time. Each section targets particular subskills, which are listed in the table of contents as well as on the practice pages.

CONNECTIONS TO THE MATH STANDARDS

Most of the puzzles in this book target *NCTM 2000* objectives listed under the Number and Operations standard. These objectives include understanding ways to represent numbers, determining meanings of operations and how they relate to one another, and computing with fluency and accuracy. This book is packed with exercises that require students to use the basic operations (addition, subtraction, multiplication, and division) in a variety of patterns—with whole numbers, decimals, and fractions.

"Riddle Time" and other puzzles feature variables, symbols, and graphs that require students to use strategies outlined in the objectives listed under the Algebra standard. Such strategies include understanding patterns, relations, and functions, and analyzing mathematical equations that use variables.

HOW TO USE THIS BOOK

I've been able to use these puzzles to meet a number of instructional goals: I usually assign one of these puzzles as a follow-up to a lesson. I also use these puzzles as review sheets and quizzes to monitor my students' progress in a specific skill area. And because these puzzles are self-correcting, they make ideal independent and homework assignments; a correct assignment will provide a solution to a riddle or a perfect match for numbers in a puzzle. If a student's answer does not correspond with one of the answers provided or it creates a glitch in the riddle, students realize that they've made an error and will double-check their work to arrive at the right solution.

My students eagerly await math period and frequently ask for these puzzles. I'm confident that your students will enjoy and benefit from this collection, too.

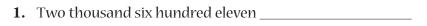
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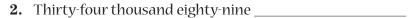


Reveal a Historical Fact

Rewriting words as numbers; place value

Express each number below in its numerical form. Then find your answers in the grid below and cross them out. Answers run horizontally, left to right. Starting from the top left, find each of the remaining letters and print them in order in the boxes at the bottom: The 41 boxes that are left over will reveal a secret message!





- **3.** Six hundred twenty-six thousand eight hundred fifty-four _
- **4.** Eight thousand eight _____
- **5.** Six million five hundred thirty-four thousand two hundred eleven _____
- **6.** Forty-eight million nine hundred seven thousand eight hundred sixteen
- 7. Five hundred eight thousand seven hundred ninety-eight _____
- 8. Eighty million one hundred sixteen thousand two hundred eleven
- 9. Seven thousand seven hundred seven
- **10.** Twenty-nine thousand six hundred forty-eight _____

T	6	Н	4	E	3	G	4	S	5	S	0	E	8	F	7	P	9	Ι	8	R	2	E	0	E	0	K	7
A	1	G	2	R	9	В	6	A	4	R	8	N	4	D	9	0	8	0	0	D	0	В	8	R	6	O	8
M	8	A	7	N	3	N	4	Ι	0	N	8	D	9	N	3	G	9	0	6	В	7	G	7	R	0	A	7
D	6	O	9	F	5	В	6	Y	5	Т	3	Е	4	R	2	I	1	N	1	S	7	U	1	N	0	A	9
N	4	D	0	Y	0	O	8	G	8	R	0	O	1	A	1	D	6	Ι	2	G	1	O	1	U	7	Т	8
H	3	Ι	2	G	6	Н	1	В	1	W	2	A	2	Y	6	R	2	Ι	6	В	8	S	5	O	4	S	3
A	2	P	1	0	4	Т	4	R	8	I	9	M	0	S	7	Н	8	E	1	R	6	L	2	L	4	O	4

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Fact review

58 Errors

The addition grid below contains 58 errors. Check all of the answers. When you find a mistake, correct it and shade in that box. When you've finished shading the boxes with errors, the shaded grid will spell out the answer to the following riddle:

What always goes to bed with shoes on?

+	39	23	17	42	68	94	75	56	83	49	32	95	57	71	63
5	44	28	22	47	73	99	85	71	89	54	37	100	63	74	69
8	47	31	25	50	76	102	82	64	92	57	40	103	66	79	71
4	43	27	21	45	62	99	78	59	88	54	37	98	62	76	67
7	46	30	24	48	76	100	83	62	90	57	39	102	65	78	70
9	58	32	28	52	77	104	85	65	93	68	42	105	67	82	73
2	40	25	18	43	69	95	77	58	85	51	34	98	59	73	65
6	46	28	25	49	75	98	81	62	89	56	39	100	63	77	69
1	39	24	17	43	69	95	76	57	84	50	33	96	58	72	64
3	52	26	21	45	71	97	78	59	86	52	35	98	60	74	66

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3 digits/ 4 addends

Break the Code

Solve the addition problems below. Write the answers in the across and down spaces in the cross-number puzzle. The numbers you write in the shaded boxes show where the letters should go in the code at the bottom to answer the following question:

What word has two vowels, two consonants, and two vowels—all in a row?



- 4. 833 580 735 + 123
- **5.** 300 909 635 + 471
- **6.** 394 349
 - 7 6 7 + 6 7 6
- 8. 7,972 6,581
 - 2,451
- + 7,632



- 1. 385 535 712 + 649
- 2. 535 224 609 + 758
- 3. 888 807 830 + 826
- 6. 803 572 483 + 767
- 7. 866 451 675 + 628

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4			Е	В			
				5	O		K
6			P				
	Е				7		
8		K					
		•			R		

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	0

4 digits/ 4 addends

"Sum" Number Search

Add each problem carefully. Locate and circle the answer—the sum—in the number search below. The answers are written horizontally and vertically.

+ 3,205

+ 6,090

2	0	9	6	4	2	6	4	1	0
5	6	9	3	1	7	3	8	4	9
6	2	2	1	5	7	3	7	1	6
4	5	8	0	2	0	4	0	9	4
1	9	8	4	1	2	8	1	2	4
6	0	1	9	7	5	5	5	7	1
2	5	5	3	8	1	9	1	0	8

4 digits

What's The Number Search

Subtract each problem carefully. Locate and circle the answer—the difference—in the number search below. The answers are written horizontally and vertically.

7	6	0	6	4	3	5	7	2	4	7
7	3	3	6	9	5	7	1	5	5	8
1	6	6	0	7	9	0	5	5	3	2
4	1	2	5	4	7	8	2	9	9	1
6	9	9	0	1	0	2	4	4	6	3
3	5	5	9	6	2	3	7	1	5	4

5 digits

Last Number-First Number #1

Solve the following subtraction problems. Write your answers in the winding puzzle below. Note: The last digit of each answer becomes the first digit of the next answer. Be sure to follow the arrows as you fill in the boxes, because you will have to write these answers backward: numbers 5, 6, 7, 8, 11, and 12. After you've finished the puzzle, look at the numbers you've written in the shaded boxes. Each number shows where the letter in that box should go in the code at the bottom to answer the following question:



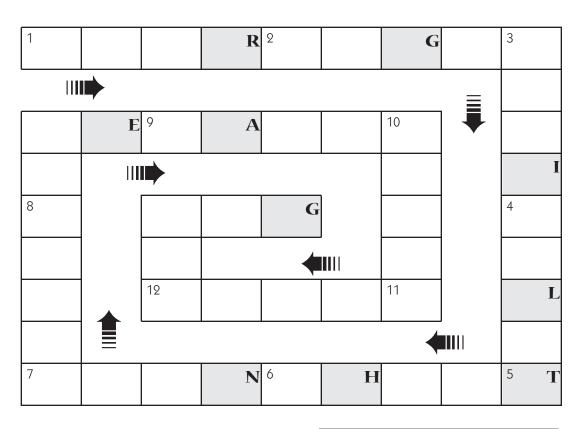
What geometric figure never makes a mistake?

- **1.** 87,643 -64,329
- **2.** 96,840 **3.** 59,751 **4.** 85,934 **5.** 97,091 **6.** 97,381
- -53,477 -23,324

- -13,029 -46,043
- -10,049

- -56,379 -50,268 -40,418

- -30,149
- **7.** 77,790 **8.** 65,472 **9.** 86,790 **10.** 57,475 **11.** 94,476 **12.** 87,473 -34,259 -12,205





1	2	3	4	5

6	7	8	9	0



5 digits

Solve the Mystery

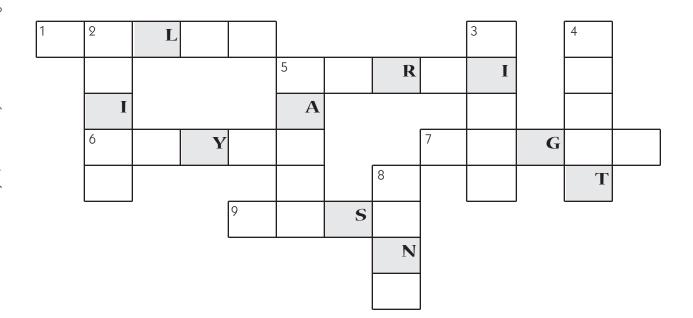
Solve the ten subtraction problems below. Write the answers in the across and down spaces in the cross-number puzzle. The number in the shaded box shows where the letter should go in the code at the bottom to solve the following riddle:

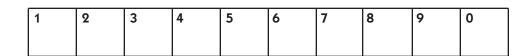


What illness is difficult to discuss until it's completely cured?

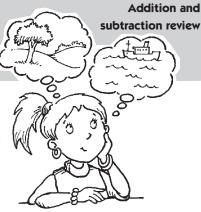
ACROSS

DOWN





To figure out this riddle, solve the following problems and find your answers in the code boxes below. Write the letter from each problem in the code box with the matching answer. If the answer appears in more than one code box, fill in each one with the same letter.



E 5,872 - 3,991

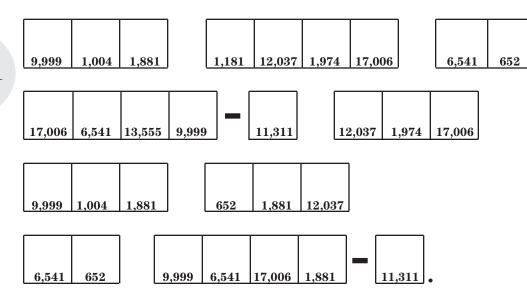
R 3,758 + 9,797

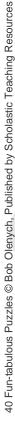
$$3,276 + 6,723$$

5,803 - 4,799

Hint:

There are some extra problems and letters—don't get confused!





subtraction review

Addition and

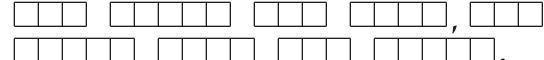
Cross Them Out #1

Solve all twelve problems below. Locate and cross out each of the correct answers in the grid. Answers run horizontally, left to right. When you have finished, 35 boxes will remain. Write the remaining letters in order to reveal the answer to the following question:





O	N	F	Е	W	Т	O	E	S	A	I
5	4	1	0	1	5	1	6	8	2	7
Е	R	В	A	L	S	D	G	Т	P	Т
6	0	7	4	4	8	1	0	3	1	7
Н	E	S	Е	R	F	R	S	U	A	S
3	5	2	7	1	3	5	2	5	9	4
T	Н	G	U	Е	P	D	Е	0	Т	Н
2	3	1	6	2	9	0	4	9	7	4
Е	W	O	K	N	R	S	Т	F	S	E
3	3	6	8	9	7	8	1	0	9	0
Е	E	S	W	Е	F	G	D	T	Н	E
5	4	9	1	2	5	2	1	4	2	9
W	E	L	В	S	A	C	N	M	V	L
7	5	7	3	7	3	3	1	4	5	8
E	R	0	Z	F	W	s	R	D	Н	E
4	1	2	2	2	1	8	1	5	1	5

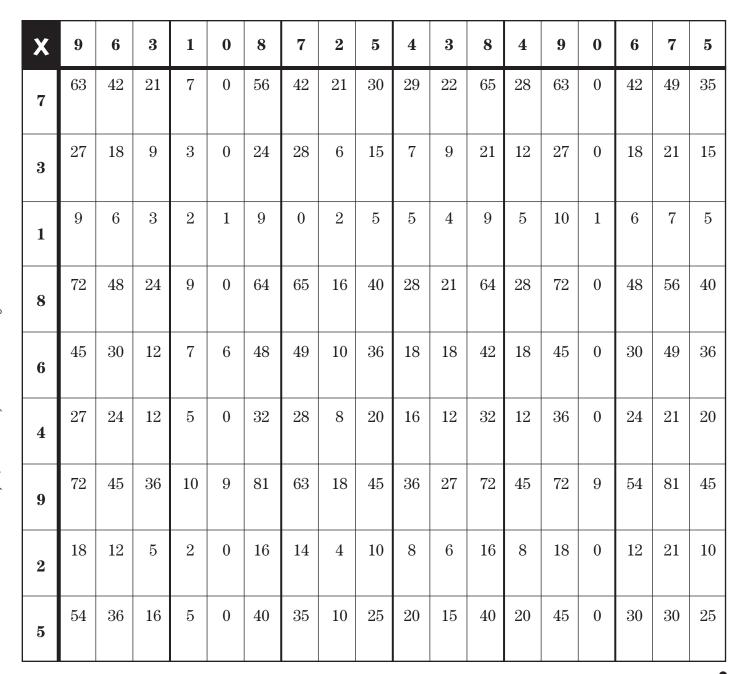


Facts review

59 Errors

The multiplication grid below contains 59 errors. Check all of the answers. When you find a mistake, correct it and shade in that box. When you've finished shading the boxes with errors, the shaded grid will spell out the answer to the following riddle:

What is too much for one, enough for two, and nothing at all for three?



Factors and products

What a Mix-Up

Here are four mixed-up multiplication charts. Find the missing **factors** and **products** to complete these charts correctly.

	0
The state of the s	

X	5	8	2	6
3				
9		72		
4				
7				

X		4		
7			42	
		36		
2			12	
	40			24

Hint:

In the charts with missing factors, you'll notice some of the products lined up in rows or columns.

Use your knowledge of common factors to help you see how these products are related.

X				5
		24	4	
	18			10
			8	
		18		

X				
		14		
	10			8
			18	
	50			

Solve the Riddle

1 digit x 3 or 4 digits

3 or 4 digits

Do you know what Mary had when she went out to dinner?

To figure out this riddle, solve the following problems and find your answers in the code boxes below. Write the letter from each problem in the code box with the matching answer. If the answer appears in more than one code box, fill in each one with the same letter.

$$L$$
 9,306 \times 7

5,247	2,871	9,732	5,247	65,142	2,871	738	40,035	9,732	4,130	4,256	3 2,901	24,210	54,351
12,420	2,901	28,084	2,90	1 65,1	142 35,8	05 7,992	2 7,992	65,142	2,871	65,	142 2,901	4,256	48,120



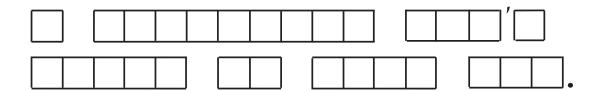
Cross Them Out #2

Solve all nine multiplication problems below. Locate and cross out each of your answers in the grid. When you have finished, 28 boxes will remain. Working horizontally, left to right, write the remaining letters in order in the empty boxes below the grid to reveal the answer to the following question:



What did the father say to his son who wanted to be a tank driver when he grew up?

R	В	E	R	M	I	C	C	A	R	M	S
5	6	6	2	3	4	8	l	6	8	4	2
E	R	S	M	0	R	K	В	R	A	E	R
6	3	8	5	5	6	3	9	9	0	6	4
T	A	I	G	Н	Т	I	N	N	L	Y	W
7	2	4	2	1	2	7	6	3	8	2	7
В	R	I	M	S	0	N	Т	S	Т	A	N
6	1	1	0	4	6	1	9	3	4	1	1
Т	R	I	M	D	I	N	I	N	G	S	В
9	9	9	9	4	2	4	3	9	1	9	2
Y	O	U	U	R	S	Т	V	R	W	A	Y
8	7	5	2	8	0	2	0	8	3	7	5



Match It #1

2 digits x 2 digits

Use multiplication to solve the problems below, then locate each correct answer in the column on the right. Use a ruler or a straightedge to draw a line from the question to the answer (dot to dot). Your line will pass through a number and a letter. The number tells you where to write your letter in the code boxes to answer the riddle below.

1. 54 x 31 ●

4,508

2. 29 x 84

2,378

- **3.** 32 x 23 ●
- K

3

O 2,961

4. 49 x 92

A 9

• 1,152

A

- **5.** 66 x 40
- 12 M

6. 35 x 72 ●

R

736

- **7.** 63 x 47 ●
- 10 O

8 • 2,166

8. 13 x 62

4 • 1,674

9. 48 x 24

2 C

N

0

5

1 3,528

10. 57 x 38

I

806

11. 82 x 29

2,436

12. 72 x 49

2,520

Where does a frog change its clothes?

- $oxed{1}$
- 3
- 4 5 6 7 8
- 9 10 11 12

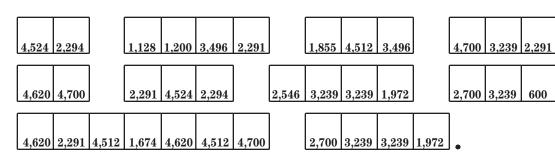
2 digits x 2 digits



Secret Code Time

Why did Godzilla eat Tokyo instead of Rome?

To figure out this riddle, solve the following problems and find your answers in the code boxes below. Write the letter from each problem in the code box with the matching answer. If the answer appears in more than one code box, fill in each one with the same letter.



2 digits x 3 digits

Monster Mystery

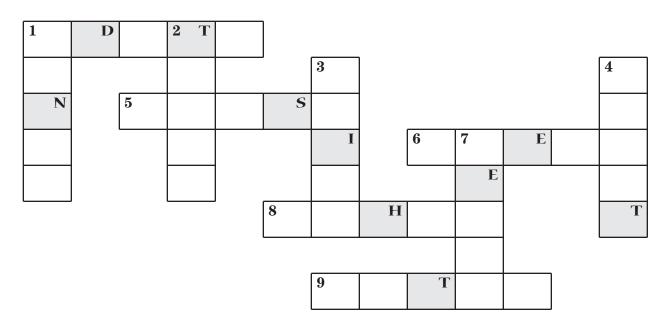
Solve the ten multiplication problems below. Write the answers in the across and down spaces in the cross-number puzzle. The numbers in the shaded boxes show where the letters should go in the code at the bottom to solve this riddle:

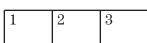


What did the hungry monster eat after the dentist pulled its tooth?

ACROSS

DOWN





4	5	6	7	8	9	0

2 digits x

3 digits

Last Number-First Number #2

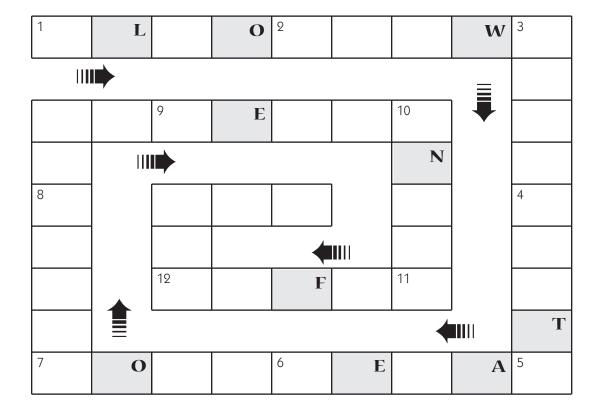
Solve the following multiplication problems. Write your answers in the winding puzzle below. Note: The last digit of each answer becomes the first digit of the next answer. Be sure to follow the arrows as you fill in the boxes, because you will have to write the following answers backward: numbers 5, 6, 7, 8, 11, and 12. After you've finished the puzzle, look at the numbers you've written in the shaded boxes. Each number shows where the letter in that box should go in the code at the bottom to answer this riddle:



What does the announcer say to start a flea race?

 \mathbf{X}

65



6

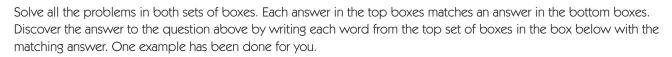
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Addition, subtraction, and multiplication review

Equal Values #1

What's the best way to double your money?



82 × 3= 246 IF	25 x 5= BUT	44 × 6=	74 × 3=	22 × 8= FIND
18 × 8=	33 × 3=	51 × 2= AGAIN	69 × 7= YOU	84 × 5= BILL
58 × 5=	30 × 3=	80 × 3=	16 × 4=	70 × 3= INCREASES
FOLD	DOUBLE	YOU'LL	YOU	
24 × 9=	19 × 5=	48 × 1=	78 × 2=	15 × 3=
UP	OPEN	THE	YOU	FIVE-DOLLAR

11 × 9=	8 × 8=	29 × 10=	12 × 4=	5 × 9=
60 × 7=	500 - 17=	45 × 2=	259 - 37=	150 - 25=
			•	
41 × 6= 246	39 x 4=	70 + 25=	12 × 12=	72 × 3=
if				
17 × 6=	60 × 4=	44 × 4=	66 × 4=	42 × 5=
				•

Name

Date

DIVISION

Did You Hear? Riddles

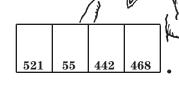
1-digit divisors/ 3-digit quotient

Did you hear ...

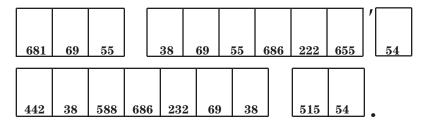
about your muscles? NEVER MIND —







about the rotten pudding? NEVER MIND —



To decode these jokes, complete the division problems below and locate the answers in the code boxes below the riddles. Write the letter from the problem above the matching answer in each code box. If the answer appears in more than one code box, fill in each one with the same letter.

W

0

D

L

 \mathbf{T}

 \mathbf{M}

Y

Н

S

A

F

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N

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L

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1-digit divisors/
3-digit quotient



Solve the division problems below. Each answer has a remainder.
Write the remainder **in words** in the puzzle below. The clue above the problem tells you where the remainder should go.



1 ACROSS

1 DOWN

3 DOWN

2 ACROSS

2 DOWN

8)743

7)341

5)249

3 ACROSS

4 DOWN

5 ACROSS

$$8)_{555}$$

5)452

 $9)_{611}$

 $8)_{713}$

6 ACROSS

7 ACROSS

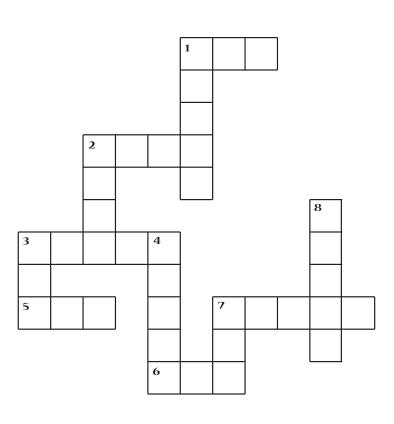
7 DOWN

8 DOWN

7)675

9) 587

 $8)_{711}$



Match It #2

Use division to solve the problems below, then locate each correct answer in the column on the right. Use a ruler or a straightedge to draw a line from the question to the answer (dot to dot). Your line will pass through a number and a letter. The number tells you where to write your letter in the code boxes to answer the riddle below.



1. $5,247 \div 9$

949

2. 1,230 ÷ 5

F

560

226

415

339

3. 2,712 ÷ 8

8

L

4. 2,847 ÷ 3

O

7

5. 2,658 ÷ 6

R

N

3

E

6

P

 $6. 818 \div 2$

2

5 9

0

443

 $7. \ \ 3,920 \div 7$

 \mathbf{Y}

764

583

300

 $8. \ 1,200 \div 4$

0

11

4

793

 $9.6,112 \div 8$

12

10. 1,356 ÷ 6

1 M

T

10

11. $7,137 \div 9$

409

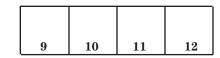
12. 2,075 ÷ 5

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What do you give a seasick elephant?

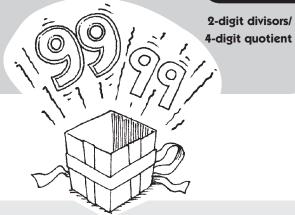


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99s

The divisor in all nine of the following problems is 99. The multiples of 99, from 0 to 9, are listed in the box below. Check your final answer against the correct answers in the answer box.



						**			
99	99	99	99	99	99	99	99	99	99
$\mathbf{x} = 0$	x 1	x 2	x 3	x 4	x 5	x 6	x 7	x 8	x 9
0	99	198	$\overline{297}$	$\overline{396}$	$\overline{495}$	$\overline{594}$	$\overline{693}$	$\overline{792}$	891

2.
$$99) \overline{5,592}$$

3.
$$99)7,060$$

4.
$$99\overline{)6,378}$$

5.
$$99)3,680$$

6.
$$99) 8,764$$

7.
$$99) 4,890$$

9. 99
$$)7,548$$

ANSWER BOX

37 r 17	41 r 14	88 r 52	71 r 31
49 r 39	23 r 30	64 r 42	57 r 23
56 r 48	62 r 26	76 r 24	39 r 39

Hint:

Some problems have remainders that may be longer than the two digit remainders given in the answer boxes.

MORI Did You Hear? Riddles

2-digit divisors/ 4-digit quotient



about the rotten food? NEVER MIND-



68	20	22	66	38



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П	38	68	41	12	75	35	86	ı
L	90	00	41	40	10	ออ	00	J

about the chef who dropped the egg? NEVER MIND—

83	68

35	22	75	39	80	38

To decode these jokes, complete the division problems below and locate the answers in the code boxes below the riddles. Write the letter from the problem above the matching answer in each code box. If the answer appears in more than one code box, fill in each one with the same letter.

H
$$15)1,290$$

$$98) \overline{4,018}$$

I
$$22)1,826$$

$$M_{42)1,806}$$

E
$$77) 1,617$$

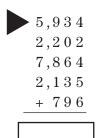
$$N_{55)3,630}$$

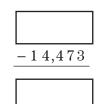
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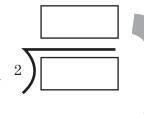
Addition, subtraction, multiplication, and division review

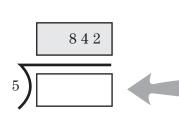
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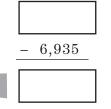


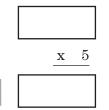


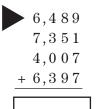




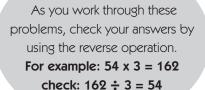




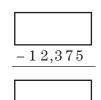


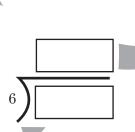


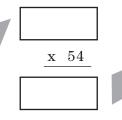


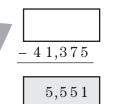


Hint:





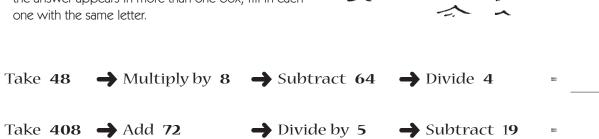




Addition, subtraction, multiplication, and division review



Solve each problem by working from left to right. When you finish a problem, locate the answer in a box below, then write the letter above the answer. If the answer appears in more than one box, fill in each one with the same letter.



Take 937 → Subtract	t 83	→ Divide by 7	Multiply by 9	=	=	D
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Take 396
$$\rightarrow$$
 Divide by 6 \rightarrow Add 48 \rightarrow Subtract 78 = $=$ S

Take
$$407 \rightarrow Add 49 \rightarrow Divide by 4 \rightarrow Subtract 70 = I$$

Take 596
$$\rightarrow$$
 Multiply by 9 \rightarrow Subtract 64 \rightarrow Divide by 5 = B

Take
$$486 \rightarrow \text{Divide by } 6 \rightarrow \text{Add } 40 \rightarrow \text{Multiply by } 7 = G$$

Take 784
$$\rightarrow$$
 Subtract 229 \rightarrow Divide by 5 \rightarrow Add 72 = U

Take
$$420 \Rightarrow Add 777 \Rightarrow Subtract 42 \Rightarrow Divide by 5 = Y$$

Take 92
$$\rightarrow$$
 Multiply by 8 \rightarrow Subtract 1 \rightarrow Divide by 7 = 0

What strange children live in the ocean?

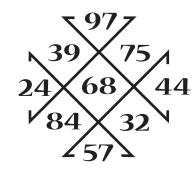
1,060	183	105	231	36	77	80	1,098	847	183	44	44	36

Addition, subtraction, multiplication, and division review

Shapely Math #1

Study the shapes in equations 1–6. Each shape has only one match in the number grids. Use the shapes to fill in the missing numbers in the equations. Solve each number sentence. Check your answers against the scrambled answers in the Answer Box.

63	87	35
48	22	74
57	91	46



ANSWER BOX

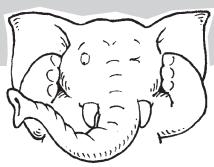
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Using Variables

Elephant Trivia

Why did the elephant cross the road?

Solve the problems below. Locate your answer in the code boxes and write the letter from the matching problem above it. If the answer appears in more than one box, fill in each one with the same letter.



$$\mathbf{J} = (5 \times 6) + (6 \times 3) + (4 \times 9)$$

$$\mathbf{W} = (4 \times 9) + (9 \times 9) + (6 \times 7)$$

$$L = (2 \times 8) + (8 \times 6) + (7 \times 3)$$

$$\mathbf{K} = (1 \times 9) + (7 \times 8) + (2 \times 8)$$

$$\mathbf{O} = (5 \times 7) + (6 \times 9) + (3 \times 5)$$

$$\mathbf{E} = (5 \times 5) + (5 \times 7) + (6 \times 5)$$

$$\mathbf{D} = (3 \times 8) + (6 \times 4) + (2 \times 12) =$$

$$\mathbf{N} = (4 \times 8) + (9 \times 0) + (8 \times 4)$$

$$I = (4 \times 8) + (9 \times 5) + (9 \times 4)$$

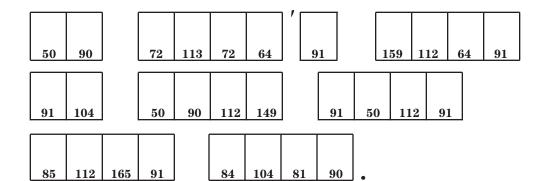
$$\mathbf{H} = (3 \times 3) + (4 \times 4) + (5 \times 5)$$

$$\mathbf{T} = (6 \times 6) + (4 \times 7) + (3 \times 9)$$

$$\mathbf{A} = (3 \times 7) + (4 \times 7) + (7 \times 9) =$$

$$\mathbf{S} = (9 \times 7) + (9 \times 6) + (8 \times 6)$$

$$\mathbf{R} = (8 \times 8) + (7 \times 7) + (6 \times 6) =$$



Using Variables

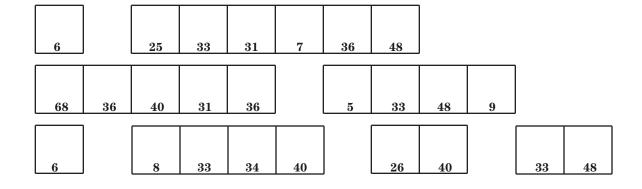
Riddle Time

What has 500 teeth and says "Beware of Dog"?

Solve the problems below. Locate your answer in the code boxes and write the letter from the matching problem above it. If the answer appears in more than one box, fill in each one with the same letter.



$$(5 \times 9) + 3 = T$$
 $T = (K \times 7) + 5 = 54$ $K = (3 \times 9) + 7 = G$ $G = (5 \times 5) + 6 = C$ $C = (7 \times 4) + 8 = E$ $E = (H \times 8) + 3 = 75$ $H = (4 \times 8) + 4 = 40$ $A = (4 \times 8) + 8 = N$ $N = (8 \times 8) + 4 = F$ $F = (5 \times 6) + 5 = 53$ $S = (4 \times 4) + 9 = P$ $P = (6 \times 4) + 9 = I$ $I = (9 \times 2) + 8 = O$ $O = (9 \times 2) + 8 = O$



Equal Values #2



Renaming and reducing fractions

What is the difference between a football player and a duck?

Change the improper fractions in the top boxes to mixed numerals in their simplest form. Then match each answer in the top boxes to an equivalent mixed numeral, expressed in words, in the bottom boxes. Discover the answer to the question above by writing each word from the top set of boxes in the box below with the matching answer. One example has been done for you.

$\frac{5}{3}$ =	$\frac{14}{10} = 1\frac{4}{10} = 1\frac{2}{5}$	$\frac{9}{6}$ =	$\frac{8}{5}$ =
DUCK	A	PUDDLE	вит
$\frac{13}{8} =$	$\frac{17}{14} =$	$\frac{7}{4}$ =	$\frac{17}{12} =$
HUDDLE	A	PLAYER	IN
$\frac{12}{7}$ =	$\frac{10}{8} =$	$\frac{9}{4}$ =	$\frac{11}{6}$ =
IN	FOOTBALL	FOUND	IS
$\frac{9}{7}$ =	$\frac{5}{2}$ =	$\frac{12}{9} =$	$\frac{13}{12} =$
A	A	IS	FOUND

one and	one and	one and	one and
two fifths =	one fourth =	three fourths =	one third =
one and	one and	two and	one and
one twelfth =	five sevenths =	one half =	five eighths =
one and	one and	one and	one and
three fifths =	two sevenths =	two thirds =	five sixths =
two and	one and	one and	one and
one fourth =	five twelfths =	three fourteenths =	one half =
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A Sharp Riddle

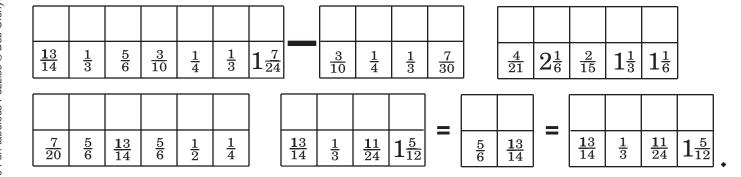
Addition with unlike denominators



If two vampires had a race, who would win?

To figure out this riddle, solve the following problems and find your answers in the code boxes below. Remember to reduce fractions when necessary. Write the letter from each problem in the code box with the matching answer. If the answer appears in more than one code box, fill in each one with the same letter.

$ \begin{array}{c} \mathbf{D} \\ \frac{2}{3} + \frac{2}{4} = \end{array} $	$\frac{4}{6} - \frac{1}{3} =$	$\frac{1}{3} - \frac{2}{5} =$	$\frac{1}{6} + \frac{3}{9} =$
$\frac{\mathbf{T}}{\frac{4}{5} - \frac{1}{2}} =$	$\frac{3}{2} + \frac{2}{3} =$	$\frac{2}{3} + \frac{5}{8} =$	$\frac{5}{6} - \frac{3}{5} =$
$\frac{1}{\frac{3}{9}} + \frac{1}{2} =$	$\frac{3}{4} - \frac{5}{10} =$	$\frac{L}{\frac{2}{4} + \frac{5}{6}} =$	$\frac{C}{\frac{5}{6} - \frac{3}{8}} =$
$\frac{4}{5} - \frac{2}{3} =$	$\frac{\mathbf{K}}{\frac{3}{4} + \frac{2}{3}} =$	$\frac{\mathbf{W}}{\frac{6}{7} - \frac{2}{3}} =$	$\frac{1}{2} + \frac{3}{7} =$

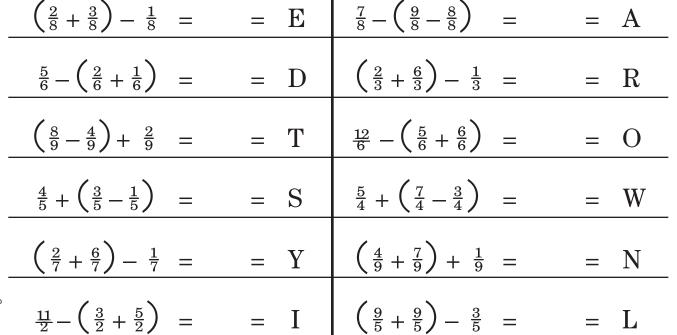


Wrestle the Code

Order of operations

What did the wrestler say when he sat down to eat at the buffet?

Solve the problems below. Remember to reduce fractions when necessary. Locate your answer in the code boxes and write the letter from the matching problem above it. If the answer appears in more than one box, fill in each one with the same letter.



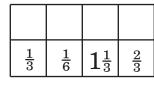
$$\frac{9}{9} - \left(\frac{2}{9} + \frac{2}{9}\right) = G$$

H

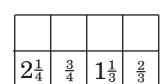


 $\left(\frac{4}{3} + \frac{6}{3}\right) - \frac{5}{3}$

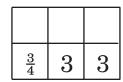
$2\frac{1}{3}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{3}{4}$	3	3	1



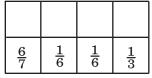
 $\left(\frac{6}{7} - \frac{4}{7}\right) + \frac{4}{7}$



F



<u>2</u> 3	$1\frac{2}{3}$	$1\frac{1}{2}$	$1\frac{1}{5}$





$$\frac{5}{9}$$
 $\frac{1}{6}$

<u>2</u> 3	$\frac{1}{6}$

Equivalent fractions and decimals

Hint:

Write the expression as a fraction first!

For example: 7/10 = 0.7

Write the answer to each decimal expression in the space provided. Find your answer in one of the boxes at the bottom of the page. In the correct box, write the word that matches your answer. Once you have filled in all the boxes, you will discover the answer to the following riddle:

How do we know football referees are happy?

- 1. Three tenths = ____ = Happy
- **2.** Thirteen and one thousandth = = **Know**
- **3.** Four and four hundredths = = **Are**
- **4.** Seven and fifteen thousandths = ____ = Always
- **5.** Thirteen and one hundredth = = **While**
- **6.** Four and four thousandths = = They
- **7.** Three hundredths = ____ = **Referees**
- **8.** Thirteen and one tenth = ____ = **They**
- **9.** Four and forty thousandths = ____ = **We**
- **10.** Thirteen and ten hundredths = = **Work**
- **11.** Four and four tenths = ____ = **Because**
- **12.** Seven and fifteen hundredths = ____ = **Whistle**

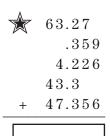
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0.3	4.4	4.004	7.015
7.15	13.01	13.1	13.10

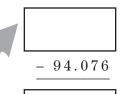
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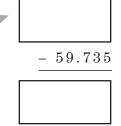
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Mixed practice





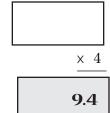




As you work through these problems, check your answers by using the reverse operation.

For example: 2.03 + 34.2 = 36.23Check: 36.23 - 34.2 =

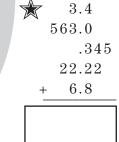
2.03

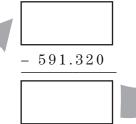


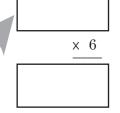
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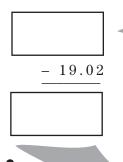


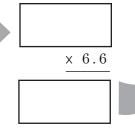












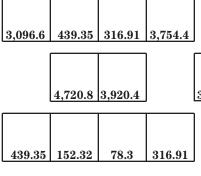
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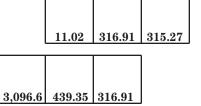
Coded Riddle



Why did the doughnut makers finally close their shop?

To figure out this riddle, solve the following problems and find your answers in the code boxes below. Write the letter from each problem in the code box with the matching answer. If the answer appears in more than one code box, fill in each box with the same letter.





350.4	4,720.8	127.02	245.05	1,660.6	316.91	127.02	127.02

Multiple step operations

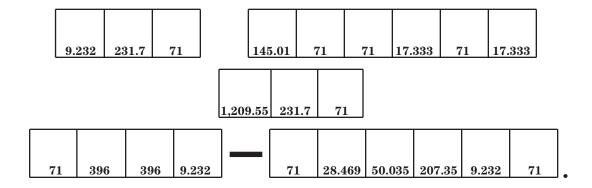
Decimal Fun

Solve each problem by working from left to right. When you finish a problem, locate the answer in a box below, then write the letter above the answer. If the answer appears in more than one box, fill in each one with the same letter.



,	Take 47	→ Subtract 6.55	→ Add 0.22	→ Multiply by 0.7	=	 =	R
,	Take 8.63	→ Add 26.4	→ Multiply by 35	→ Subtract 16.5	=	=	T
,	Take 13.77 9	9 → Multiply by 8	→ Subtract 4.662	→ Add 39.44	=	=	N
,	Take 58.2	→ Add 66.489	→ Subtract 123.457	→ Add 8	=	=	S
,	Таке 5.5	→ Add 4.505	→ Multiply by 7	→ Subtract 20	=	=	C
,	Таке 2.2	→ Multiply by 8.4	→ Subtract 1.477	→ Add 0.33	=	=	D
,	Take 589	→ Subtract 9.87	→ Multiply by 0.4	→ Add 0.048	=	=	Н
,	Take 22.2	→ Add 9.8	→ Multiply by 6.5	→ Subtract 0.65	=	=	I
,	Take 88.8	→ Multiply by 0.4	→ Subtract 15.32	→ Add 50.8	=	=	E
,	Take 799	→ Subtract 763.4	→ Add 8.4	→ Multiply by 9	=	=	G

Why did the hen always lift eggs?





Order of operations

Shapely Math #2

Study the shapes in equations 1–6. Each shape has only one match in the number grids. Use the shapes to fill in the missing numbers in the equations. Solve each number sentence. Check your answers against the scrambled answers in the Answer Box.

66	6.38	.007
4.3	84.1	.407
35.4	4.01	6.7

ANSWER BOX 593.6 69.3 953.926 16.0 30.49 11.34 1.665 18.66 33.47

Order of operations

No Kidding!



What's the tallest building in town?

Solve the problems below. Locate your answer in the code boxes and write the letter from the matching problem above it. If the answer appears in more than one box, fill in each one with the same letter.

$$(0.5 \times 3) + 0.3 = C$$

$$(S \times 0.9) + 0.2 = 4.7$$

$$(6 \times 0.3) + 2.5 = M$$

$$(0.7 \times 0.7) + 0.12 = E$$

$$(8 \times 0.6) + R = 5.0$$

$$(2.2 \times 4) + 0.7 = A$$

$$(0.3 \times 0.3) + 0.23 = H$$

$$(8 \times 0.7) + L = 6.3$$

$$(7 \times 7) + I = 49.3$$

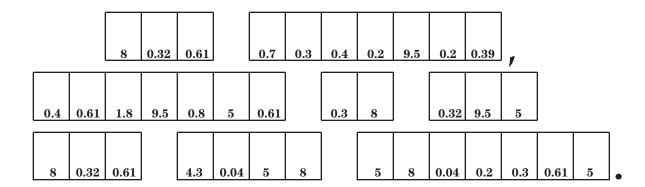
$$(0.4 \times 0.8) + 0.07 = Y$$

$$(0.4 \times B) + 0.03 = 0.19$$
 B = _____

$$(0.9 \times 0.5) + O = 0.49$$

$$(9 \times 0.3) + U = 3.5$$

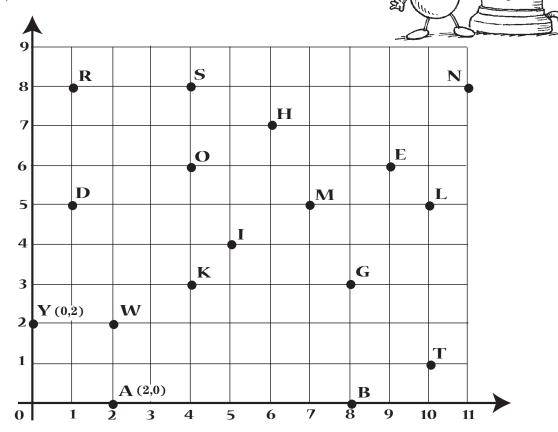
$$(T \times 0.9) + 0.4 = 7.6$$



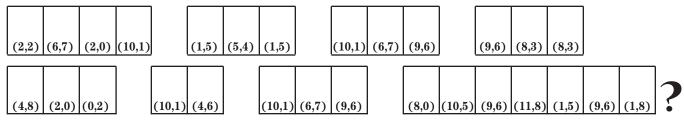
Hidden Question and Answer #1

Locating ordered pairs

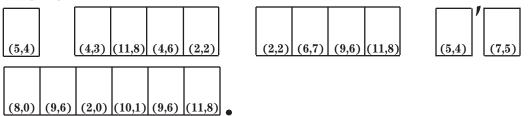
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Question



Answer



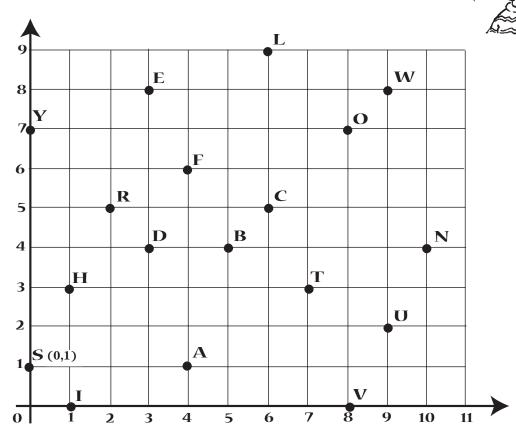
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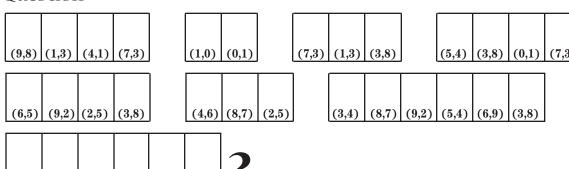
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Locating ordered pairs

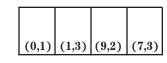
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Question



Answer



(8,7)	(10,4)	(3,8)

Why did the downhill skier wear just one boot?

1.	. If you fall	asleep	at 9:15 P.	M. and	you v	wake	up a	t 9:15	A.M.,
	how many	y minut	es did yo	ı sleep	?				

2. If it's 6:15 A.M., what will the time be 46 minutes later?

3. A diver holds his breath for 186 seconds. How many minutes and seconds is that?

4. Mom's commute to work takes 46 minutes and she arrives at work at 8:20 A.M. When did she leave home?

5. You leave the house at 8:12 A.M. and arrive at school at 8:31 A.M. How many seconds did it take you to get there?

6. Sunrise is at 6:13 A.M. and sunset is at 7:16 P.M. How many hours and minutes of sunlight did we have?

7. How many minutes have elapsed between 9:00 A.M. and 11:12 A.M.?

8. If your gym, music, art, and math classes are 40 minutes each, what is the total number of hours and minutes?

9. Two race car drivers finished a race in 46 minutes 30 seconds and 43 minutes 29 seconds, respectively. How much faster was the winner?

10. If the fire drill interrupted class for 15 minutes, how many seconds of class did you miss?

11. If it's 3:30 P.M., how much time has passed since 1:25 P.M.?

12. It takes 12 minutes and 36 seconds to walk around the city block. How many seconds did it take?

=	=The

=That

= Heard

= **Snow**

= = Foot

= = Trail

= = He

= ____ = Along

3 minutes, 1 second	1,140 seconds	720 minutes	7:01 A.M.
13 hours, 3 minutes	900 seconds	3 minutes, 6 seconds	2 hours, 40 minutes
756 seconds	7:34 A.M.	132 minutes	2 hours, 5 minutes

Answers

Reveal a Historical Fact (page 5)

 1. 2,611
 6. 48,907,816

 2. 34,089
 7. 508,798

 3. 626,854
 8. 80,116,211

 4. 8,008
 9. 7,707

 5. 6,534,211
 10. 29,648

The Greek and Roman god of sun and youth was Apollo.

Cross-Number Puzzle (page 6)

ACROSS	DOWN
1. 4,703	1. 493,666
3. 2,435	2. 50,930
4. 5,009	4. 56,934
5. 164,593	6. 6,451
6. 604,590	8. 9,443
7. 85,396	9. 25,793
11. 546,371	10. 81,247
12. 348,007	

+	39	23	17	42	68	94	75	56	83	49	32	95	57	71	63
5	44	28	22	47	73	99	80	61	88	54	37	100	62	76	68
8	47	31	25	50	76	102	83	64	91	57	40	103	65	79	71
4	43	27	21	46	72	98	79	60	87	53	36	99	61	75	67
7	46	30	24	49	75	101	82	63	90	56	39	102	64	78	70
9	48	32	26	51	77	103	84	65	92	58	41	104	66	80	72
2	41	25	19	44	70	96	77	58	85	51	34	97	59	73	65
6	45	29	23	48	74	100	81	62	89	55	38	101	63	77	69
1	40	24	18	43	69	95	76	57	84	50	33	96	58	72	64
3	42	26	20	45	71	97	78	59	86	52	35	98	60	74	66

58 Errors (page 7)

What always goes to bed with shoes on? *Horse*

Break the Code (page 8)

AC	ROSS	DC)WN
2.	2,393	1.	2,281
4.	2,271	2.	2,126
5.	2,315	3.	3,351
6.	2,186	6.	2,625
8.	24.636	7.	2.620

What word has two vowels, two consonants, and two vowels—all in a row? *Bookkeeper*

"Sum" Number Search (page 9)

				(I.	0)
1.	17,384	2.	19,841	3.	19,755
4.	25,641	5.	20,964	6.	25,538
7 .	14,192	8.	26,410	9.	19,108
10.	22,157	11.	20,409	12.	28,124

2	0	9	6	4)	2	6	4	1	
5	6	9	3	1	7	3	8	4	9
6	(2	2	1	5	7	3	7	1	6
4	5	8	0	2	0	4	0	9	4
1	9	8	4	1	2	8	1	2	4)
6	0	1	9	7	5	5	5	7	1
2	5	5	3	8)	1	9	1	0	8

What's the Difference?

Number Search (page 10)

		~~ ~~	(Page	,	
1.	3,369	2.	4,125	3.	4,974
4.	3,559	5 .	2,134	6.	2,559
7 .	991	8.	7,714	9.	6,605
10.	1,558	11.	2,446	12.	572
13.	570	14.	9010	15 .	2,371

7	6	0	6	4	3	(5)	7	2	4	7
7	(3)	3	6	9	5	7	1	5	5	8
1	6	6	0	7	9	0	5	5	3	2
\bigcirc	1	2	5	4	7	8	2	0	9	
6	9	9	0	1	0	$\overline{2}$	4	4	9	3
3	5	5	9	6	2	3	7	1	5	4

Last Number – First Number #1 (page 11)

(1° 0°)		
1. 23,314	2. 43,363	3. 36,427
4. 72,905	5. 51,048	6. 87,332
7. 21,411	8. 15,204	9. 46,372
10. 27,326	11. 60,217	12. 75,268

What geometric figure never makes a mistake? *A right angle*

Solve the Mystery (page 12)

ACROSS	DOWN
1. 13,109	2. 31,922
5. 16,357	3. 27,309
6. 20,492	4. 44,418
7. 40,617	5. 12,222
9. 5.205	8. 3.552

What illness is difficult to discuss until it's completely cured? Laryngitis

What's the Difference Between Land and Sea? (page 13)

\mathbf{E}	1,881	P	12,003	Ι	6,541
A	12,037	Ο	3,005	R	13,555
N	1,974	T	9,999	M	1,001
\mathbf{D}	17,006	Η	1,004	W	11,132
L	1,181	Y	11,311	\mathbf{S}	652

The land is dirt-y and the sea is tide-y.

Cross Them Out #1 (page 14)

Cross Then	Out #1 (pas	C 14)
1. 13,525	2. 3,689	3. 12,521
4. 1,031	5. 12,221	6. 1,515
7. 16,290	8. 1,090	9. 10,151
10. 6,074	11. 7,573	12. 3,145

What's the difference between a sailor and a bargain hunter? *One sails the seas, the other sees the sales.*

59 Errors (page 15)

x	9	6	3	1	0	8	7	2	5	4	3	8	4	9	0	6	7	5
7	63	42	21	7	0	56	49	14	35	28	21	56	28	63	0	42	49	35
3	27	18	9	3	0	24	21	6	15	12	9	24	12	27	0	18	21	15
1	9	6	3	1	0	8	7	2	5	4	3	8	4	9	0	6	7	5
8	72	48	24	8	0	64	56	16	40	32	24	64	32	72	0	48	56	40
6	54	36	18	6	0	48	42	12	30	24	18	48	24	54	0	36	42	30
4	36	24	12	4	0	32	28	8	20	16	12	32	16	36	0	24	28	20
9	81	54	27	9	0	72	63	18	45	36	27	72	36	81	0	54	63	45
2	18	12	6	2	0	16	14	4	10	8	6	16	8	18	0	12	14	10
5	45	30	15	5	0	40	35	10	25	20	15	40	20	45	0	30	35	25

What is too much for one, enough for two, and nothing at all for three? Secret

What a Mix-Up (page 16)

	5	8	2	6	x	5	4	(
	15	24	6	18	7	35	28	4:
	45	72	18	54	9	45	36	54
20		32	8	24	2	10	8	12
35		56	14	42	8	40	16	48

Note: There can be more than one solution to the following? hoves

me	10110	JWII	1g 2	DOX	es.	
x	9	6	1	5		х
4	36	24	4	20		2
2	18	12	2	10		1
8	72	48	8	40		6
3	27	18	3	15		5

x	10	7	3	8
2	20	14	6	16
1	10	7	3	8
6	60	42	18	48
5	50	35	15	40
	2 1 6	2 20 1 10 6 60	2 20 ₁₄ 1 ₁₀ 7 6 60 42	2 20 14 6 1 10 7 3 6 60 42 18

Solve the Riddle (page 17)

K	738	R	24,210	E 2,871	N	40,035
D	28,084	L	65,142	T 7,992	Η	12,420
I	35,805	В	48,120	P 5,247	A	2,901
M	4,256	Y	54,351	W 4,130	Ο	9,732

Do you know what Mary had when she went out to dinner? *People know Mary had a little lamb*.

Cross Them Out #2 (page 18)

		CI.	0	,
1. 38,556	2.	21,276	3.	16,842
4. 28,020	5.	39,906	6.	61,104
7. 9,999	8.	56,623	9.	39,192

What did the father say to his son who wanted to be a tank driver when he grew up? *I certainly won't stand in your way*.

Match It #1 (page 19)

1. 1,674	2. 2,436	3. 736
4. 4,508	5. 2,640	6. 2,520
7. 2,961	8. 806	9. 1,152
10. 2,166	11. 2,378	12. 3,528

Where does a frog change its clothes? *In a croak room*

Secret Code Time (page 20)

M	2,546	U	1,200	N	4,700	L	1,674
\mathbf{W}	1,855	T	2,291	D	1,972	O	3,239
Ι	4,620	J	1,128	E	2,294	F	2,700
R	600	\mathbf{S}	3,496	A	4,512	Η	4,524

Why did Godzilla eat Tokyo instead of Rome? *He just was not in the mood for Italian food.*

Monster Mystery (page 21)

		• 4
AC	ROSS	DOWN
1.	24,576	1. 21,682
5.	56,296	2. 76,632
6.	61,386	3. 26,880
8.	30,272	4. 12,600
9.	44,154	7. 15,255

What did the hungry monster eat after the dentist pulled its tooth? *The dentist*

Last Number – First Number #2 (page 22)

2. 33,856
4. 51,646
6. 23,161
8. 32,076
10. 42,413
12. 43,831

What does the announcer say to start a flea race? One, Two, Flea – GO!

Equal Values (page 23)

246	125	264	222	176
144	99	102	483	420
290	90	240	64	210
216	95	48	156	45

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102	240	176	264	210

What's the best way to double your money? If you fold the five-dollar bill, you double it. But if you open it up again you'll find it increases.

Did You Hear? Riddles (page 24)

W	38	O	69	D 222	L 686
T	54	M	521	Y 681	H 468
\mathbf{S}	442	A	588	F 123	U 55
Ν	655	Ι	515	L 232	I 122

About your muscles? *Never Mind – It's a lot of mush.*

About the rotten pudding? Never Mind – You wouldn't swallow it.

Remainders (page 25)

ACROSS	DOWN
1.78r6	1.92r7
2. 48 r 5	2. 49 r 4
3. 69 r 3	3. 90 r 2
5. 89 r 1	4. 67 r 8
6. 38 r 2	7. 65 r 2
7. 96 r 3	8. 88 r 7



Match It #2 (page 26)

1. 583	2. 246	3. 339	4. 949
5. 443	6. 409	7. 560	8. 300
9. 764	10. 226	11. 793	12. 415

What do you give a seasick elephant? *Plenty of room*

99s (page 27)

1.23 r 30	2. 56 r 48	3. 71 r 31
4. 64 r 42	5. 37 r 17	6. 88 r 52
7. 49 r 39	8.57 r 23	9.76 r 24

More Did You Hear? Riddles

(page 28)

<u>u</u> 0	,		
P 13	A 75	T 68	H 86
R 22	O 41	U~20	K 80
Y 40	I 83	M43	C 35
S 38	C 39	E 21	N 66

About the rotten food? Never mind – *it turns my stomach.*

About the chef who dropped the egg? Never mind – $it\ cracks\ me\ up$.

Follow the Arrows #1 (page 29)

Links (page 30)

N 80	D 1,098	L 44	G847	Y 231
A 77	S 36	B 1,060	U 183	O 105

What strange children live in the ocean? *Buoys and gulls*

Shapely Math #1 (page 31)

1.
$$(48 \times 44) \div (68 - 63) = 422 \text{ r}2$$

2.
$$(22 \times 75) \div (68 - 22) = 35 \text{ r}40$$

$$3.(63 \times 84) \div (39 - 35) = 1,323$$

$$4.(48 \times 24) \div (97 - 91) = 192$$

$$5.(32 \times 74) \div (63 - 57) = 394 \text{ r}4$$

$$6.(39 \times 91) \div (91 -84) = 507$$

Elephant Trivia (page 32)

J 84	I 113	K 81	A 112
L 85	T 91	E 90	R 149
O 104	S 165	N 64	
D 72	W 159	H 50	

Why did the elephant cross the road? He didn't want to hear that last joke.

Riddle Time (page 33)

T	48	F	ζ	7
G	34	(\mathcal{I}	31
\mathbf{E}	36	I	I	9
A	6	1	V	40
F	68	S	3	8
W	5	I)	25
I	33	()	26

What has 500 teeth and says "Beware of Dog"? A picket fence with a sign on it

Equal Values (page 34)

$\frac{5}{3} = 1\frac{2}{3}$	$\frac{14}{10} = 1\frac{4}{10} = 1\frac{2}{5}$	$\frac{9}{6} = 1\frac{3}{6} = 1\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{8}{5} = 1\frac{3}{5}$
$\frac{13}{8} = 1\frac{5}{8}$	$\frac{17}{14} = 1\frac{3}{14}$	$\frac{7}{4} = 1\frac{3}{4}$	$\frac{17}{12} = 1\frac{5}{12}$
$\frac{12}{7} = 1\frac{5}{7}$	$\frac{10}{8} = 1\frac{2}{8} = 1\frac{1}{4}$	$\frac{9}{4} = 2\frac{1}{4}$	$\frac{11}{6} = 1\frac{5}{6}$
$\frac{9}{7} = 1\frac{2}{7}$	$\frac{5}{2} = 2\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{12}{9} = 1\frac{3}{9} = 1\frac{1}{3}$	$\frac{13}{12} = 1\frac{1}{12}$

What is the difference between a football player and a duck? A football player is found in a huddle, but a duck is found in a puddle.

A Sharp Riddle (page 35)

D	$1\frac{1}{6}$	$E_{\frac{1}{3}}$	$F_{\frac{7}{20}}$	$S_{\frac{1}{2}}$
Т	$\frac{3}{10}$	O $2\frac{1}{6}$	$R 1^{\frac{7}{24}}$	Y_{30}
I	<u>5</u>	$H_{\frac{1}{4}}$	L $1\frac{1}{3}$	$C_{\frac{11}{24}}$
U	$\frac{2}{15}$	$K 1^{\frac{5}{12}}$	$W_{\frac{4}{21}}$	$N_{\frac{13}{14}}$

If two vampires had a race, who would win? *Neither—they would* finish neck-in-neck.

Wrestle the Code (page 36)

Е	$\frac{1}{2}$	A	$\frac{3}{4}$
D	$\frac{1}{3}$	R	$2\frac{1}{3}$
T	$\frac{2}{3}$	O	$\frac{1}{6}$
\mathbf{S}	$1\frac{1}{5}$	W	$2\frac{1}{4}$
Y	1	N	$1\frac{1}{3}$
Ι	$1^{\frac{1}{2}}$	\mathbf{L}	3
Η	$1\frac{2}{3}$	F	$\frac{6}{7}$
		G	<u>5</u>

What did the wrestler say when he sat down to eat at the buffet? I really don't want all this food to go to waist.

Decimal Match (page 37)

1. 0.3	2. 13.001	3. 4.04	4. 7.015
5. 13.01	6. 4.004	7. 0.03	8. 13.1
9.4.040	10. 13.10	11. 4.4	12. 7.15

How do we know football referees are happy? We know referees are happy because they always whistle while they work.

Follow the Arrows #2 (page 38)

A	158.511 ▶64.435 ▶4.7 ▶11.75
	> 2.35 > <u>9.4</u>
В	595.765 ➤4.445 ➤26.67 ➤7.65
	▶ 1 53 ▶ 10 098 ▶ 0 099

Coded Riddle (page 39)

		- 1	1	
\mathbf{F}	11.02	L	78.3	B 350.4
\mathbf{S}	127.02	Η	439.35	R 33.06
\mathbf{E}	316.91	Y	3,754.4	I 245.05
P	3,920.4	D	315.27	W 3,729.6
N	1,660.6	U	4,720.8	O 152.32
T	3,096.6			

Why did the doughnut makers finally close their shop? *They were fed up with the hole business*.

Decimal Fun (page 40)

R 28.469	T 1,209.55	N 145.01
S 9.232	C 50.035	D 17.333
H 231.7	I 207.35	E 71
G 396		

Why did the hen always lift eggs? *She needed the eggs-ercise.*

1.
$$(4.3 - 4.01) + (35.4) - 5.2) = 30.49$$

$$2.(.072 - .007) + (8.3 - 6.7) = 1.665$$

$$3.(99.1 - 66) + (6.38 - 6.01) = 33.47$$

$$4.(99.1 - 84.1) + (7.7 - 6.7) = 16$$

$$5.(948 - .007) + (6.34 - .407) = 953.926$$

$$6.(24.9 - 4.3) + (84.1 - 35.4) = 69.3$$

Shapely Math #2 (page 41)

No Kidding! (page 42)

C 1.8	S 5	M 4.3	E 0.61
R 0.2	A 9.5	H 0.32	L 0.7
I 0.3	Y 0.39	B 0.4	O 0.04
U 0.8	T 8		

What's the tallest building in town? The library, because it has the most stories.

Hidden Question and Answer #1

(page 43) Y(0,2)A (2,0)I (5,4)R (1,8) B (8,0) N (11,8) S(4,8)H(6,7)E (9,6) D (1,5) O(4,6)M(7,5)W(2,2)L (10,5) K(4,3)

G (8,3)

Question: What did the egg say to the blender?

Answer: I know when I'm beaten.

T(10,1)

Hidden Question and Answer #2 (page 44)

Y(0,7)	R(2,5)	A (4,1)
T (7,3)	U(9,2)	S(0,1)
E (3,8)	B (5,4)	O (8,7)
N(10,4)	H (1,3)	D (3,4)
L (6,9)	V (8,0)	I (1,0)
F (4,6)	C(6,5)	W (9,8)

Question: What is the best cure for double vision?

Answer: Shut one eye.

A Timely Puzzle (page 45)

 1. 720 minutes
 2. 7:01 A.M.

 3. 3 minutes, 6 seconds
 4. 7:34 A.M.

 5. 1,140 seconds
 6. 13 hours, 3 minutes

 7. 132 minutes
 8. 2 hours, 40 minutes

 9. 3 minute, 1 second
 10. 900 seconds

 11. 2 hours, 5 minutes
 12. 756 seconds

Why did the downhill skier wear just one boot? He heard that the snow along the trail was one foot deep.