



Let's start Week 3

Fluency in operations — addition, subtraction, multiplication and division — is an essential mathematical building block.

Maths fact fluency is the ability to automatically recall basic maths facts, including number bonds to 10 or 20, their subtractive opposites, the times tables and related division facts. There are four elements of fluency: flexibility, appropriate strategy use, efficiency and accuracy. These elements differentiate maths fact fluency from traditional rote learning. Improvements in this area flow through to all other maths lessons. Students who know their number facts are more confident and engaged mathematicians. This week we begin to suggest levels for your child to complete in our maths fact fluency section: **Mental Minute**.

The **Mathseeds** lessons teach concepts and strategies for operations and give children plenty of opportunities to practise their skills. However, the **Mental Minute** section is purely focused on developing fluency with maths facts. It provides regular practise for short periods of time – a key to developing maths fact fluency.

The **Mathseeds Mental Minute Sprints** are a powerful tool to improve maths fact fluency. In one minute, students focus on one set of maths facts and are motivated to improve their score to earn badges. They can only do this by improving both their *speed and accuracy*. The **Mental Minute** online format is fun, full of rewards and, most importantly, easy to play.

- 145 carefully sequenced sprints.
- All students start from the beginning to ensure complete fact mastery.
- As students make progress, the question sets become more challenging.
- Each Mental Minute set takes one minute to complete.
- Each new set includes new questions while also revising previous facts.
- Students will be motivated to earn the colourful badges as they build number fact fluency.
- With one-, two- and three-star levels to earn, students are focused and challenged to improve their instant recall of essential maths facts.

Encourage your child to earn a badge or two every time they log in to Mathseeds.

This booklet is the third of ten weekly booklets. The **Mathseeds** Back On Track programme provides a great way to make sure that your child knows the essentials they need. We know your child will enjoy learning on **Mathseeds** because **Mathseeds** makes learning fun!

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Back On Track for Year 3

Week 3

Day 1 focus: Addition Algorithms Online lesson: Lesson 120 – Addition 1 Worksheets: 2-digit + 1-digit Algorithms, Addition Algorithms

Day 2 focus: 3-D Shape Views Online lesson: Lesson 121 – 3-D Shapes: Different Views Worksheets: Different Views, Attributes

Day 3 focus: Comparing Numbers Online lesson: Lesson 122 – Greater Than or Less Than Worksheets: Equal or Not Equal, Greater Than or Less Than

Day 4 focus: 5 Minute Time Online lesson: Lesson 123 – Time: 5 Minute Intervals Worksheets: 5 Minute Times, Time Word Problems

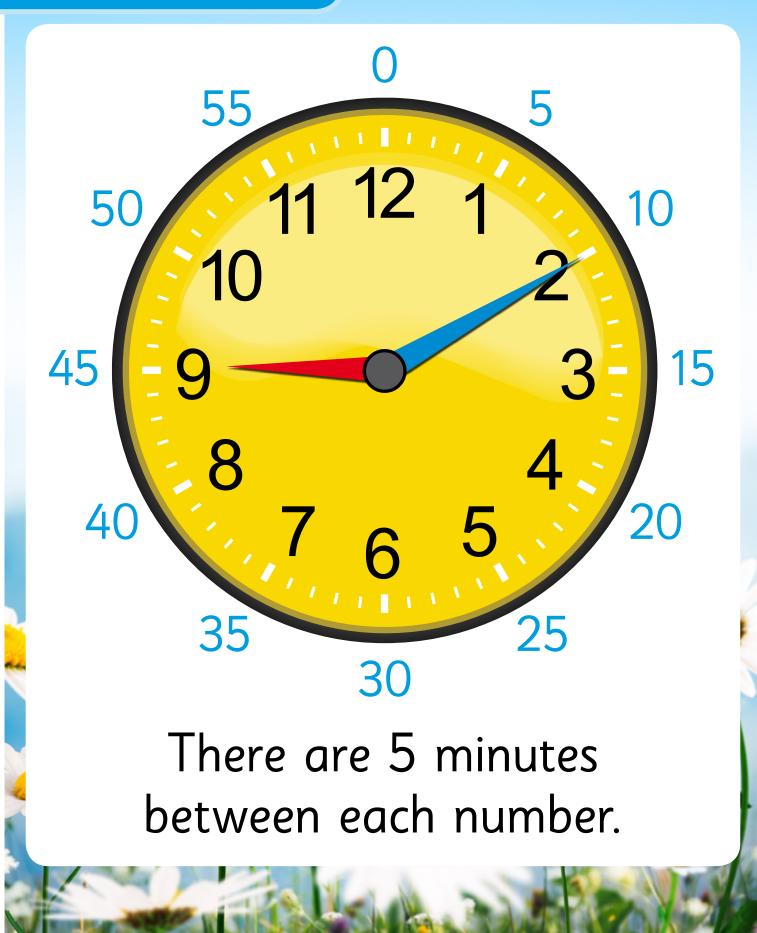
Day 5 focus: Subtraction Algorithms Online lesson: Lesson 124 – Subtraction 3 Worksheets: 2-digit – 1-digit Algorithms, 2-digit Subtraction

Week 3 Bonus

Poster: Five Minute Times Online: Mental Minute + – Badge 89, Driving Tests Grade 2 Measurement 9 & 10, Geometry 1–5 and Number 1–15 Sheets: Mystery Object, Mystery Numbers, Waldo's Dessert Hands-on: 4 Dice Difference

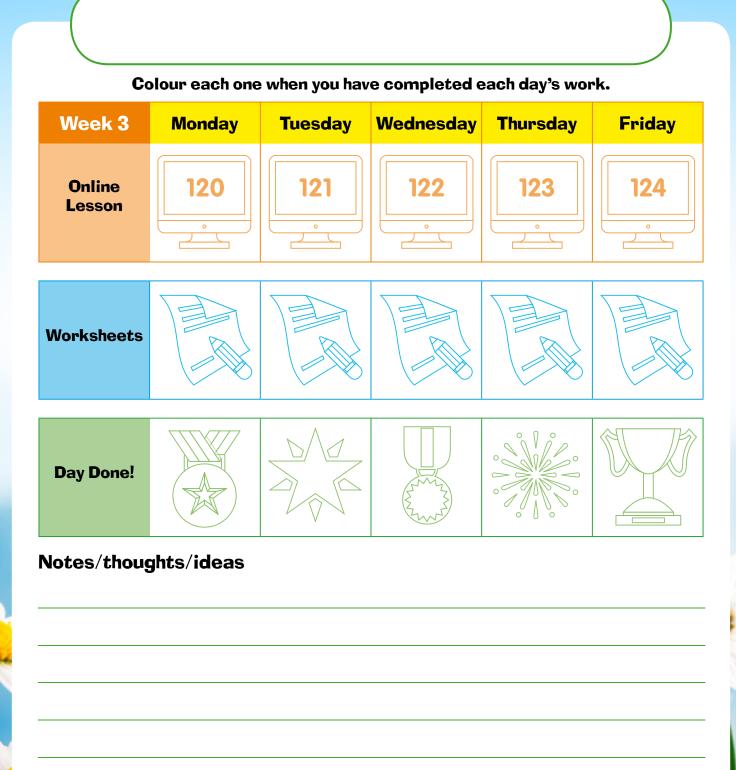
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Five Minute Times



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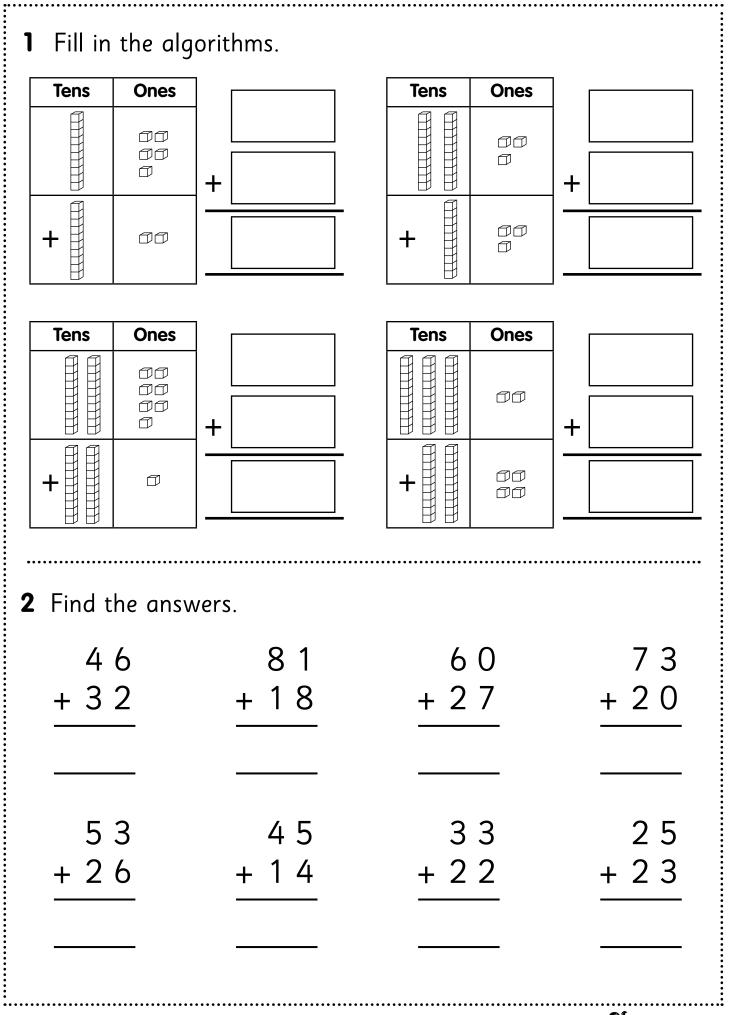


2-DIGIT + 1-DIGIT ALGORITHMS

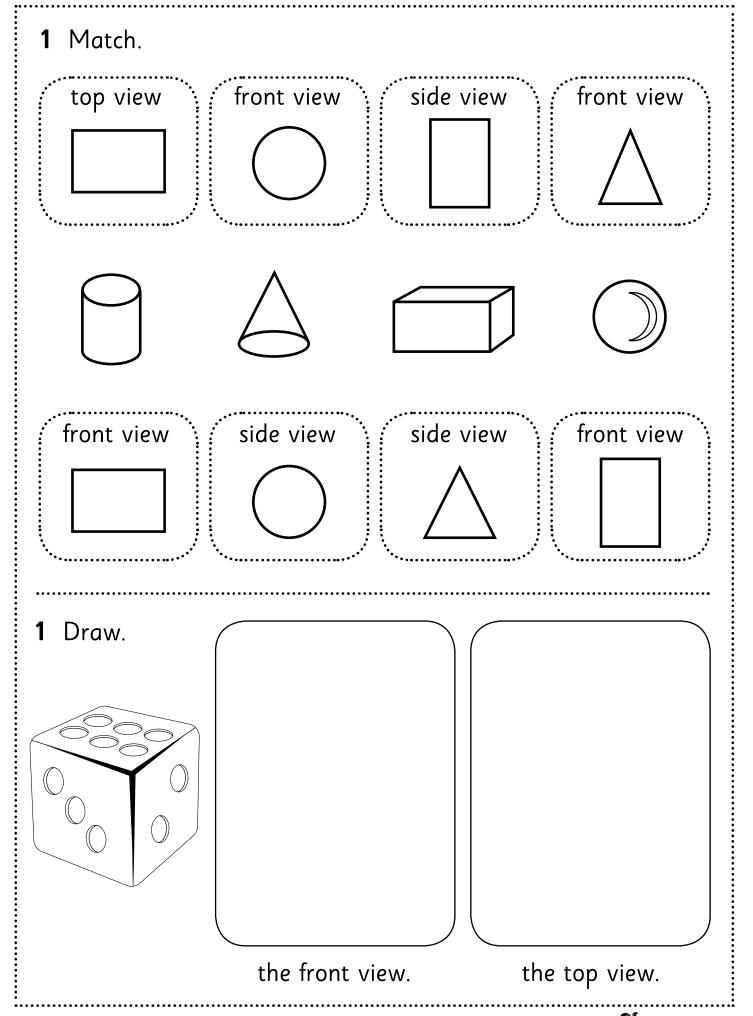
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2-DIGIT ADDITION ALGORITHMS



DIFFERENT VIEWS



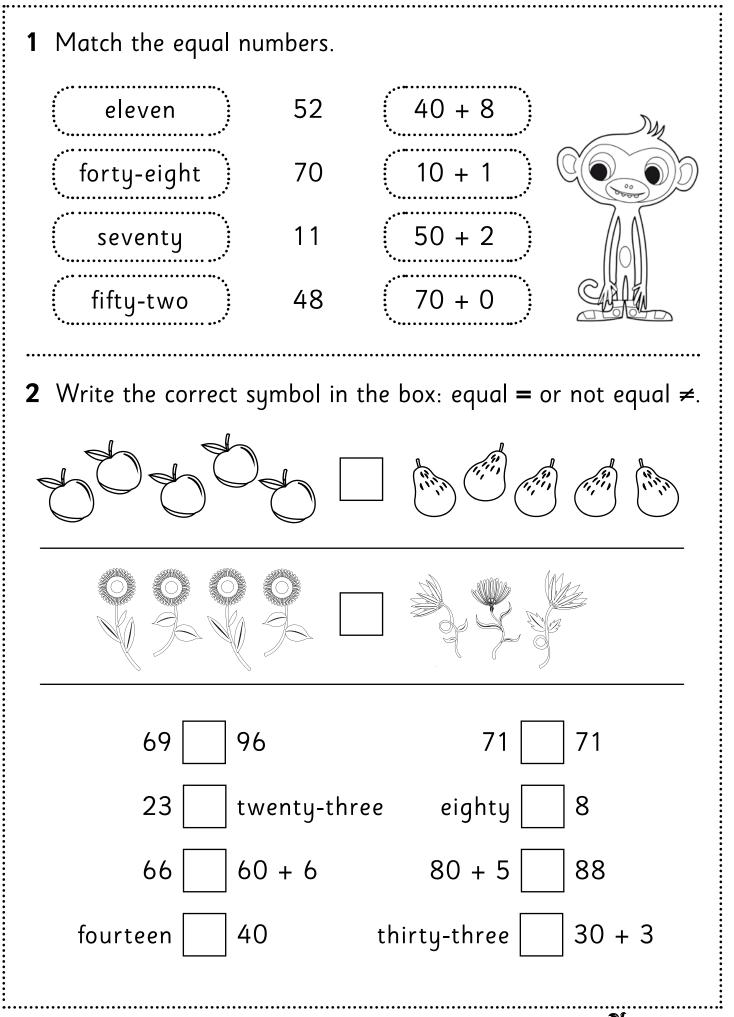
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ATTRIBUTES

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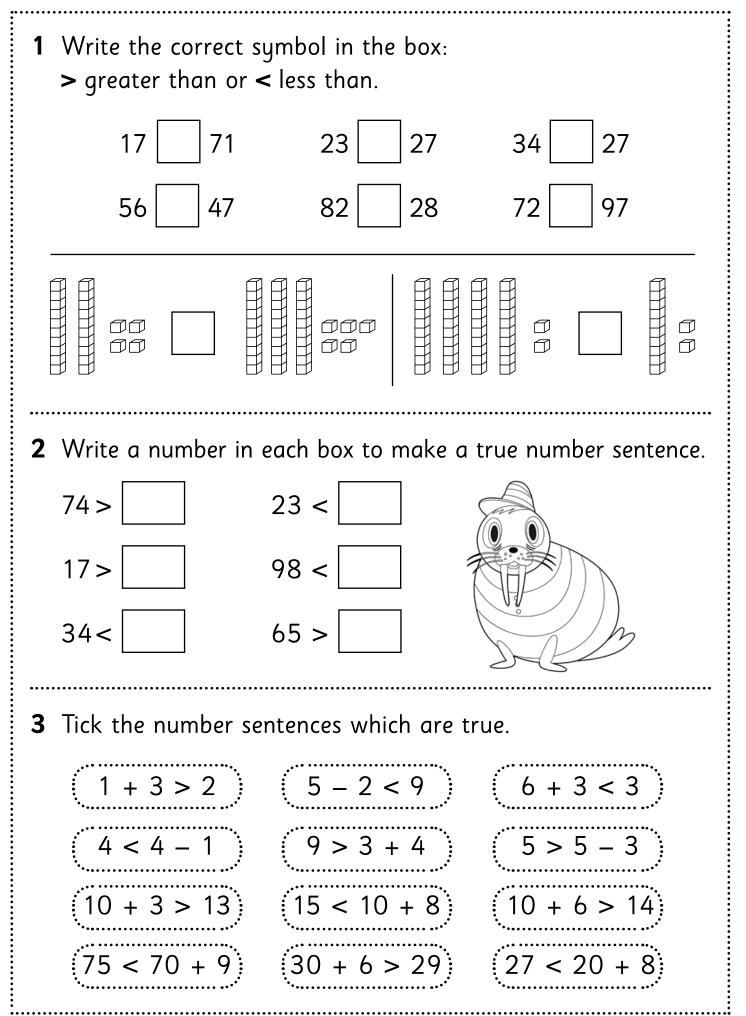
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EQUAL OR NOT EQUAL



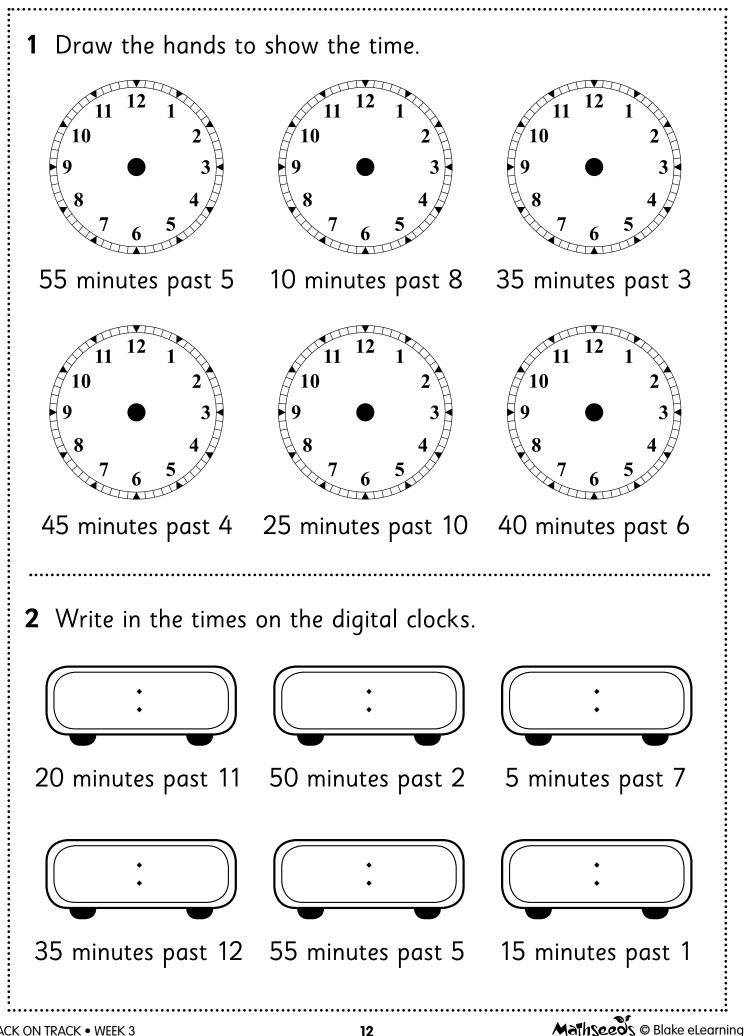
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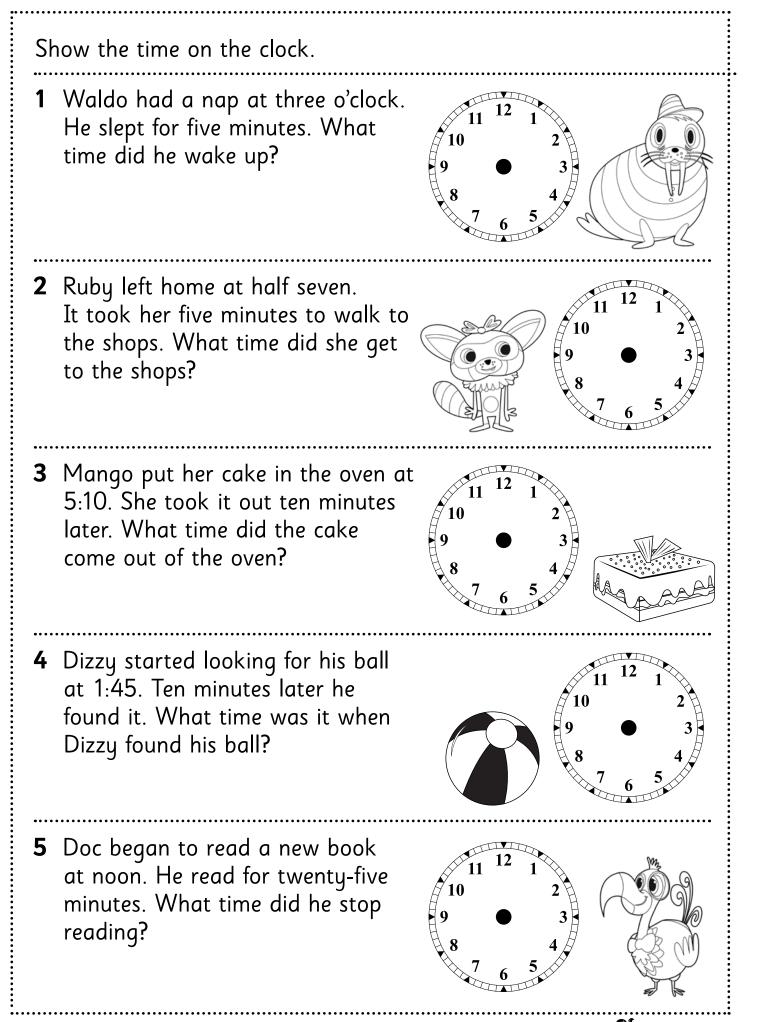


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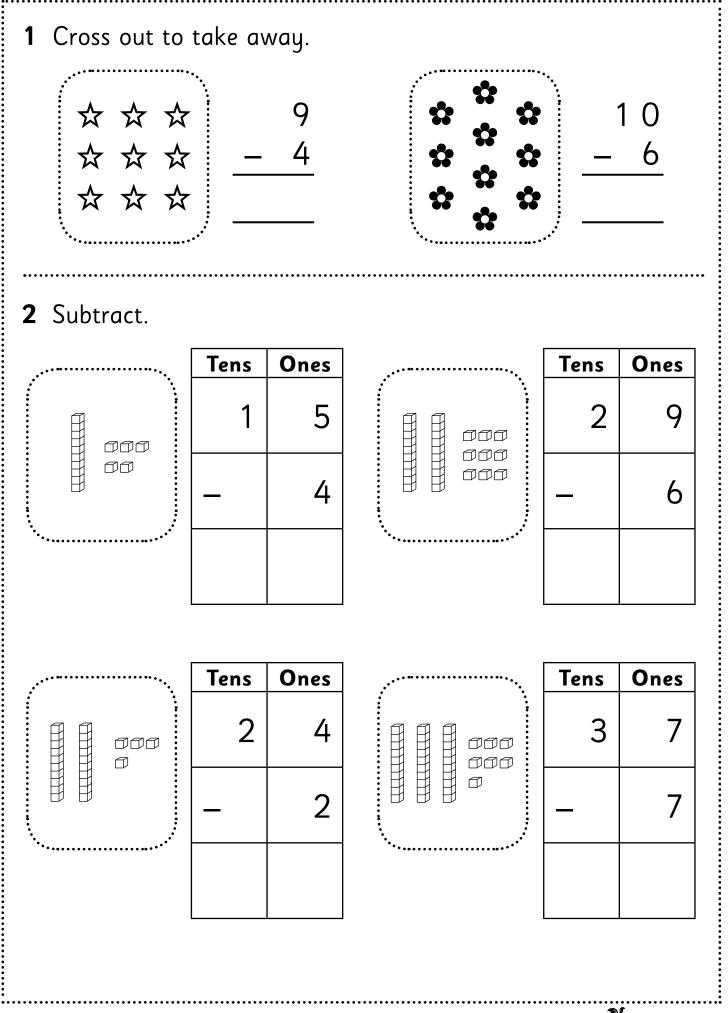
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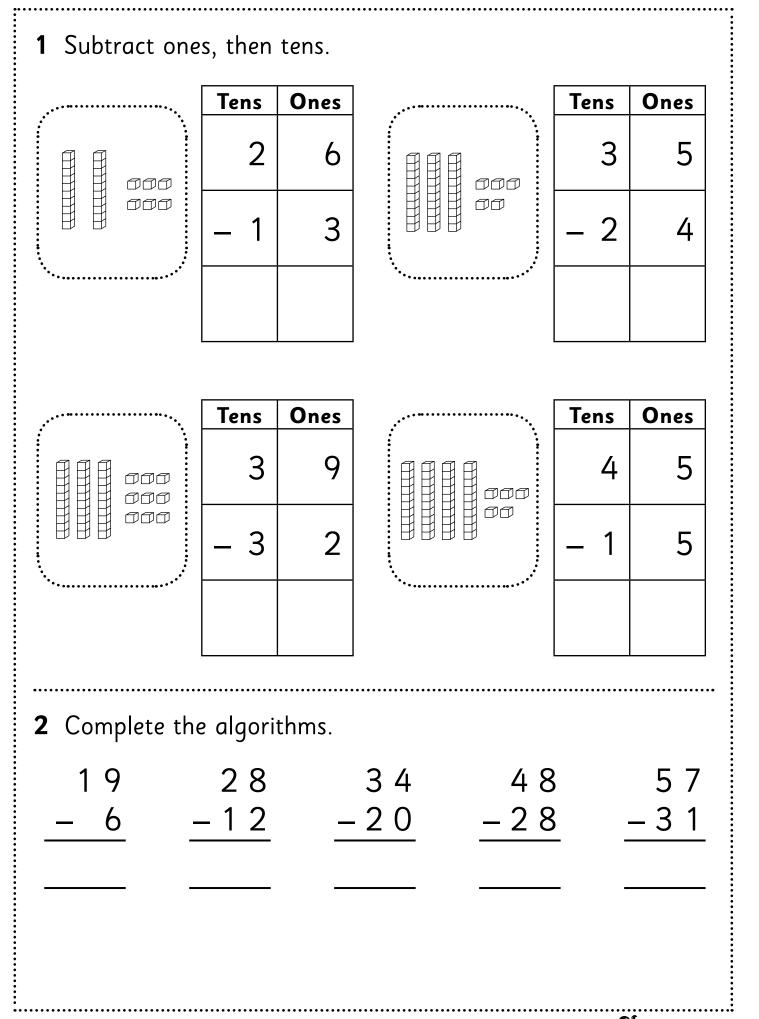
TIME WORD PROBLEMS



2-DIGIT - 1-DIGIT ALGORITHMS



2-DIGIT SUBTRACTION ALGORITHMS



MYSTERY SHAPE

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1	1 Dizzy gave Ruby a drawing of a 3-D shape. There were front views, side views and top views. Can you help Ruby work out which 3-D shape it is?				
••	a <u>Underline</u> the question. b Circle the facts.				
	The drawing looked like this: $\boxed{\frac{1}{\text{front}} + \frac{1}{\text{side}} + \frac{1}{\text{top}}}$				
	c Make a list of the 3-D shapes that have each view.				
	front view				
	side view				
	top view				
 2 Circle the 3-D shape that appears in all 3 lists. Ruby's shape is a 					
3	 a Choose a different 3-D shape. b Draw three views of your shape — front, side and top. c See if anyone in your family can work out your mystery shape. 				

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MYSTERY NUMBERS

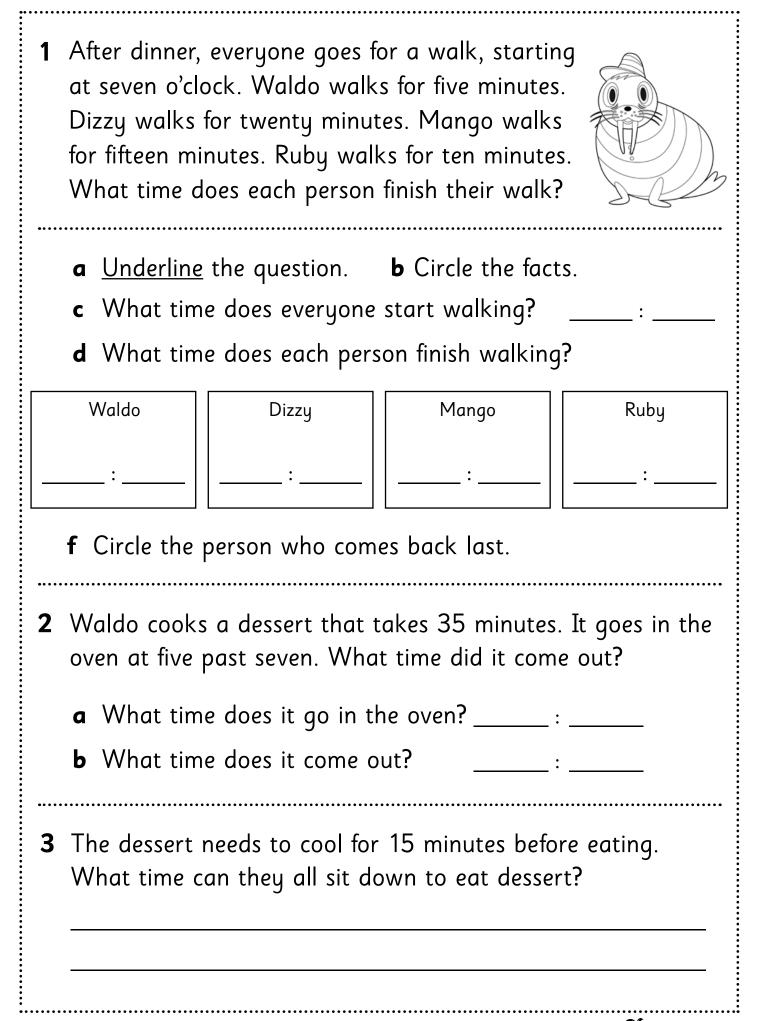
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1	1 Doc wrote some clues for a mystery number. The three digits are all less than 3. The middle is odd. The others are even. The digits go down by 1 from left to right. What is the number?				
	 a <u>Underline</u> the question. b Circle the facts. Solve the problem one step at a time. c The three digits are all less than 3 d The middle digit is odd e The others are even. f The digits go down by 1 from left to right g Doc's mystery number is 				
 2	 Here's one from Mango. a One of the digits is less than one b Another is double 3 c The third digit is the next odd number after 7 d The order is: odd, even, nothing d Which digit is odd? even? nothing? e Mango's mystery number is 				
3	Write your own number clues. See if anyone in your family can work out your number.				

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WALDO'S DESSERT

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You will need: 4 dice, a partner, a pencil and paper each.

- **1** Roll the 4 dice.
- **2** Each of you writes a subtraction algorithm using those 4 digits to make two 2-digit numbers.
- **3** Write the answers to your algorithms. The person with the smallest answer wins a point.
- **4** Keep rolling and subtracting until someone gets 10 points. They win!

You could also play to find the largest answer.

Or make addition algorithms for another twist on the game.





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You have successfully finished Week 3!

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