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## First Day

How many things can you find to count on your first day in Beast Academy?

14



## Campus Tour

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26



## One Hundred

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44



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+ & =

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What do the symbols + and = mean?



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34

If I add the number of red jellybeans to the number of black jellybeans in a jar, I get 68. What will I get if I add the number of black jellybeans to the number of red jellybeans?



## Ten

52

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2 4 6 9 8 1



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PUMA pear LIME PEACH

150



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14

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## Counting Up

30

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## Blocks

46

What number do you get when you combine 2 hundreds, 11 tens, and 4 ones?



## Apart

62

Which expression below is not equal to the others?

$$200+40+7 \quad 7+240 \quad 40+7+200 \quad 70+200+4 \quad 200+47$$



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## Turns

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If you are walking south, which direction is to your left?



## Order

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J

N • K

• M L



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