Second Grade Summer Activities

Dear First Grade Parents,

Congratulations! You are now the parents of a second grader! Your child has learned many new concepts in first grade and we feel they are well prepared for second grade. Summer is a time for children to relax and recharge. However, we also want to keep their brains sharp. Attached you will find a variety of activities to help review and practice various skills, and to prepare your child for the upcoming school year. Students should complete the packet as independently as possible. We recommend that parents help their children pace themselves throughout the summer in regards to completing the summer packet.

Over the summer we encourage your child to read on a regular basis. Many public libraries offer summer reading programs that include incentives. Children benefit from daily independent reading, as well as hearing others read to them. It is equally important to practice math skills over the summer. One way is to use flash cards to practice addition and subtraction facts to 20.

Students should return their completed packets to their second grade teachers during the first week of school.

Have a safe and relaxing summer!
Mrs. Lee and Mrs. Ward

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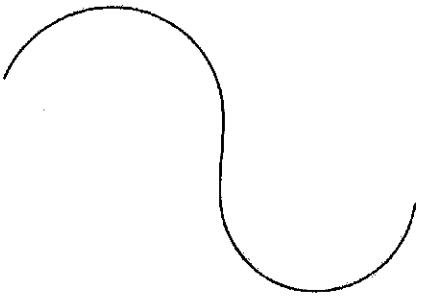
use your imagination to turn this line into a masterpiece!
write about your picture!



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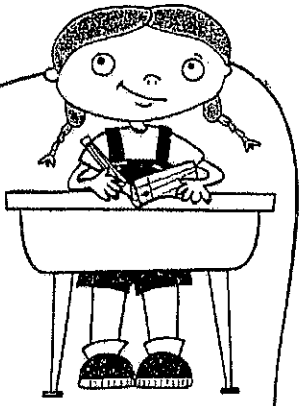
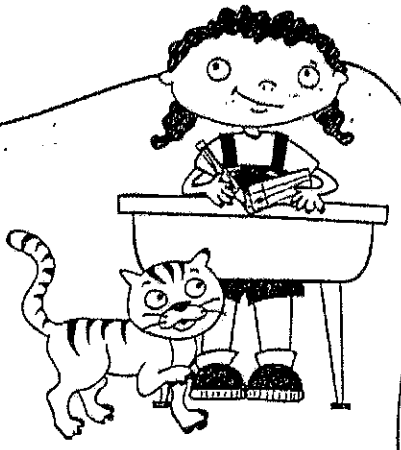
Name_____



I wish I knew how . . .

Name_____



I wish animals would . . .

Name _____ Date _____

Book Title _____

Level 2

My Favorite Part

My favorite part of the book is

I like this part because

In the box, draw a picture of your favorite part.

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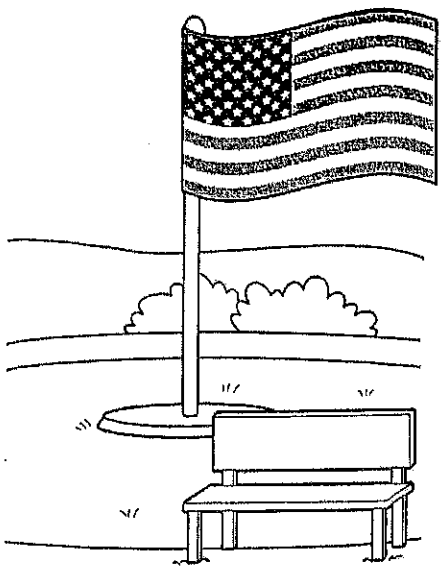
Name _____

The American Flag

Read.



Red, White, and Blue

The most well-known symbol of the United States is its flag. Some people call the United States flag the Stars and Stripes. Other people call it Old Glory or the Red, White, and Blue.

The flag has always been red, white, and blue. The first flag was made more than 200 years ago. It had 13 stars and 13 stripes. Today our flag has 13 stripes and 50 stars. Each stripe stands for one of the first colonies in America. Each star stands for one of the states. The flag has its own holiday. Flag Day is on June 14. On Flag Day, people hang flags on their homes and stores. Some places have parades to honor the flag.

Write.

1. Write two names people have for the United States flag. _____

   _____

2. What color is the flag? _____

3. How many stars are on the flag? _____ What do they stand for? _____

4. Why do people hang flags on their homes on Flag Day?

   _____

   _____

5. Would you like to be in a Flag Day parade? Why or why not?

   _____

   _____

Bonus Box: On the back of this sheet, write a sentence that tells where you might see a United States flag. Draw a picture that matches your sentence.

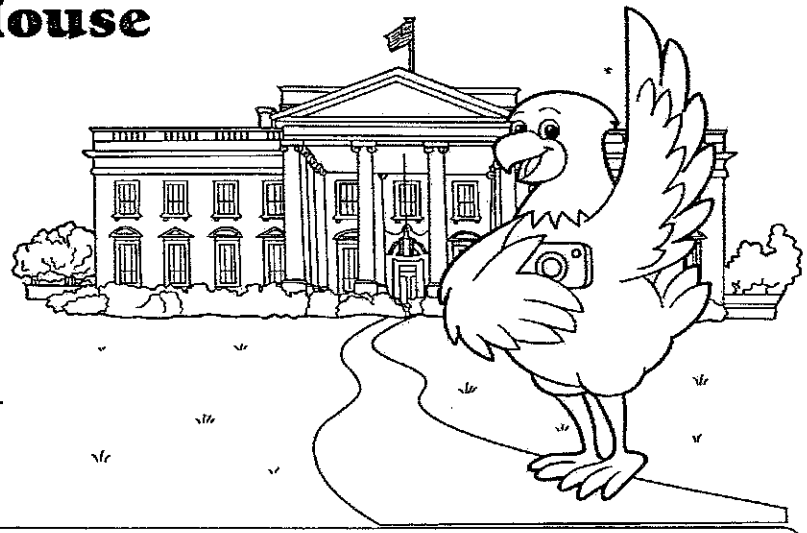
Name _____

The White House

Read.

A Home for the President

When the president watches movies or goes bowling, he doesn't have to leave home! His home has a swimming pool too. There are 132 rooms in his Washington, DC, home. A lot of the rooms are used for work. There are rooms for eating, sleeping, and watching TV too. Lots of people visit the White House each year. If you go, you will see about five rooms on the ground floor. The rest of the rooms are not for all to see. Do you think you would like to live in the White House?



Write to answer each question.

1. Who lives in the White House? _____
2. How many rooms are in the White House? _____
3. Where is the White House? _____
4. About how many rooms would you see if you visited the White House? _____
5. Reread the passage. Answer the question in the passage. _____ Explain your answer.

_____

_____

Bonus: If the president invited you to the White House, what would you like to see first? Why? Write to explain your answer.

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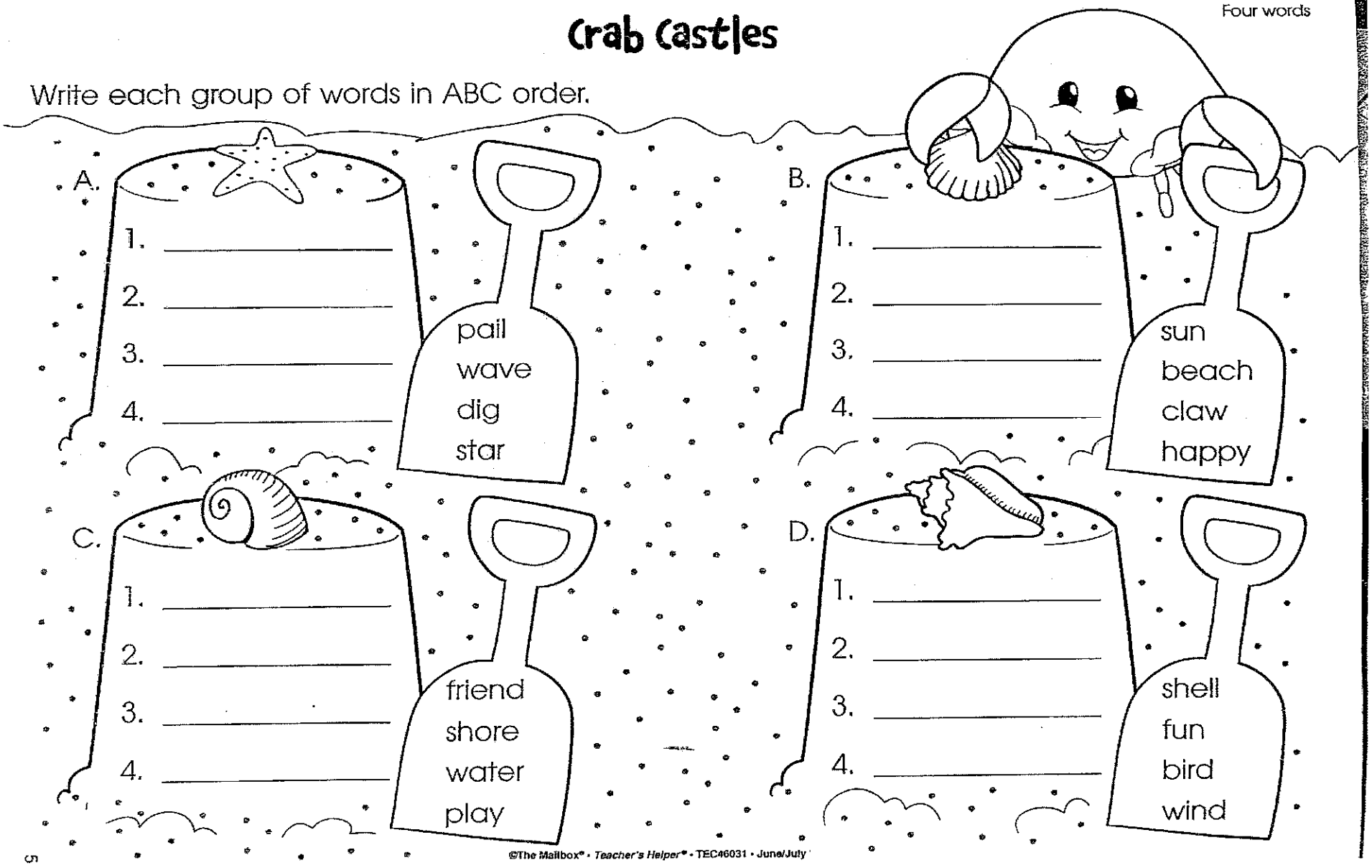
Name _____

ABC order
Four words

Crab Castles

Write each group of words in ABC order.



A.

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____

pail
wave
dig
star

B.

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____

sun
beach
claw
happy

C.

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____

friend
shore
water
play

D.

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____

shell
fun
bird
wind

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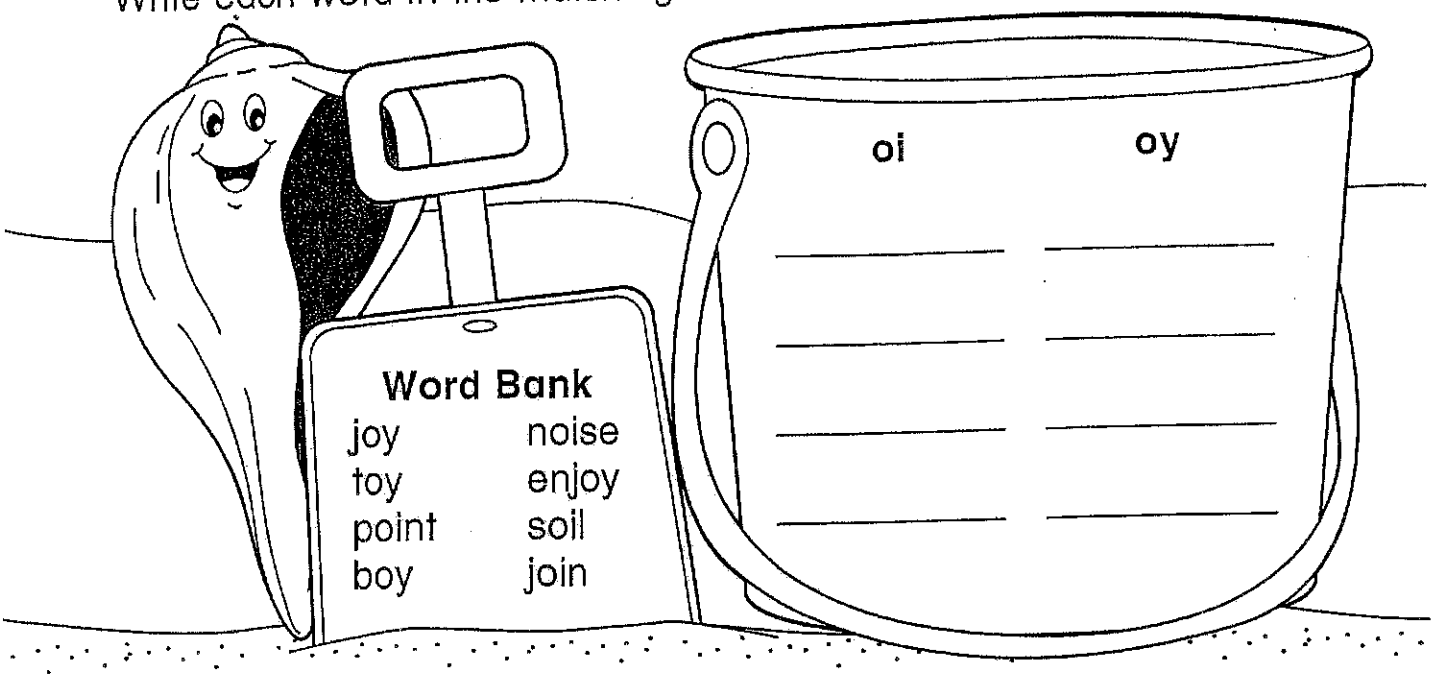
Name _____ Seashells

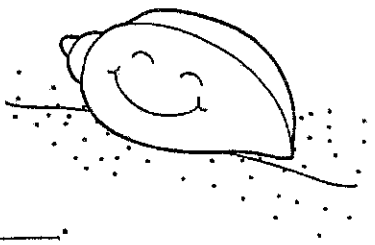
Diphthongs: *oi, oy*

Buckets of Fun

Write each word in the matching column.



Write the word that completes each sentence.



1. Do you _____ the beach?
2. I brought my _____ shovel.
3. The beach has sand, not _____.
4. I want to watch that _____ while he surfs.
5. Motor boats make a lot of _____.
6. Won't you _____ me for a swim?
7. I jumped for _____ when I found this shell.
8. This shell has a sharp _____.

Bonus: Use **oi** or **oy** to complete each word. The use each word in a sentence.

b__ __l r__ __al c__ __n

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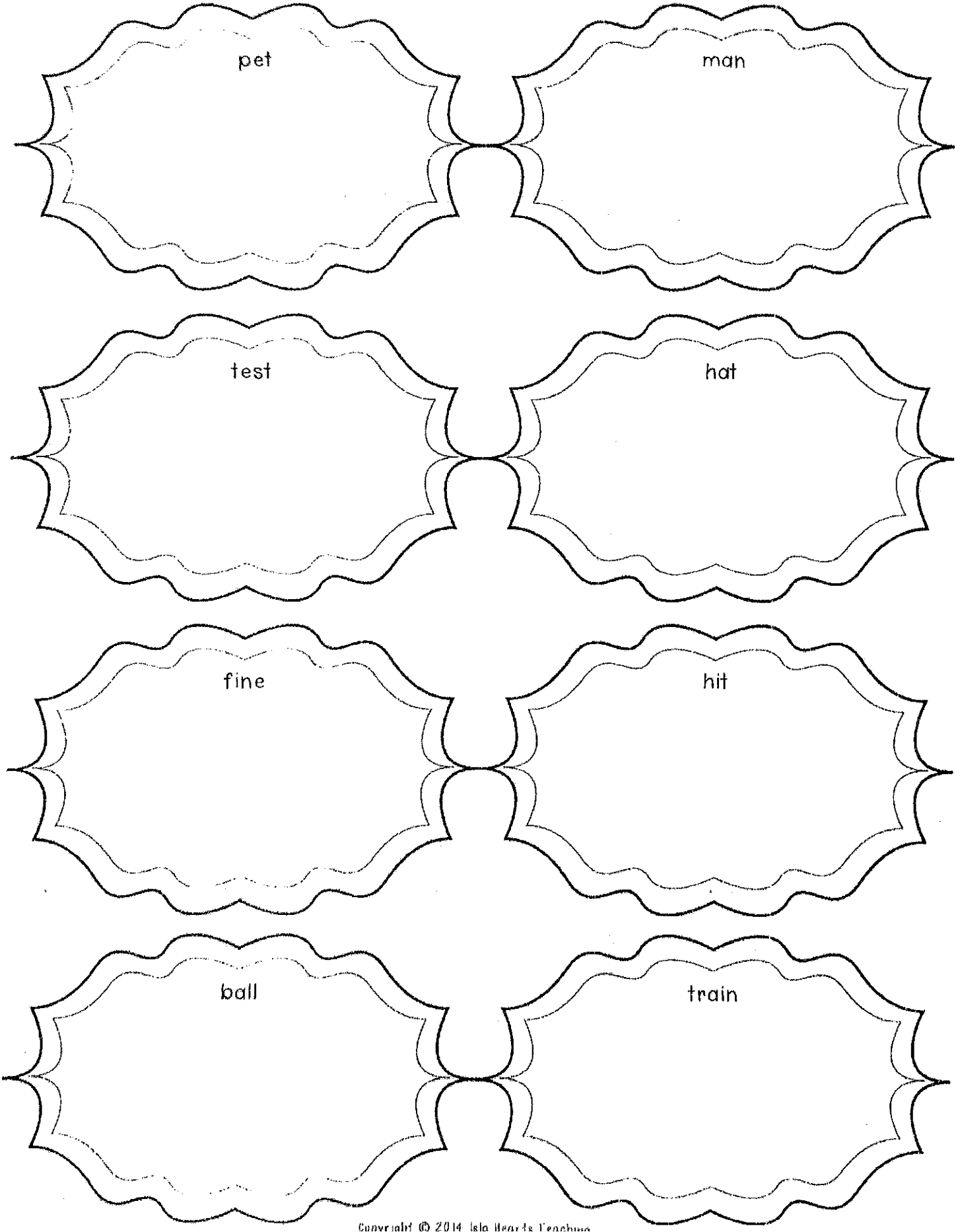
IT'S RHYME TIME!

Write as many rhyming words as you can for the following words...



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GRAMMAR SORT

Color:
common nouns – yellow
proper nouns – green
adjectives – blue
verbs - red

pencil	hairy	Japan	bottle
Friday	paper	old	Livia
fast	fly	pig	dive
Sam	cup	May	spotty
swim	jump	soft	dance

Write some common nouns, proper nouns, adjectives and verbs in the box below that were NOT in the table above.

COMMON NOUNS	PROPER NOUNS
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
ADJECTIVES	**VERBS**
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

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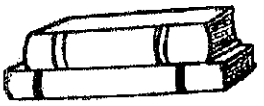
SYNONYMS and ANTONYMS

SYNONYMS – Words that have the same meaning, e.g. big/huge
ANTONYMS – Words that have the opposite meaning, e.g. big/little

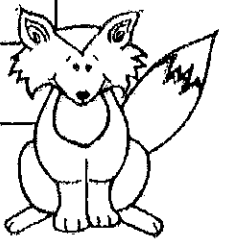
Write synonyms for the following words:

WORD	SYNONYM
pretty	
small	
neat	
kind	
bright	
enormous	
rich	



Write antonyms for the following words:

WORD	ANTONYM
old	
dark	
heavy	
happy	
mean	
rough	
serious	



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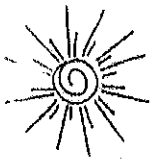
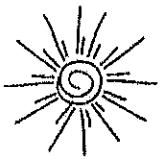
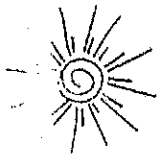
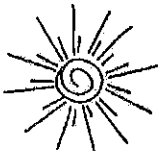
Compound Word MATCH



up	ever
every	thing
out	green
no	one
book	sand
what	shelf
quick	side
ever	stairs
wheel	ground
under	chair

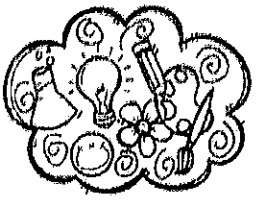






Write the compound words you have created...

ODD WORD OUT



Circle the odd word out in each line.
Write a reason why it's the odd word out on the line below.

a) sun moon star planet ice-cream Earth

b) baby rollercoaster teenager child adult

c) donut tomato lettuce potato banana

d) Sandra Alison Bryan Mary Susan Laura

e) mouse marble matches olives mother

f) duckling piglet kitten puppy horse

g) tent motorbike cabin house castle

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SIGHT WORDS MAZE

Start at the word "HER" and color a path through the maze until you arrive at "BLUE". Remember to only color words that have the correct spelling!

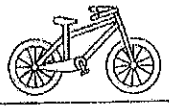
her	him	thay	yor	heer	ther	bort	their	of	who
kan	see	sei	mi	hee	ren	stad	there	ov	just
plad	you	poot	sed	ur	away	play	here	ar	on
whent	your	furn	har	yut	when	awai	thay	cume	from
wen	gave	went	the	howt	my	whent	lin	she	but
jiant	giv	soo	who	hort	so	thingk	liv	he	brot
hav	ovar	orll	were	yor	yes	playd	out	they	u
berl	moovi	al	where	why	are	ar	can	eer	bloo
ov	choo	sume	luv	wen	thun	trea	hear	calld	mon
deb	sav	sune	hoo	reb	hite	rit	over	right	blue

Write the sight words you found...

TYPES OF TRANSPORT

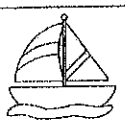
Sort these words under each heading.

bus, ship, helicopter, car, train, surfboard, airplane, jet ski, bicycle, motorcycle, taxi, van, ambulance, boat, hot-air balloon, jet, glider, submarine, truck, skateboard, ferry, rocket, tugboat, yacht, cruise ship, space shuttle



LAND TRANSPORT

SEA TRANSPORT



AIR TRANSPORT

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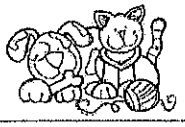
ANIMALS, PLANTS, SHELTERS

Sort these words under each heading.

hut, rabbit, violet, alligator, oak, igloo, dog, magnolia, houseboat, daisy, tent, caravan, cow, horse, treehouse, rose, lion, tiger, pine, palm, jaguar, mansion, cabin



ANIMALS

PLANTS

SHELTERS

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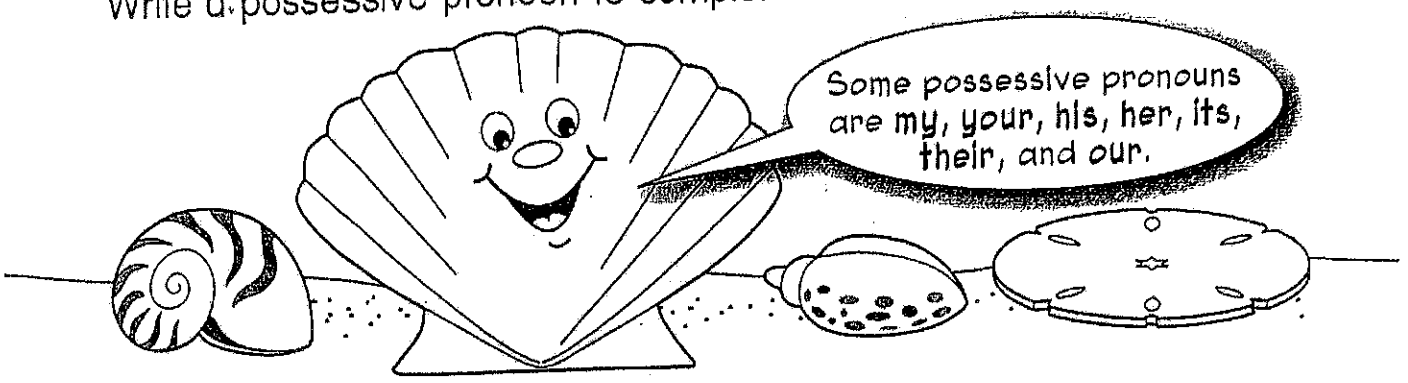
Name _____ Seashells

Possessive pronouns

Who Found the Seashells?

Write a possessive pronoun to complete each sentence.



1. Do these shells belong to you? Are they _____ shells?
2. Henry moved into a new house. It is _____ house.
3. Sam and Dan share a home. It is _____ home.
4. Pam lives in the big boat. It is _____ boat.
5. We found some conch shells. They are _____ shells.
6. Rick bought a blue sea star. It is _____ sea star.
7. I have lots of shells. They are _____ shells.
8. This handle is on the red beach bag. It is _____ handle.
9. Did you find this clam? Is it _____ clam?
10. He gave these pails to you. Now they are _____ pails.
11. I bought this beach towel. It is _____ beach towel.
12. Pam and Sam brought a picnic basket. It is _____ picnic basket.

Bonus: Write three sentences. Use a possessive pronoun in each one.

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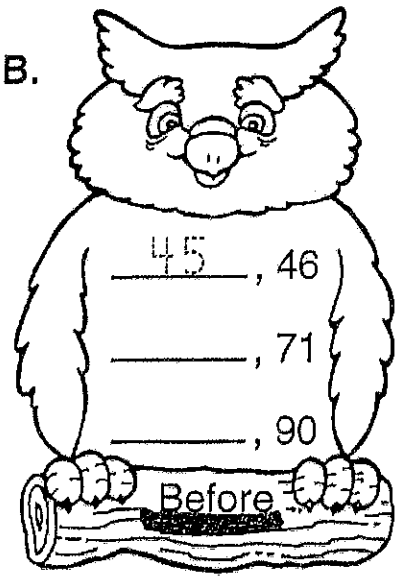
Who Knows the Numbers?

Write the missing numbers.

A.

1	2	3	4						
				15			18		
21					26				
	32								
								49	
						57			
			64						70
					76				
							88		
	92								

B.



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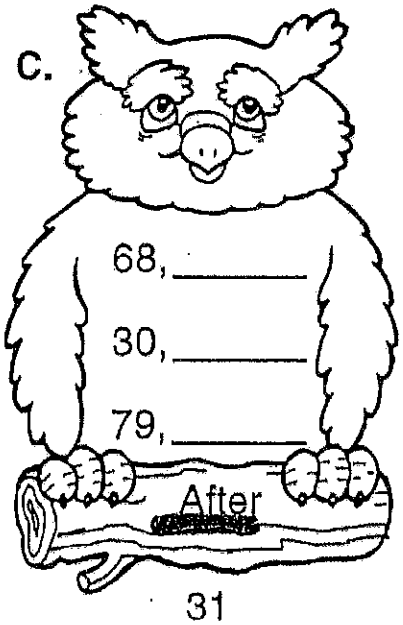

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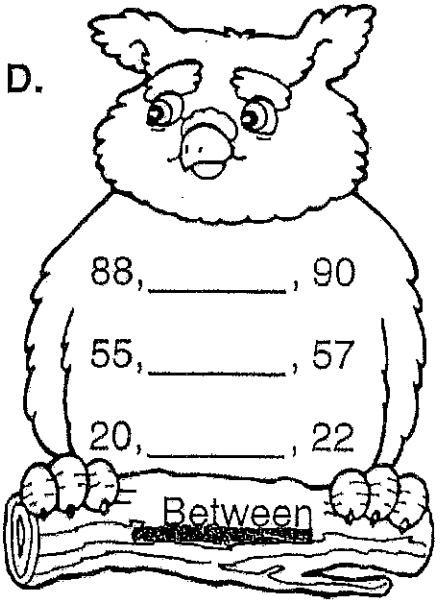

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NAME _____

Lesson 4.8 Skip Counting

Count forward. Write the missing numbers.

36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46

42, 44, ____, 48, 50, ____, 54, 56, ____, ____, 62, 64

____, 28, 30, ____, 34, 36, ____, 40, 42, 44, ____, 48

20, 25, ____, 35, 40, ____, 50, ____, 60, 65, ____, 75

____, 10, 15, ____, 25, 30, 35, ____, 45, 50, 55, ____

____, 20, 30, ____, 50, ____, 70, 80, ____

Count backward. Write the missing numbers.

79, ____, 77, 76, ____, 74, 73, 72, ____, 70, 69, ____

84, ____, 80, 78, ____, 74, 72, 70, ____, ____, 64, 62

24, 22, ____, 18, 16, ____, 12, ____, 8, 6, ____, 2

95, ____, 85, 80, ____, 70, 65, ____, ____, 50, 45, 40

75, 70, ____, 60, 55, ____, 45, 40, 35, ____, 25, ____

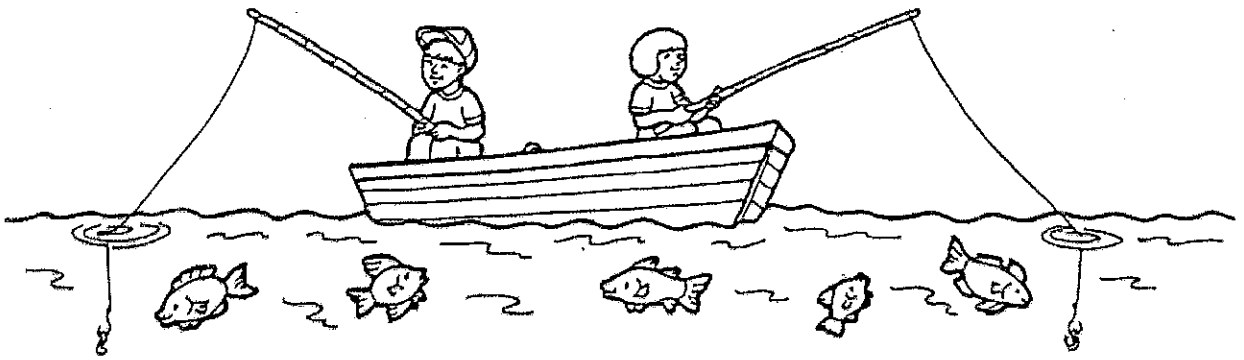
90, ____, 70, 60, ____, ____, 30, ____, 10

Name _____ Addition facts to 10

Fishing for Sums

Add.

A.	0 + 10 10	3 + 6	8 + 2	9 + 0	4 + 5	5 + 2	4 + 3	7 + 2
B.	0 + 8	5 + 4	3 + 7	4 + 6	5 + 3	2 + 8	3 + 1	3 + 4
C.	7 + 3	5 + 5	0 + 9	6 + 2	10 + 0	1 + 7	2 + 6	3 + 3
D.	4 + 4	8 + 1	3 + 5	9 + 1	6 + 4	1 + 5	2 + 3	2 + 6
E.	7 + 1	1 + 8	6 + 3	8 + 0	2 + 7	1 + 9	2 + 2	3 + 5



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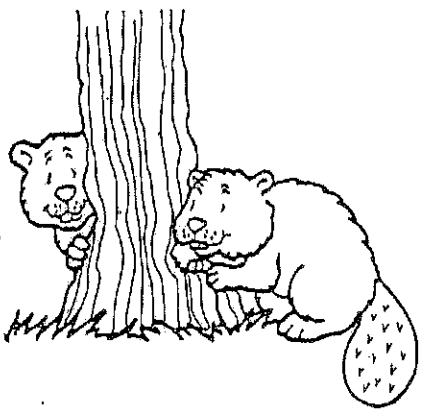
Busy Beavers



Subtract.

A.

7	5	6	8	9
−1	−2	−3	−2	−0
6				

B.

8	9	10	6	7	9	5	3
−4	−2	− 4	−5	−3	−5	−1	−2

C.

10	6	9	10	8	7	9	4
−3	−4	−3	− 2	−1	−2	−5	−0
							4

D.

5	7	8	10	4	5	2	4
−4	−5	−6	− 8	−1	−3	−2	−2

E. 10 − 5 = _____ 9 − 1 = _____ 8 − 3 = _____

F. 9 − 4 = _____ 10 − 6 = _____ 7 − 4 = _____

G. 10 − 1 = _____ 8 − 5 = _____ 10 − 0 = _____

H. 9 − 6 = _____ 6 − 1 = _____ 10 − 7 = _____

I. 6 − 2 = _____ 8 − 0 = _____ 8 − 7 = _____

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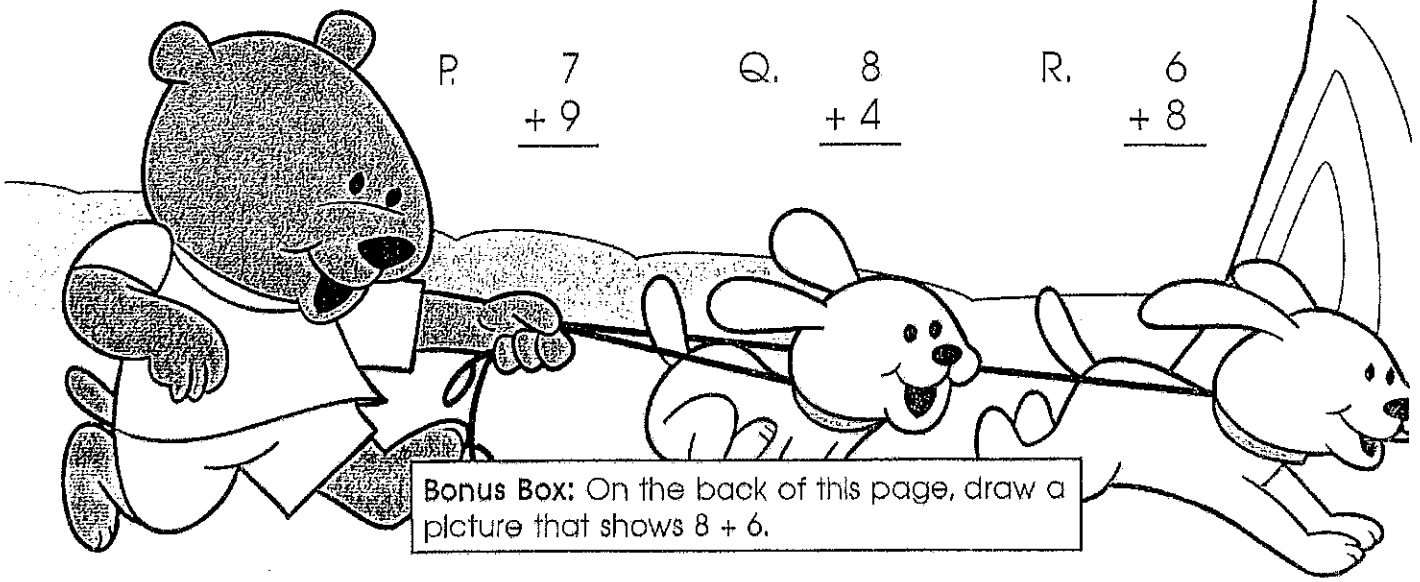
Name _____

Walking the Dogs

Addition to 18

Add.

A. 6 + 4	B. 9 + 8	C. 8 + 5	
D. 5 + 9	E. 3 + 7	F. 9 + 4	G. 8 + 8
H. 6 + 7	I. 9 + 9	J. 7 + 5	K. 9 + 6
L. 8 + 7	M. 5 + 5	N. 9 + 3	O. 8 + 9
P. 7 + 9	Q. 8 + 4	R. 6 + 8	



Bonus Box: On the back of this page, draw a picture that shows 8 + 6.

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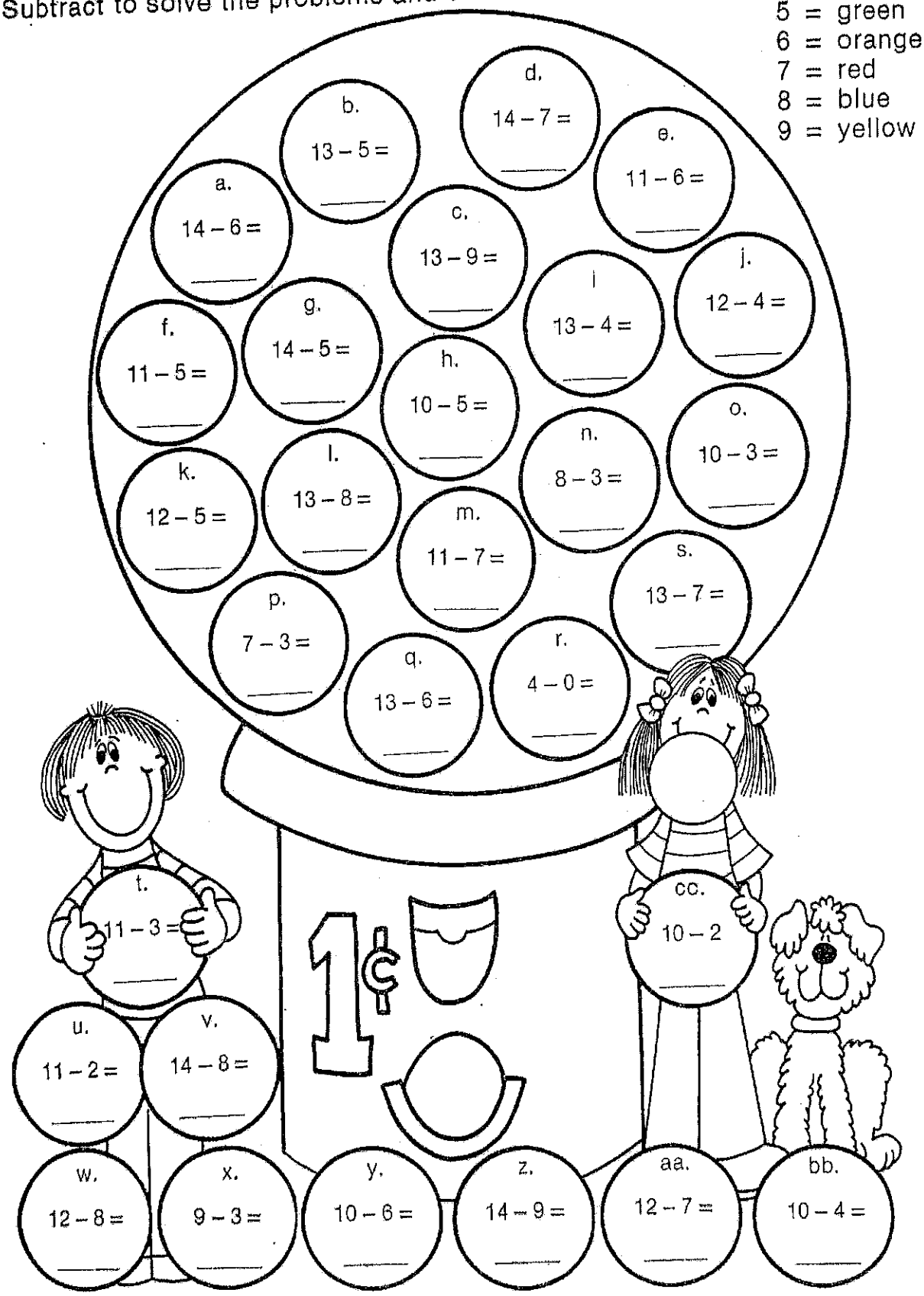
Name _____

Subtract to solve the problems and color:

4 = purple
5 = green
6 = orange
7 = red
8 = blue
9 = yellow



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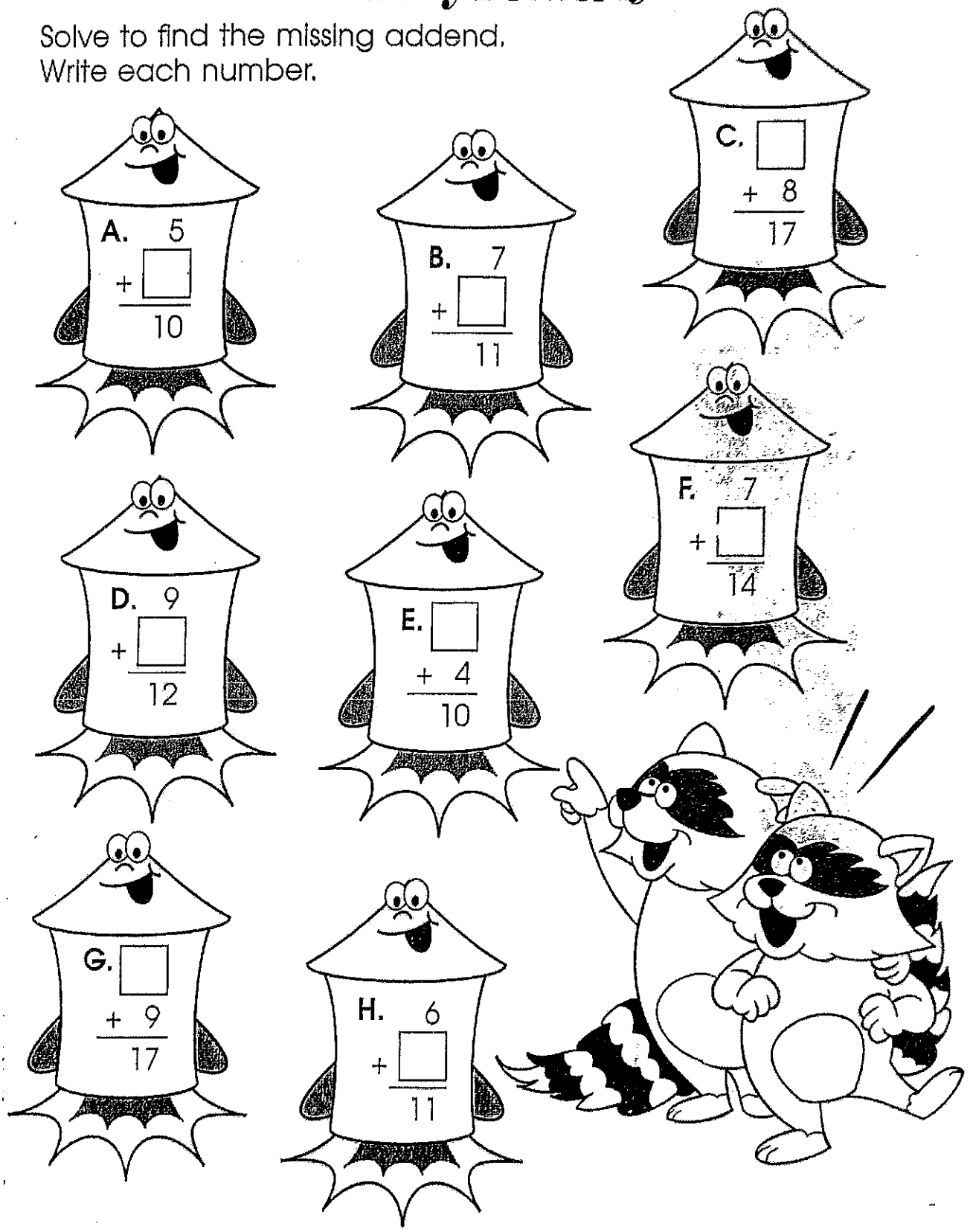
Name _____

Missing addends

Fancy Fireworks

Solve to find the missing addend.
Write each number.



Practice 7

To discover a secret message, find the sums. Then place each letter in the matching numbered space.

A.	B.	C.	D.	E.	G.
21 + 21	23 + 12	51 + 10	15 + 14	10 + 10	26 + 11

I.	L.	M.	N.	O.	R.
31 + 20	42 + 11	51 + 41	53 + 31	24 + 43	21 + 10

S.	T.	U.	W.	Y.
33 + 33	13 + 12	24 + 15	34 + 14	62 + 10

___	___	___	___	___	___	___	___	___	___	___	___	___	___	___	___!
61	67	84	37	31	42	25	39	53	42	25	51	67	84	66	
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84	39	92	35	20	31	66									

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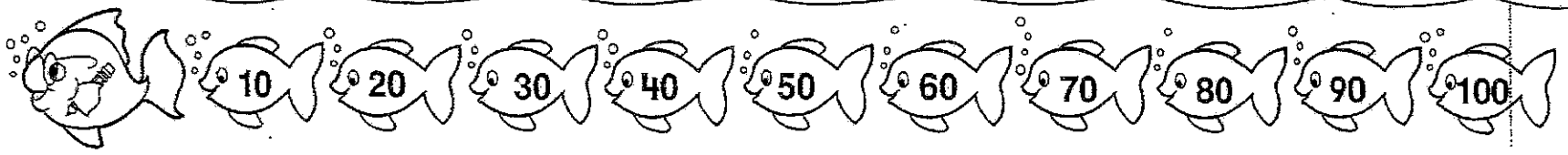
Grade 1

Subtracting multiples of ten (1.NBT.C.6)

Swim School

Subtract.



A 40 − 20	B 60 − 30	C 20 − 10	D 50 − 40	E 70 − 30
F 30 − 20	G 60 − 40	H 80 − 40	I 40 − 10	J 90 − 80
K 70 − 50	L 60 − 20	M 90 − 10	N 80 − 30	O 100 − 40

Bonus: Solve the problem. Show how you know. **100 − 50**

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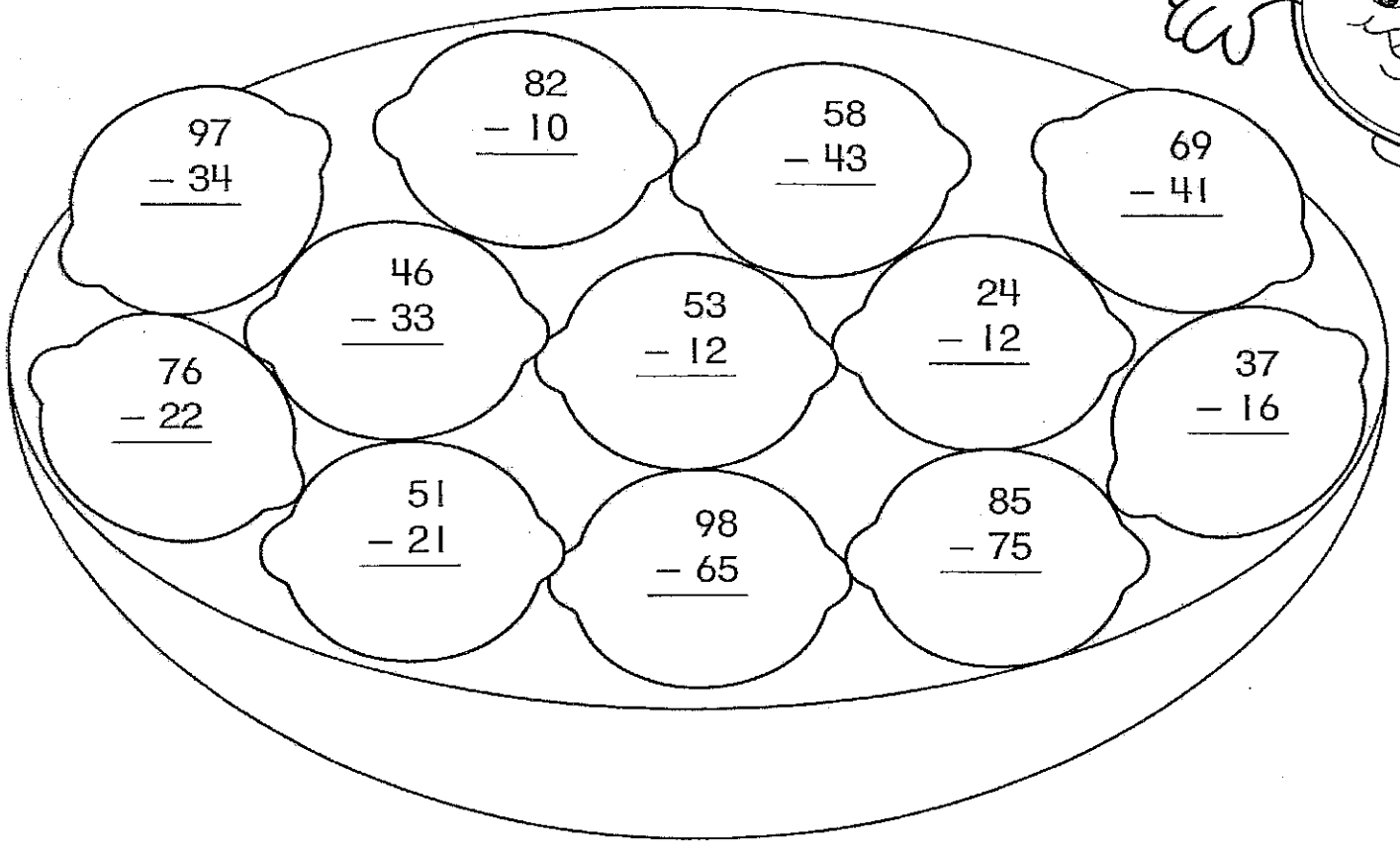
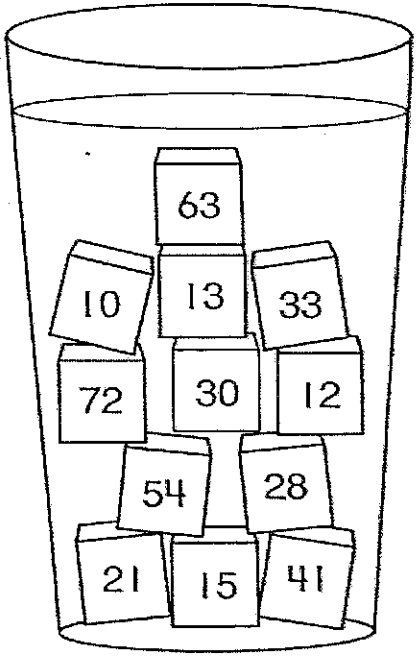
Lemonade

Two-digit subtraction without regrouping

A Bowl Full of Lemons

Subtract.
Color each ice cube with a matching answer.





Bonus Box: Mom bought 46 lemons. She used 15 lemons. How many lemons are left? _____

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Bees

Counting coins

Flower to Flower

Count. Write each amount.
Color the matching flower.

A. _____ ¢

B. _____ ¢

C. _____ ¢

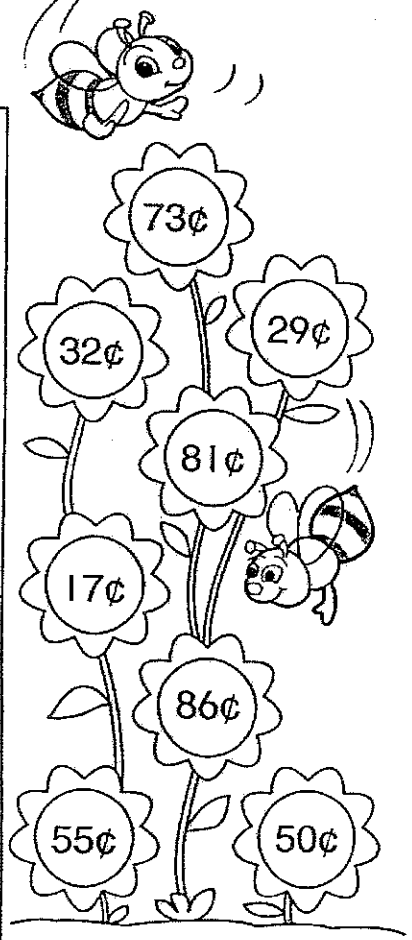
D. _____ ¢

E. _____ ¢

F. _____ ¢

G. _____ ¢

H. _____ ¢



Bonus: How many quarters equal the same amount as five dimes?

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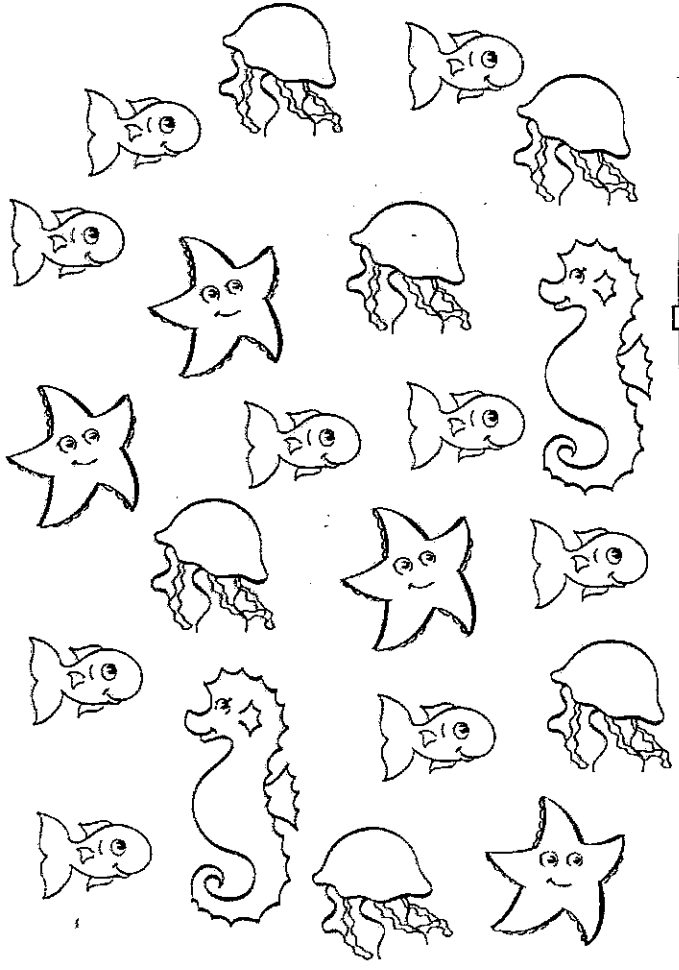
Undersea Treasure

Tally the sea creatures.
Color to complete the bar graph.



Tally	
jellyfish	
sea horse	
starfish	
fish	

Sea Creatures

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
jellyfish										
sea horse										
starfish										
fish										

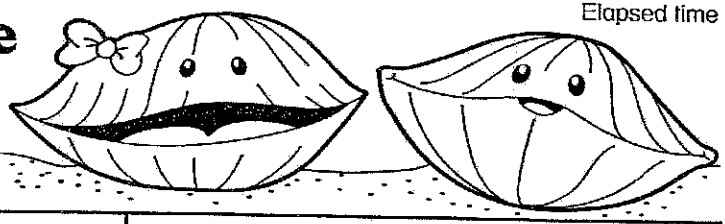
Number of Sea Creatures

Name _____

Seashells

Elapsed time

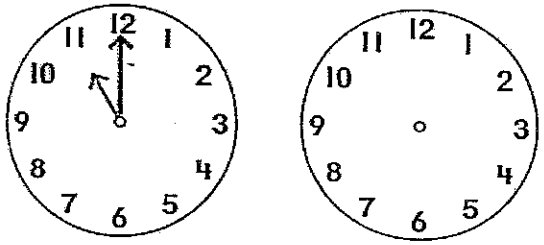
Beach Time



Read.
Look at each start time. Then write each end time.
Draw clock hands to match each time.

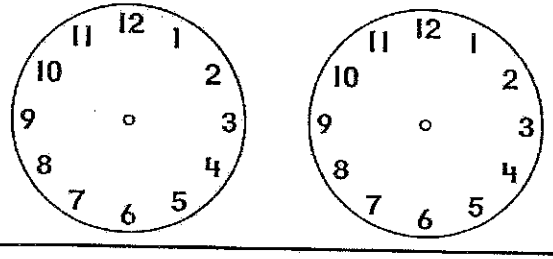
A. Sammy and Clammy stay at the beach for 5 hours.

Start → 11:00 **End →** _____



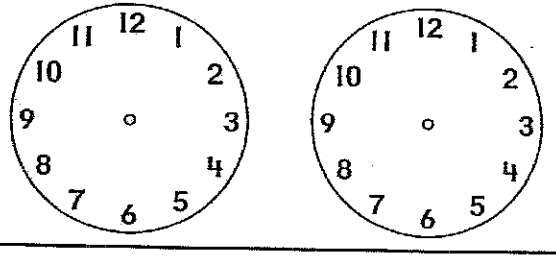
B. Clammy collects shells for $1\frac{1}{2}$ hours.

Start → 11:30 **End →** _____



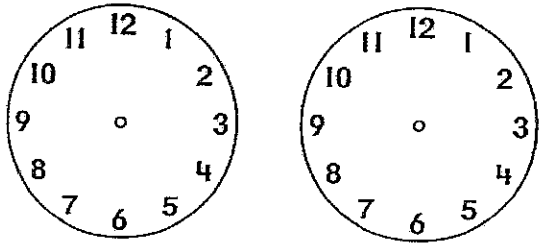
C. Sammy surfs for $2\frac{1}{2}$ hours.

Start → 12:00 **End →** _____



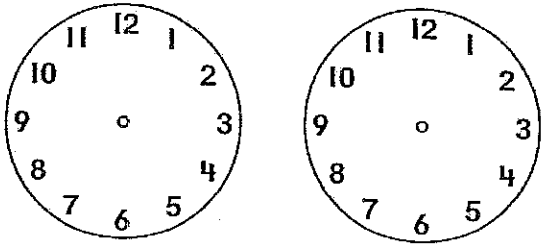
D. Clammy swims for 1 hour.

Start → 1:30 **End →** _____



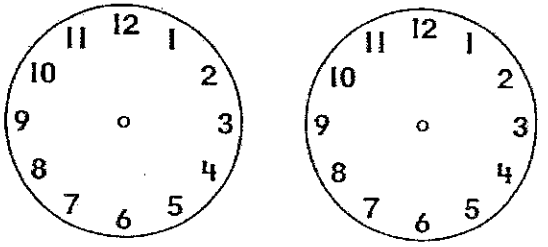
E. Sammy falls asleep for $\frac{1}{2}$ hour.

Start → 3:00 **End →** _____



F. Clammy and Sammy read for 2 hours.

Start → 4:30 **End →** _____



Bonus: Gus gets to the beach at 10:30 and leaves at 6:00. How many hours does he spend at the beach?

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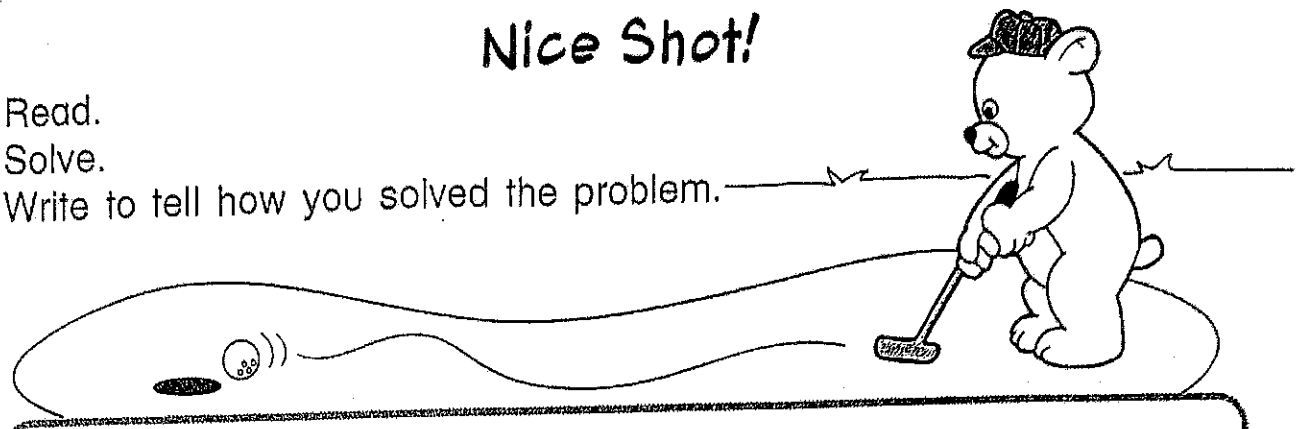
Name _____ Addition

Three addends with word problems (1.OA.A.2)

Nice Shot!



Read.
Solve.
Write to tell how you solved the problem.

A. Bear loses 3 balls in the woods, 4 balls in the lake, and 1 ball in the sand. How many balls does Bear lose in all?

_____ + _____ + _____ = _____

B. Bear plays 5 games on Monday, 2 games on Thursday, and 3 games on Saturday. How many games does Bear play altogether?

_____ + _____ + _____ = _____

C. Bear sees 2 friends in the morning, 2 friends in the afternoon, and 5 friends at night. How many friends does Bear see in all?

_____ + _____ + _____ = _____

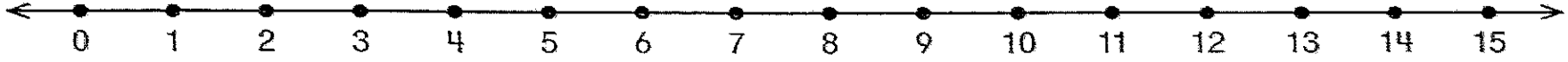
Bonus: Pick a problem from above. Draw or write to show a different way to solve the problem.

Name _____ Addition

Three addends with a number line (1.OA.A.2)

On the Go

Add.
Use the number line to help.

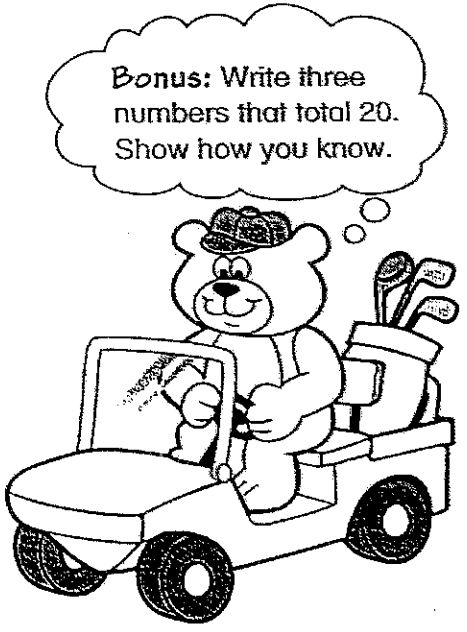


(A)	7		(B)	3		(C)	2		(D)	4		(E)	3		(F)	5		(G)	4	
	0			9			5			2			0			5			2	
	+ 1			+ 2			+ 2			+ 6			+ 3			+ 4			+ 4	

(H)	5	(I)	4	(J)	3	(K)	4	(L)	1		
	0		5		7		1		5		
	+ 5		+ 1		+ 5		+ 2		+ 1		

Solve. Show how you know.

Bear sees 9 birds on the course. A friend sees 1 bird, and another friend sees 4 birds. How many birds do Bear and his friends see in all?



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Ready to Eat?

Write the missing number.
Color the number on the basket.

A. $\square + 3 = 12$

B. $\square + 6 = 15$

C. $8 + \square = 13$

D. $7 + \square = 12$

E. $\square + 9 = 16$

F. $9 + \square = 13$

G. $\square + 7 = 14$

H. $8 + \square = 16$

I. $\square + 6 = 12$

J. $7 + \square = 13$

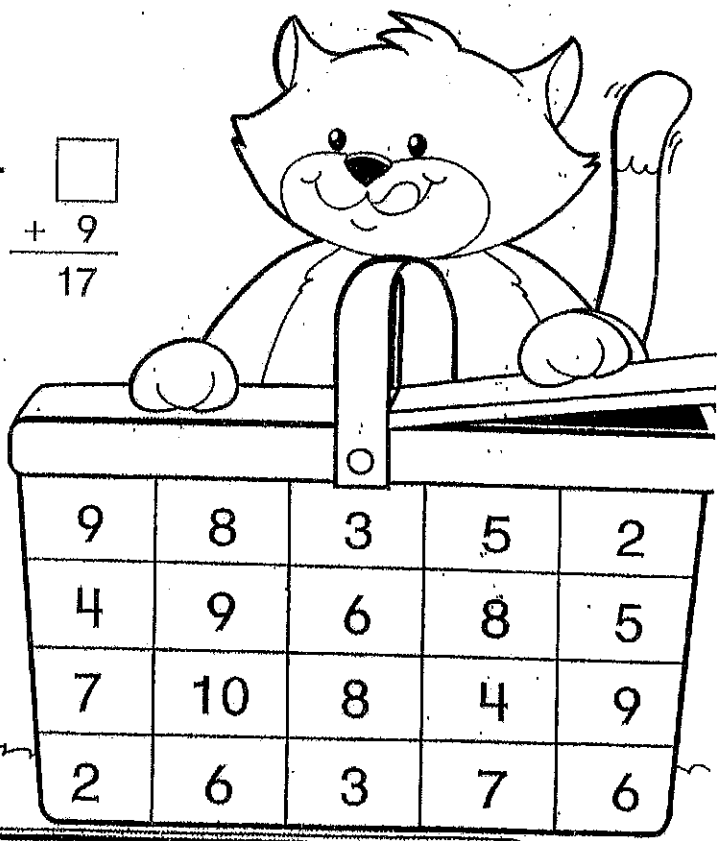
K. $9 + \square = 19$

L. $\square + 7 = 15$

M. $\square + 9 = 17$

N. $\square + 8 = 14$

O. $9 + \square = 18$



9	8	3	5	2
4	9	6	8	5
7	10	8	4	9
2	6	3	7	6

Bonus: Use each number you did not color in an addition sentence.

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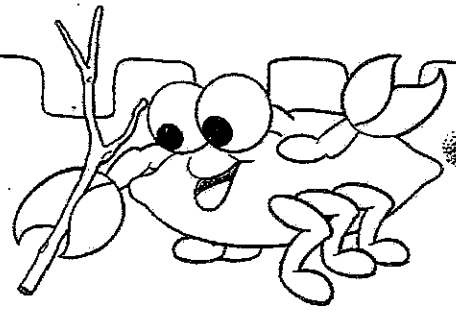
Using addition to subtract

Sandy's Castle

Complete each number sentence.



4 + 3 = 7

7 − 4 = ___

A 2 + ____ = 9 9 − 2 = ____	**B** 4 + ____ = 11 11 − 4 = ____	**C** 5 + ____ = 7 7 − 5 = ____	**D** 4 + ____ = 13 13 − 4 = ____
E 6 + ____ = 10 10 − 6 = ____	**F** 7 + ____ = 8 8 − 7 = ____	**G** 4 + ____ = 14 14 − 4 = ____	**H** 5 + ____ = 12 12 − 5 = ____
I 6 + ____ = 11 11 − 6 = ____	**J** 3 + ____ = 15 15 − 3 = ____	**K** 8 + ____ = 16 16 − 8 = ____	**L** 6 + ____ = 9 9 − 6 = ____

Bonus: Pick one pair of number sentences from above. Show how you know the answer.

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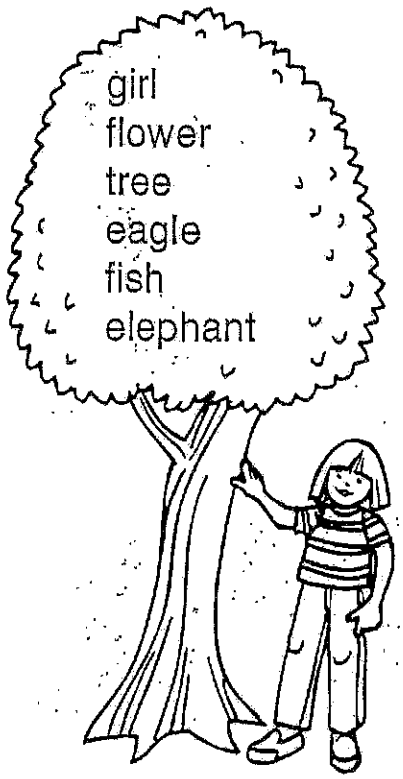
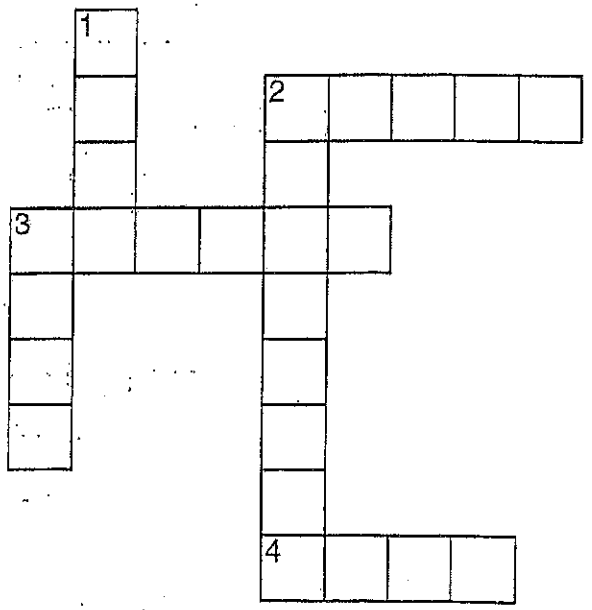
Name _____

Living Things

Read the clues and use the words in the tree to complete the puzzle.





Across

2. I can fly.
3. I am a plant.
   I have petals and smell pretty.
4. I have a trunk, leaves, and branches.

Down

1. I am a person.
2. I am a large gray animal with a long trunk and big, floppy ears.
3. I live in the water and can swim.

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