

GT July Enrichment

Parents/Guardians,

These ELA & Math resources will enrich and add depth to the thinking of your GT student through the summer because they encourage:

- Multiple pathways for solutions
- Analysis of word relationships and letters within words
- Backwards thinking (What doesn't belong?)
- Analogies
- Logic
- Creativity
- Student choice
- Multi-step problems
- Ranking (requiring analyzation)
- Analyzation of different number combinations to arrive at answers
- Error analysis

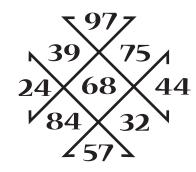
Until next time,

Your GT Coach

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.



ANSWER BOX

 394 r 4
 507
 461 r 4

 768
 550
 192

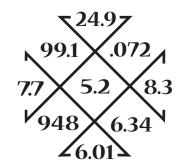
 422 r 2
 35 r 40
 1323

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 |
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| 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



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Order of Operations

Meanie Genie

The Meanie Genie grants three wishes, but only to students who know their math—including the correct order of operations. Anyone who gets the math correct in Genie's math challenge will receive ALL his or her wishes. Anyone who gets even one equation wrong receives NO wishes!

Check each person's math, and circle yes or no to show which students' wishes will be granted. We've done the first one for you.



Order of operations is important.

Do multiplication first, then division, next addition, and finally subtraction!

1. Darrel

| Genie's challenge | Equals | Darrel's wishes: YES or NO? | |
|-------------------|--------|-----------------------------|--|
| 45 – 36 – 8 = | 1 | new bike | |
| 3 x 16 ÷ 6 ÷ 4 = | 2 | world peace | |
| 19 – 10 + 3 = | 12 | sunshine every day | |

Meanie Genie explains: Darrel gets no wishes granted because he got one wrong! (The third equation should equal 6.)

2. Jake

| Genie's challenge | Equals | s Jake's wishes: YES or NO? | |
|-------------------|--------|------------------------------------|--|
| 65 ÷ 13 – 4 = | 1 | catch a ball in a baseball stadium | |
| 8 x 3 ÷ 12 = | 2 | tacos for lunch every day | |
| 6 + 5 + 3 - 11 = | 3 | go inside a space shuttle | |

Meanie Genie explains:

3. Cecilia

| Genie's challenge | Equals | Cecilia's wishes: YES or NO? | | |
|-------------------|--------|------------------------------------|--|--|
| 1 x 1 x 0 = | 0 | new dress | | |
| 4 ÷ 4 + 0 + 1 = | 2 | no puppies without homes | | |
| 30 - 10 ÷ 2 = | 5 | ice cream shop opens on her street | | |

Meanie Genie explains:

4. Daniela

| Genie's challenge | Equals | Daniela's wishes: YES or NO? | |
|----------------------|--------|-------------------------------|--|
| 36 ÷ 4 + 1– 9 = | 1 | visit a movie set | |
| 100 ÷ 5 x 2 − 8 = | 2 | see her name in the newspaper | |
| $3 + 4 + 8 \div 2 =$ | 11 | new car for her parents | |

Meanie Genie explains:



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Exponents

Little Number, BIG Impact

A shortcut for writing 2 x 2 x 2 is 2³. The number that is written above and to the right of another number is called an exponent. Insert an exponent to the right of each number in column A so that it equals the number in column B. We've done the first one for you.



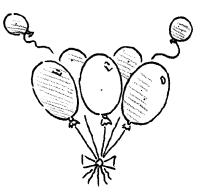
| | Α | В |
|-----|----------------|---------|
| 1. | 4 ² | 16 |
| 2. | 6 | 216 |
| 3. | 8 | 64 |
| 4. | 9 | 729 |
| 5. | 2 | 68 |
| 6. | 4 | 256 |
| 7. | 3 | 2,187 |
| 8. | 11 | 14,641 |
| 9. | 25 | 15,625 |
| 10. | 47 | 103,823 |

| N | а | m | ıe |
|---|---|---|----|

Multiplying Fractions

Balloon Journey

The helium-filled balloons listed below just landed in your yard. How many miles did they travel to get there? Do the math and find out. Then circle the color of the balloon that traveled the farthest. We've done the first one for you.



| Color of balloon | Distance traveled | Total miles |
|-------------------|--|---|
| 1. red | traveled 440 miles over land plus $\frac{5}{8}$ as many miles over water | $440 \times \frac{5}{8} = 275$ 440 + 275 = 715 miles |
| 2. yellow | traveled 580 miles over water plus $\frac{3}{4}$ as many miles over land | |
| 3. purple | traveled 234 miles over land plus $\frac{2}{3}$ as many miles over water | |
| 4. green | traveled 702 miles over land plus $\frac{7}{9}$ as many miles over water | |
| 5. orange | traveled 693 miles over water plus $\frac{6}{7}$ as many miles over land | |
| 6. blue | traveled 714 miles over land plus $\frac{1}{6}$ as many miles over water | |
| 7. white | traveled 820 miles over water plus $\frac{4}{5}$ as many miles over land | |
| 8. black | traveled 368 miles over land plus $\frac{7}{8}$ as many miles over water | |
| 9. pink | traveled 125 miles over land plus $\frac{2}{5}$ as many miles over water | |
| 10. silver | traveled 600 miles over land plus $\frac{1}{6}$ as many miles over water | |

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Percents and Discounts

Everything Must Go!

The Velocity Vulture Appliance Store is having a big sale. Prices on all items are being reduced in an unusual way. Read the sale terms listed below and then calculate the new price of each item. If an item number is divisible by more than one number, choose the bigger percentage. We've done the first one for you.



Sale terms: Every item whose model number is evenly divisible by:

12 or 14, is on sale 25% off

20 or 22, is on sale 30% off

13 or 15, is on sale 20% off

27 or 29, is on sale 15% off

| Item/model number | Price before sale | Evenly divisible by | Price after sale |
|------------------------------|----------------------|--------------------------------|--|
| 1. Pro Chopper 880 | \$600 | 20 and 22 (on sale 30% off) | \$420 (\$600 x .30 = \$180; \$600 - 180 = \$420) |
| 2. Deluxe Dishwasher 1160 | \$500 | | |
| 3. Golden Knight 896 | \$700 | | |
| 4. Quickmaster 1200 | \$650 | | |
| 5. Great Chef 720 | \$800 | | |
| 6. Wash 'N Clean 1566 | \$480 | | |
| 7. Dry 'N White 1400 | \$400 | | |
| 8. Below Zero 962 | \$975 | | |

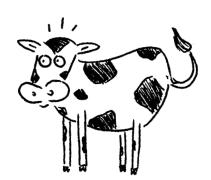
Which item is least expensive after the discount?



Division

Milk Money

The Early Bird Elementary School made a strange investment—a real cow! Now students can get milk at no charge (if the cow is in a good mood, that is!). The students below plan to take advantage of the milk money savings. Look at how much they spent each day on milk, what they want to buy, and the cost of that



item. Set up an equation that will tell them how many days they'll have to save until they can afford the item next to their name. We've done the first one for you.



It's okay if the equation isn't exactly the cost of the item they want to buy, it just has to be enough.

| Student | Milk money per day | Item wants to buy | Cost | How many days until he/she can afford the item? |
|------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------|---------|---|
| 1. Sue | \$0.25 | book | \$5.65 | 23 days \$5.65 ÷ .25 = 22 R 15 |
| 2. Jacob | \$0.80 | jump rope | \$10.95 | |
| 3. Louis | \$0.35 | clock radio | \$17.50 | |
| 4. Molly | \$0.40 | magazine subscription | \$20.00 | |
| 5. Ralph | \$0.25 | book bag | \$26.47 | |
| 6. Rosita | \$0.50 | scooter | \$59.99 | |
| 7. Tyrone | \$0.75 | hit CD | \$15.75 | |
| 8. Karen | \$0.30 | winter jacket | \$65.00 | |



Measurement Equivalents

Find Your Way Out

It all started with Hansel and Gretel dropping bread crumbs on their path through the forest to find their way out. Since then, others have used various (natural or biodegradable) items instead of bread crumbs to do the same. If the forest explorers below drop one item every 50 meters, will they have enough to find their way out? You'll need to know the metric system to find out. Do the math, then write yes or no in the chart below.





The explorers won't drop an item at the very start or at the very end of their path.

| Forest explorer | What does he/she drop? | How many does he/she have? | How far will he/she walk? | Will he/she have enough? |
|--------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 1. Jesse | corn kernels | 75 | 3 kilometers | |
| 2. Warner | pine cones | 30 | 2 km | |
| 3. Mara | cotton balls | 65 | 2.5 km | |
| 4. Brianne | peanut shells | 40 | 1 km | |
| 5. Sylvia | big acorns | 75 | 4 km | |
| 6. Tomas | popcorn kernels | 100 | 7 km | |
| 7. Alex | daisies | 25 | 1.25 km | |
| 8. Jud | index cards | 50 | 2.75 km | |
| 9. Nathan | sunflower seeds | 20 | 1.5 km | |
| 10. Livia | shells | 40 | 3.5 km | |

EAST EMISHERS

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Jumbled and Incomplete

Each group contains three jumbled words, but each jumbled word is missing one letter. In fact, all the words in a group are missing the *same* letter. Use the clues to figure out that missing letter, add it to each jumble, and unscramble the words. The first one is done for you.

| | JUMBLED WORDS | CLUES | LETTER TO ADD TO EACH WORD | WORDS |
|----|-------------------------|---|-------------------------------|---------------------------|
| 1. | dana, ciner, zerelt | type of bear, royal son, knotted bread snack | P | panda, prince, pretzel |
| 2. | mare, zilzer, staint | story while sleeping, light rain, far away | | |
| 3. | bleg, brawin, nerujy | miniature model of the Earth, multi-colored arc of light, trip | | |
| 4. | chea, vear, noirg | sandy land near sea, courageous, dull | | |
| 5. | lkm, trenw, leccyb | white drink, cold season, two-wheeled vehicle | | |
| 6. | tome, roart, raterue | a bright heavenly body with a long tail of light, orange vegetable, animal | | |
| 7. | koe, gleun, gelgu | short funny story or prank, hot climate with lots of plants and animals, toss and keep several objects in the air at once | | |
| 8. | orc, seran, psierh | black bird, respond to question, talk softly | | |

Your turn

Create a word jumble of your own, with clues, like the ones above. Test it on your classmates to see if they can figure it out.

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Change Is in the Air

Each sentence below contains a boldface word and a missing word. To figure out the missing word, you'll need to look at the context of the words around

it and change some letters in the boldface word. The numbers in parentheses indicate how many letters must change to get the correct answer. The tips will help you out, too. We've done the first one for you.

HELPFUL TIPS:

- * Each new word has the same number of letters as the original word.
- * Letters are not rearranged but rather replaced with other letters.
- * The words don't have to rhyme, but they might.

| 1. I lost my bike lock because I always have bad (1) | |
|---|-----|
| 2. My horse is very well behaved, but my parents still won't let me bring him in the (1) | 1 |
| 3. It's easy to see the moon at midnight, but not so easy at (1) | |
| 4. Whoever is not the winner has to cook for the rest of us. (1 |) |
| 5 . People might stare if you walk down the sidewalk instead o facing forward. (2) | Î |
| 6. The waves crashed onto the deck of the sloop with such force they out some of the boat's windows. (2) | |
| 7. Can you see a shadow reflected in a? (3) | |
| 8. The crook snuck into the library and took the rare and valuable | (1) |
| 9. That puzzle is so hard that it took six working together to finish it. (3) | |
| 10. Coming to school with stripes painted on your face is indeed a bit (4) | |
| 11. When the hen saw the fox in the distance she got so scared she ran straight into the wire mesh for safety. (1) | ıt |
| 12. When the neighbor came to return our lost cat, my mother fetched the money from her dresser. (4) | |

YOUR TURN

Write a sentence with a missing word and a boldface word like the ones above. See if your classmates can figure it out by changing the number of letters you've indicated inside the parentheses.

One Word, Two Words

Each compound word below is followed by a list of four more words. Each of those four words is associated with either the first or the second word in the compound word. They can be a type of one



of the words, a part of one of them, or a synonym for one of them. Write which each is in the chart below. We've done the first one for you.

| | break | fast |
|-------------------------------------|------------------|------------|
| 1. breakfast: | rift, | breakneck, |
| breakneck, rift, rupture, rash | rift, rupture | rash |
| | light | house |
| 2. lighthouse: | | |
| abode, luminous, spectrum, domicile | | |
| | gold | fish |
| 3. goldfish: | | |
| bullion, karat, cod, grouper | | |
| | flower | pot |
| . flowerpot: | | |
| orchid, cauldron, kettle, geranium | | |
| | bed | rock |
| , bedrock: | | |
| slate, obsidian, trundle, futon | | |
| | red | head |
| ; redhead: | | |
| cranium, crimson, noggin, rouge | | |
| | play | mate |
| , playmate: | | |
| frolic, partner, romp, associate | | |
| | under | take |
| g undertake: | | |
| get, beneath, subterranean, secure | | |



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Earth, Wind, and Fire

Each word below is associated with one of the four elements: air, earth, fire, or water. The elements are represented by four icons below. Draw a line from the word to its most appropriate icon.

WORDS

- 1. topsoil
- 2. inferno
- **3.** tide
- 4. cultivate
- 5. cloud
- 6. combustible
- 7. dew
- 8. oxygen
- 9. atmosphere
- 10. ember
- 11. condensation
- **12.** arid
- 13. altitude
- 14. molten
- 15. crust

ELEMENTS



Air



Earth



Fire



Water

YOUR TURN

Think of three more words associated with air, earth, fire, or water. Ask your classmates to think of the meaning of each word and name its most appropriate element.



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Word Works

Each letter or group of letters is missing either the prefix "ex-," or "com-," or the suffix "-ence," or "-ic" to make it a real word. Your job is to figure out which prefix or suffix works best. Write the word formed and its meaning in the space provided. There is only one correct answer for each. You may use a dictionary to check your answers.

Examples:

bat → adding "com-" to the front makes it "combat" histor → adding "-ic" at the end makes it "historic"

| LETTERS | EX-, COM-, -ENCE, OR -IC? | WORD FORMED | MEANING? |
|----------------|------------------------------|----------------|----------|
| 1. fort | | | |
| 2. poet | | | |
| 3. viol | | | |
| 4. it | | | |
| 5. publ | | | |
| 6. bine | | | |
| 7. abs | | | |
| 8. haust | | | |
| 9. ceed | | | |

Your turn

| Look at the wo | ords formed | and their | definitions | above, | then take | a guess at |
|----------------|---------------|-------------|-------------|----------|-----------|------------|
| the meanings | of the suffix | ces or pref | fixes used | with the | m. Use a | dictionary |
| to check your | auess. | | | | | |

| ex- | | |
|-------|------|------|
| | | |
| | | |
| com- | | |
| COIII | | |
| | | |

-ence

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Places Trading

Each sentence below has a word that has traded places with a word in another sentence. To correct the error, you'll need to circle the word in each sentence that doesn't belong. Then, figure out which two sentences can trade circled words so they make sense. Rewrite each sentence with the correct word in its place on the blanks below. We've done the first one for you.

- 1. One of the lions escaped from the zoo but he was splattered safely last night.

 One of the lions escaped from the zoo but he was caught safely last night.
- 2. I always drink a glass of pizza before I go to bed at night.
- **3.** The waiting room at the doctor's office is filled with old branches.
- 4. She got new sneakers this weekend, but by Monday they were already caught in mud. She got new sneakers this weekend, but by Monday they were already splattered in mud.
- **5.** After the storm, we saw lots of broken magazines around the city.
- **6.** On a long trip it's nice to have a good telescope to read.
- **7.** Every time I have the show to eat chocolate, I try to resist and have a carrot stick instead.
- **8.** He had never seen a meteor shower and was looking forward to seeing one through the book. _____
- **9.** Some of the students brought in their favorite toys for urge and tell.
- **10.** After winning the state softball championship, the team decided to have a victory celebration at the local water parlor.



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Turn! Run! Break! Fly!

Each verb in boldface below is accompanied by a group of words in a chart. The first column of words in the chart are prepositions and the second column are nouns. Draw a line



between the prepositions and nouns to make a pair that will make sense with the verb. The first one is done for you.

1. turn on shower

| on | blanket |
|------|----------|
| up | shower |
| over | driveway |
| into | volume |

2. run _____

| through | mistake |
|---------|---------|
| over | choices |
| up | nails |
| across | stairs |

3. break _____

| into | ice |
|---------|----------|
| down | mob |
| up | laughter |
| through | wall |

4. fly

| off | style |
|------|--------|
| in | sunset |
| into | handle |
| by | night |

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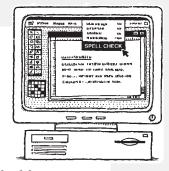
Strange Spelling Bee

This year, the Norton Elementary School spelling bee is featuring some of the hardest words to spell. Each student spelled each word wrong by at least one letter. How soon were the words spelled wrong? Rank them from 1 (mistake in the first letter) to 12 (mistake in the twelfth letter). We've done the first one for you.

| INCORRECTLY SPELLED WORD | CORRECTLY SPELLED WORD | 1ST LETTER WRONG | RANK (1-12) |
|-----------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------|
| niether | neither | 2nd letter "i" should be "e" | 2 (earliest mistake) |
| dunjeon | | | |
| absense | | | |
| associatian | | | |
| governer | | | |
| correspondance | | | |
| emphibian | | | |
| environmentul | | | |
| thesauris | | | |
| boomarang | | | |
| chlorophill | | | |
| nesessary | | | |

Double Check

It's easy to think that when you work with a computer, you can't misspell a word as long as you use the spell-check feature. But, even computers make mistakes, especially when they come across homophones—words that sound alike but have different spellings and meanings. Below is a list of sentences that have been spell-checked by a computer. Circle the incorrect homophones the computer missed. Some



| 1. | The shellfish | had such | a strong | g mussel | that it | couldn't | be pride | open | with |
|----|---------------|----------|----------|----------|---------|----------|----------|------|------|
| | a knife. | | | | | | | | |

sentences have more than one. Write the correct word or words on the line.

- **2.** Losing the soccer championship to a team that had an inferior record last season was a lessen in overconfidence for our team.
- **3.** Queen Ima Badrula's rein ended abruptly when her people decided they wanted a new sovereign and overthrew her. _____
- **4.** I felt sorry for the oxen in the field because they kept throwing their heads back in an attempt to loosen the yolks that hung heavily around their necks. _____
- **5.** If you want to take photographs of an animal in the wild, you knead to be absolutely stationery or else you'll scare your subjects away.
- **6.** Turns are beautiful birds to watch, especially when they are soaring over the crashing surf at the beach. _____
- **7.** We didn't discover any buried treasure on the beach, but we did fined a broken peace of medal, which we first thought was gold.
- **8.** When you complement a person on a job well done, don't expect one in return.
- **9.** The steaming hot muffins were loaded with small, sweet currents, which gave off a wonderful sent. _____
- **10.** The Army Core of Engineers has worked hard to build bridges, tunnels, and highways so Americans can travel moor easily.

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Haunted Words

Which of the words on the list below are haunted? Only the ones that have a ghost of some kind hiding within them! Any word that contains all the letters of any of the types of ghosts listed in the cast of spooky



characters below is haunted. For each word, you may not use a letter more than once to spell a ghost word. Don't worry if you don't know what some of these words mean—you can look them up in the dictionary.

THE CAST OF SPOOKY CHARACTERS

| ghost | phantom | spook | spirit | specter |
|-------|---------|-------|--------|---------|

SPOOKY CHARACTER FOUND INSIDE **WORD LIST** 1. Goths 2. photojournalism 3. triskaidekaphobia 4. interdisciplinary **5.** sarcophagus **6.** respiration 7. metamorphosis 8. striping **9.** respectful **10.** photodisintegration 11. goulash 12. spectator 13. thoroughness 14. spokeswoman



Answer Key for Enrichment Resources

The answers are arranged in the same order as they appear in the packet. The highlighted pages are the answers for your grade's enrichment activities.

5th grade enrichment resources (answers)

Match It #1 (page 19)

| ., | - CP | |
|------------------|-----------------|------------------|
| 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 |
|---|-------|---|-------|---|-------|---|-------|
| W | 1,855 | T | 2,291 | D | 1,972 | 0 | 3,239 |
| I | 4,620 | J | 1,128 | E | 2,294 | F | 2,700 |
| R | 600 | S | 3,496 | A | 4,512 | Н | 4,524 |

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

Monster Mystery (page 21)

| 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 |
| Zhat | did the l | ningry monster o |

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

Last Number - First Number #2 (page 22)

| 1. 18,213 | 2. 33,856 |
|------------------|--------------------|
| 3. 60,905 | 4. 51,646 |
| 5. 60,092 | 6. 23,161 |
| 7. 13,143 | 8. 32,076 |
| 9. 63,714 | 10. 42,413 |
| 11. 39.774 | 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 |
| | | | | |

| 99 | 64 | 290 | 48 | 45 |
|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| 420 | 483 | 90 | 222 | 125 |
| 246 | 156 | 95 | 144 | 216 |
| 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)

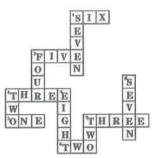
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| W | 38 | O | 69 | D | 222 | L 686 |
| T | 54 | M | 521 | Y | 681 | H 468 |
| \mathbf{S} | 442 | A | 588 | F | 123 | U 55 |
| N | 655 | I | 515 | \mathbf{L} | 232 | I 122 |

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. 48r5 | 2. 49r4 |
| 3.69r3 | 3. 90 r 2 |
| 5.89r1 | 4. 67r8 |
| 6. 38r2 | 7. 65r2 |
| 7. 96r3 | 8.88r7 |



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)

| 1.23r30 | 2.56r48 | 3.71r31 |
|---------|---------|---------|
| 4.64r42 | 5.37r17 | 6.88r52 |
| 7.49r39 | 8.57r23 | 9.76r24 |

More Did You Hear? Riddles

| (page 2 | 8) | | |
|---------|------|------|------|
| P 13 | A 75 | T 68 | H 86 |
| R 22 | O 41 | U 20 | K 80 |
| Y 40 | I 83 | M 43 | 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)

| | D 1,098 | | 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)

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

$$5.(32 *74) + (63 - 57) = 394r4$$

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

Elephant Trivia (page 32)

| | | | | 4 | | | |
|--------------|-----|--------------|-----|---|----|---|-----|
| J | 84 | I | 113 | K | 81 | Α | 112 |
| L | 85 | \mathbf{T} | 91 | E | 90 | R | 149 |
| \mathbf{o} | 104 | \mathbf{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)

| \mathbf{T} | 48 | ŀ | | 7 |
|--------------|----|---|---|----|
| G | 34 | C | 3 | 31 |
| E | 36 | F | I | 9 |
| Α | 6 | N | 1 | 40 |
| F | 68 | S | 3 | 8 |
| W | 5 | F |) | 25 |
| I | 33 | C |) | 26 |
| | | | | |

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

Equal Values (page 34)

| $\frac{5}{3} = 1\frac{2}{3}$ | $\frac{14}{10} = 1\frac{4}{10} = 1\frac{2}{5}$ | $\frac{9}{6} = 1\frac{3}{6} = 1\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{8}{6} = 1\frac{8}{6}$ |
|-------------------------------|--|--|---------------------------------|
| $\frac{18}{8} = 1\frac{5}{8}$ | $\frac{17}{14} = 1\frac{8}{14}$ | $\frac{7}{4} = 1\frac{8}{4}$ | $\frac{17}{12} = 1\frac{5}{12}$ |
| $\frac{12}{7} = 1\frac{5}{7}$ | $\frac{10}{8} = 1\frac{2}{8} = 1\frac{1}{4}$ | $\frac{9}{4} = 2\frac{1}{4}$ | $\frac{11}{8} = 1\frac{5}{8}$ |
| $\frac{9}{7} = 1\frac{2}{7}$ | $\frac{5}{2} = 2\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{12}{5} = 1\frac{3}{5} = 1\frac{1}{3}$ | $\frac{18}{19} = 1\frac{1}{19}$ |

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 | $1\frac{1}{6}$ | $\mathbf{E}^{-\frac{1}{3}}$ | $F_{\frac{7}{20}}$ | $S_{\frac{1}{2}}$ |
|-------|----------------|-----------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| T | 8 10 | O 21 | R 17/4 | $Y = \frac{7}{30}$ |
| I | <u>5</u> | H 1/4 | L $1\frac{1}{3}$ | C 11/24 |
| U | 2 16 | $K 1^{\frac{5}{12}}$ | W 4/21 | N_{14}^{18} |
| TF +- | ITO TIOM | mires had | 0 2000 | urbo moni |

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

Wrestle the Code (page 36)

| E | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $A = \frac{3}{4}$ |
|--------------|----------------|---------------------------------|
| D | 13 | $R 2\frac{1}{3}$ |
| \mathbf{T} | 3 | O |
| S | $1\frac{1}{5}$ | W 21/4 |
| Y | 1 | N 1 ¹ / ₃ |
| I | $1\frac{1}{2}$ | L 3 |
| Н | 13 | F 6 |
| | | G 5 |

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)

| \mathbf{F} | 11.02 | \mathbf{L} | 78.3 | В | 350.4 |
|--------------|---------|--------------|---------|---|---------|
| S | 127.02 | H | 439.35 | R | 33.06 |
| 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 | \mathbf{C} | 50.035 | D | 17.333 |
| H | 231.7 | I | 207.35 | E | 71 |
| α | 906 | | | | |

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

$$1.(4.3 - 4.01) + (354 - 5.2) = 30.49$$

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

$$3.(991 - 66) + (6.38 - 6.01) = 33.47$$

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

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

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

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)

| J. | 0 / | | | | |
|--------------|--------|---|--------|--------------|-------|
| Y | (0,2) | A | (2,0) | I | (5,4) |
| В | (8,0) | N | (11,8) | \mathbf{R} | (1,8) |
| \mathbf{S} | (4,8) | H | (6,7) | E | (9,6) |
| D | (1,5) | 0 | (4,6) | M | (7,5) |
| Ľ | (10,5) | W | (2,2) | K | (4,3) |
| G | (8,3) | T | (10,1) | | |

Question: What did the egg say to the blender?

Answer: I know when I'm beaten.

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.

Answors

PAGE 18: Number Pole

- 2. 12, ÷
- **3.** 38, -
- **4.** 64, x
- **5.** 256, x
- 3. 250, A
- **6.** 166, +
- **7.** 378, –
- **8.** 480, ÷
- 9. 29, ÷

PAGE 19: Meanie Genie

Jake and **Daniela** should be circled yes because all their answers were correct! Cecilia is no, because she got the third equation wrong. $30 - 10 \div 2 = 25$ (not 10).

PAGE 20: Get the Scoop!

- 1. Zaura-7 scoops
- 2. Ellis-18 scoops
- 3. Clara—18 scoops
- 4. Darby—15 scoops
- 5. Chang—7 scoops
- 6. Thelma—26 scoops
- 7. Deon—14 scoops
- 8. Gabriela—44 scoops

Gabriela is the new champion!

PAGE 21: The Number Shuffle

- 2.390 + 876 = 1.266
- 3. 486 + 1,266 = 1,752
- 4. 1,752 654 = 1,098
- **5.** $1,098 \times 3 = 3,294$
- **6.** 6,402 3,294 = 3,108
- **7.** 59 + 150 = 209
- **8. 150** 79 = **71**
- 9. 639 + 71 = 710
- 10. 710 560 = 150
- 11. $150 \div 30 = 5$
- 12. 85 5 = 80

PAGE 22: A-Maze-ing!

| START | | | | | |
|--------|---------|------|--------|-----------|----------|
| 18 + 0 | 54 + 3 | 32 + | 36 + | 48 ÷ | 98 + |
| 42 ÷ | 9 x 2 | 20 + | 12 x | 54 + | 9 – |
| 19+ | 4 + 14 | 19 + | 15 | 4 x | 22 + |
| 25 + | 108 + 6 | 21-3 | 38 ÷ | 16 - | 96 + |
| 15 – | 0 x | 18-0 | 36 + 2 | 36 - 18 | 100 + |
| 3 – | 26 + | 78 + | 8 x | 2 x 9 | 14 x |
| 7 x | 28 + | 24 + | 56 ÷ | 199 - 181 | 17 – |
| 64 + | 92 + | 12 – | 44 + | 18 x 1 | 702 + 39 |
| 10 x | 36 x | 30 + | 11 x | 146 + | 3 x 6 |
| | | | | | FINISH |

PAGE 23: Lights, Camera, Action!

- **1.** 100 101 (02) 106 **2.** 63 (36) 26 16 **3.** 129 188 208 (92)
- **3.** 129 188 208 **4.** (5) 6 18 4
- 5. 80 82 83 85
- **6**. 199 145 (198) 186
- 7. 80 82 83 85

- **8.** 294 298 268 283
- **9.** 5,243 5,657 5,776 6,557 **10.** 1,772 1,773 1,779 1,777
- **11.** 3,333 3,395 3,325 3,345 **12.** 116 118 113 (14)

Your Turn 53

PAGE 24: Reaching the Top

- 1. 586 ÷ 8 does not equal 86
- 2. 1,644 ÷ 68 does not equal 34
- 3. 259 ÷ 3 does not equal 65
- **4.** 64 48 does not equal 15 José climbed the highest.

PAGE 25: Harvest Riddle

- **1.** 64,8 (addition 72, subtraction 56, multiplication 512, division 8)
- 2. 18,3 (addition 21, subtraction 15, multiplication 54, division 6)
- **3.** 35,7 (addition 42, subtraction 28, multiplication 245, division 5)
- **4.** 6,0 (addition 6, subtraction 6, multiplication 0, division 0)

| 60 | 9 | 258 | 130 | 1 |
|-----|----|-----|-----|-----|
| 12 | 56 | 15 | 512 | 182 |
| 19 | 54 | 79 | 6 | 14 |
| 25 | 5 | 28 | 72 | 76 |
| 168 | 8 | 44 | 245 | 954 |
| 201 | 42 | 0 | 21 | 26 |
| 55 | 87 | 4 | 34 | 51 |

A harvestman, otherwise known as a daddy longlegs, is an arachnid that has 8 legs.

PAGE 26: Three's a Charm

| Evenly spaced trio | How many apart from one another? |
|-------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| 2. 29, 36, 43 | 7 |
| 3. 18, 34, 50 | 16 |
| 4. 11, 46, 81 | 35 |
| 5. 63, 142, 221 | 79 |
| 6. 37, 58, 79 | 21 |
| 7. 13, 64, 115 | 51 |
| 8. 2,218; 2,323; 2,428 | 105 |

PAGE 27: Find the Bookend

Which Beginning Description

| | number belongs? | or end? | of pattern |
|-----|-----------------|-----------|-------------------|
| 2. | 0 | beginning | increases by 5 |
| 3. | 3 | beginning | increases by 5 |
| 4. | 36 | end | increases by 2, |
| | | | then 6, then 2, |
| | | | then 6, and so on |
| 5. | 27 | end | decreases by 4 |
| 6. | 123 | beginning | decreases by 7 |
| 7. | 7 | end | +2, -1 |
| 8. | 105 | end | decreases by 1, |
| | | | increases by 8 |
| 9. | 33 | beginning | number added |
| | | | increases by one |
| | | | each time |
| 10. | 50 | end | numbers |
| | | | decrease by half |

PAGE 28: Abracadabra!

Group 1: All numbers have the exact same digits (in different orders), except these: 625 (Set A); 3,441 (Set B); 4,596 (Set C); 28,076 (Set D)

Group 2: All numbers are in reverse order, except these: 89 (Set A); 954 (Set B); 2,310 (Set C); 56,432 (Set D)

Group 3: The third digit is twice the first digit, except these: 170 (Set A); 781 (Set B); 172 (Set C); 201 (Set D)

PAGE 29: Pyramid Challenge

- **1.** increases by 5 (missing numbers: 34, 54, 79)
- 2. increases by 7, then 2, then repeats (missing numbers: 0, 34, 45, 70)
- **3.** decreases by 3 (missing numbers: 85, 70, 61, 55, 49)
- **4.** decreases by 1, increases by 6, then repeats (missing numbers: 36, 46, 56, 61, 65)

Your Turn Pattern is ÷ 4, x 8, ÷ 4, x 8, etc. (missing numbers: 96, 48, 768, 384)

PAGE 30: Think Ahead

| Α | В |
|-------------------|--------|
| 2. 88 | 89 |
| 3. 222 | 234 |
| 4. 444 | 456 |
| 5. 77 | 789 |
| 6. 1,111 | 1,234 |
| 7. 3,333 | 2,345 |
| 8. 6,666 | 6,789 |
| 9. 8,888 | 8,910 |
| IO. 11,111 | 12,345 |

PAGE 31: Hit the Road

2. ①2 $7 = 27 \div 9 = 3$ **3.** ②6 $3 = 63 \div 9 = 7$

4. 1,3 $95 = 135 \div 9 = 15$ **5.** 1,880 = 180 \div 9 = 20

6. 3,**2**06 = 306 ÷ 9 = 34

7. $5 \bigcirc 85 = 585 \div 9 = 65$ **8.** $2 \bigcirc 151 = 2,151 \div 9 = 239$

9. 28,53 $\bigcirc = 2,853 \div 9 = 317$

10. \bigcirc 4, 1 2 2 = 4, 122 ÷ 9 = 458

Your Turn All the digits in a number evenly divisible by 9 (or a multiple of 9), add up to 9 (or a multiple of 9. E.g., $2,151 \div 9 = 239$ and 2 + 1 + 5 + 1 = 9

PAGE 32: Sum Good Facts

1. 4 + 8 = 12

2. 12 + 36 = 48

3. 27 + 32 = 59

4. 63 + 27 = 90 **5.** 45 + 72 = 117, in 1931

6. 12 + 48 + 90 = 150

Answers

PAGE 33: STRENGTH in Numbers

| 1=A | 6=F | 11=K | 16=P | 21=U | 26=Z |
|-----|------|-------|------|------|------|
| 2=B | 7=G | 12=L1 | 17≃Q | 22=V | |
| 3=C | 8=H | 3=M | 18=R | 23=W | |
| 4=D | 9=I | 14=N | 19=S | 24=X | |
| 5=E | 10=J | 15=0 | 20=T | 25=Y | |

- **2.** 14 + 9 + 14 + 5 > 19 + 5+ 22 + 5 + 14 (42 > 65?) false
- **3.** 20 + 23 + 15 > 15 + 14 + 5 (58 > 34?) true
- **4.** 20 + 23 + 5 + 12 + 22 + 5 > 5 + 9 + 7 + 8 + 20 (87 > 49?) true
- **5.** 5 + 9 + 7 + 8 + 20 + 25 > 19 + 9 + 24 + 20 + 25 (74 > 97?) false
- **6.** 6 + 9 + 6 + 20 + 25 > 20 + 8 + 9 + 18 + 20 + 5 + 5 + 14 (66 > 997) false
- 7. 20 + 8 + 9 + 18 + 20 + 25 + 15 + 14 + 5 > 20 + 23 + 5 + 14 + 20 + 25 + 15 + 14 + 5 (134 > 141?) false
- **8.** 19 + 5 + 22 + 5 + 14 + 20 + 25 + 6 + 15 + 21 + 18 > 6 + 15 + 18 + 20 + 25 + 19 + 5 + 22 + 5 + 14 (170 > 149?) true

PAGE 34: Prime Time for Prime Numbers

8 P.M.: Everybody Leaves Richard 3; Just Tell Me 43; Shipwreck 73; Doherty, Utah Baker 7

9 P.M.: WWF—World Whispering

Federation 89; Little Horse on the Prairie 29;

America's Most Washed 47

10 p.m.: RSVP Yellow 97; Danger 41;

Fries to Order 2

Your Turn 2, 3, 5, 7, 11, 13, 17, 19, 23, 29, 31, 37, 41, 43, 47, 53, 59, 61, 67, 71, 73, 79, 83, 89, 97

PAGE 35: Little Number, BIG Impact

- **2.** 6³
- **7.** 3⁷
- **3.** 8²
- **8.** 11⁴
- **4.** 9³
- **9.** 25³
- **5.** 2⁶ **6.** 4⁵
- **10.** 47³

PAGE 36: Tic-Tac-Decimal

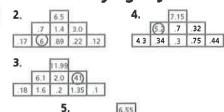
| 2. | 2.0 | 3.1 | 1.7 |
|----|-----|-----|-----|
| | 6.2 | 3.5 | 6.8 |
| | 5.4 | 2.1 | 1.2 |

| 5. | 20.9 | 11.7 | 30.6 |
|----|------|------|------|
| | 3.5 | 65.9 | 8.2 |
| | 5.0 | 5.4 | 17.1 |



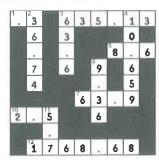
| 6. | 10.2 | 9.7 | .33 |
|----|------|-----|--------|
| | 3.4 | .29 | .5 |
| | .46 | 2.1 | (1.08) |

PAGE 37: Defying Physics





PAGE 38: Puzzle Time



PAGE 39: Time for a Laugh

| ILIOL | 0). | riiic roi u | Luug., |
|-------|------|-------------------|----------------------|
| 2.① | | 6. (5.67 | 10. 🐼 53.7 |
| 3.Ē | 5.52 | 7. 🕅 4.65 | 11. 🕀 0.08 |
| 4.🕖 | 0.21 | 8. ⑤ 4.4 | 12. (£) 20.53 |
| 5 (1) | 44 | 9 (f) 0.25 | |

Riddle Answer:

| 1110 | - | | 200 | | | | | | | | |
|------|---|---|-----|-----|----|----|----|---|---|----|---|
| Т | W | Ε | L. | _V_ | E | M | 0 | N | T | Н | S |
| 7 | | - | - | - | 12 | 10 | -6 | 7 | | 11 | 0 |

PAGE 40: Get Cracking!

Number of pieces =

- 2. $\frac{1}{5}$ weight
- **3.** $\frac{1}{4}$ of square footage
- 4. 3 age
- **5.** $\frac{3}{4}$ size of monitor in inches
- 6. $\frac{3}{5}$ of height
- **7.** $\frac{7}{8}$ of size
- 8. 🕏 number of panes overall

PAGE 41: Balloon Journey

- 2. yellow traveled 580 + 435 = 1,015 miles
- **3.** purple traveled 234 + 156 = 390 miles
- **4.** green traveled 702 + 546 = 1,248 miles
- **5.** orange traveled 693 + 594 = 1,287 miles
- 6. blue traveled 714 + 119 = 833 miles
- 7. white traveled the farthest: 820 + 656 = 1,476 miles
- 8. black traveled 368 + 322 = 690 miles
- **9.** pink traveled 125 + 50 = 175 miles
- **10.** silver traveled 600 + 100 = 700 miles

PAGE 42: Fraction Action

The answer is $\frac{1}{3}$.

| Start | 24 | 72 | 108 | 144 | 216 | 648 |
|-------|-------|-------|------------|------------------|-------|--------|
| | | 1 i | T s out | | | 822 |
| | | 8 " | | $\frac{1}{4}$ is | out | 852 |
| 1,512 | 1,500 | 1,392 | 1,296 | 1,200 | 1,050 | 924 |
| 1,776 | | 1 | | | | |
| 1,806 | | is ou | π | | | |
| 1,920 | 2,028 | 2,061 | 2,343 | 2,586 | 3,435 | 4,356 |
| | | | | | | Finish |

PAGE 43: Out of This World

- 1. LCD = 45, 14, 42, 36, 20; PLUTO
- **2.** LCD = 48, 56, 45, 36, 42, 48, 56; NEPTUNE
- **3.** LCD = 10, 12, 36, 42, 60, 48; SATURN

PAGE 44: Improper Ages

| Algie—5 $\frac{1}{2}$ | Elbie—12 |
|------------------------|----------------------|
| Rusie—3 $\frac{4}{9}$ | Matia2 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| Oma—3 3 | Hecta4 1 |
| Newtie—3 $\frac{1}{2}$ | Octo4 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| Lola—7 ½ | Velo6 ½ |

The oldest citizen is Elbie who is 12. The youngest is Matia who is 2 $\frac{1}{2}$. In two years Algie will be $\frac{15}{2}$ on Numerdenominaria and 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ on Earth.

PAGE 45: Everything Must Go!

Evenly divisible by Price after sale \$350 3. 14 \$525 4. 12, 15, 20 \$560 6. 27 \$408 7. 20 \$310 8. 13 \$780

Dry 'N White 1400

PAGE 46: **Get With the Team**

| | Total votes | Percentage that voted yes | Did i pass |
|----|-------------|---------------------------|---------------|
| 2. | 17 | 45%. | No |
| 3. | 29 | 76% | Yes |
| 4. | 31 | 82% | Yes |
| | | | |

PAGE 47: Dino Bone Zone

Percentage of skeleton that is complete

- **2.** 249/480 bones = 52% complete 6
- **3.** 10/18 bones = 55% complete
- **4.** 185/445 bones = 42% complete 7
- **5.** 56/455 bones = 12% complete
- **6.** 356/377 bones = 94% complete 1
- **7.** 297/351 = 85% complete 3
- **8.** 176/271 = 65% complete

PAGE 48: Milk Money

- 2. Jacob—14 days (\$10.95 ÷ .80)
- 3. Louis-50 days (\$17.50 ÷ .35)
- 4. Molly—50 days (\$20.00 ÷ .40)
- 5. Ralph-106 days (\$26.47 ÷ .25)
- 6. Rosita—120 days (\$59.99 ÷ .50)
- **7.** Tyrone---21 days (\$15.75 ÷.75)
- 8. Karen-217 days (\$65.00 ÷ .30)

PAGE 49: Money Matters

- 2. chocolate (\$10.80) more than gum (\$10.29)
- **3.** apples (\$7.50) more than bananas (\$7.00)
- 4. pasta (\$13.08) more than soup (\$8.90)
- **5.** lettuce (\$26.00) more than cucumbers (\$20.70)
- **6.** batteries (\$59.85) more than bulbs (\$48.07)
- **7.** running shoes (\$126.00) is more than shirts (\$110.25)
- **8.** party dresses (\$195.00) is more than ties (\$189.00)

PAGE 50: Find Your Way Out

One kilometer is 1,000 meters, which is a little less than a mile (.62 of a mile, to be exact.) The total number of meters walked must be divided by 50, because the explorers will drop one item every 50 meters.

- **1.** Jesse—yes; 3 km = 3,000 meters 3,000 ÷ 50 = 60 items needed
- 2. Warner—no; 2 km = 2,000 meters $2,000 \div 50 = 40$ items needed
- 3. Mara—yes; 2.5 km = 2,500 meters $2.500 \div 50 = 50$ items needed
- **4.** Brianne—yes; 1,000 meters $1,000 \div 50 = 20$ items needed
- 5. Sylvia—no; 4 km = 4,000 meters 4,000 ÷ 50 = 80 items needed
- 6. Tomas—no; 7 km = 7,000 meters 7,000 ÷ 50 = 140 items needed
- 7. Alex—yes; 1.25 km = 1,250 meters $1,250 \div 50 = 25$ items needed
- **8.** Jud—no, 2.75 = 2,750 meters $2,750 \div 50 = 55$ items needed
- **9.** Nathan—no; 1.5 km = 1,500 ÷ 50 = 30 items needed
- **10.** Livia—no; 3.5 km = $3,500 \div 50 = 70$ items needed

PAGE 51: Guess Your Best

- **2.** 56?8
- **5.** 79?62
- **3.** 96?14

5

- 6. 47?57
- 4. 37162

PAGE 52: Mark and Darcy's Game

- **1**. 15, 18
- 2. 15, 17, 18 or 20, 15, 15
- 3. 25 twice; or 20, 30; or 15, 35
- **4.** no, the highest he could get in 3 tosses with no bull's eye is 120
- **5.** yes, because no two numbers on this board could add up to 95
- 6. 17, 27, 37 or 33, 33, 15

PAGE 53: On the Wall

- 1. five years from 2000-2005
- 2. 2001: Sandra; 2002: Sandra; 2004: Noah
- **3.** 2000: Sandra; 2003: Alison; 2005: Nick
- 4. Sandra
- 5. ten inches
- 6. Nick
- 7. eight inches
- **8.** Sandra grew seven inches from 2000 to 2001.
- Nick and Alison. Nick didn't grow from 2000 to 2001 or from 2004 to 2005. Alison didn't grow from 2002 to 2003.
- **10.** Sandra because she grew the most, 16 inches, in five years.

PAGE 54: Speed Readers

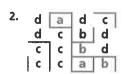
- 1. 16 chapters over 7 days
- 2. Scott, Thursday
- 3. Grant, Tuesday
- 4. Barry, 9, Thursday
- 5. Monday, Grant
- 6. Grant, Sunday
- 7. Lois, 10
- 8. Barry, Saturday
- 9. Tuesday, 7
- **10.** Monday, 22

PAGE 55: Think Inside the Box

Key: full = a, three-fourths = b, half = c, one-fourth = d, not begun = e



- b. one
 - c. two
 - d. none (to be half made, exactly two of the four lines of the box must be there)
 - e. none
 - f. one



- a. sixteen
- **b.** two
- c. three
- **d.** six
- e. five
- f. None

PAGE 56: In Search of Numbers

1. 2 **3.** 74

2. 13

3. 74 **5.** 456 **4.** 86 **6.** 108

PAGE 57: **Alien Phenomenon**

| | Total number of hands | Inside or outside the asteroid belt |
|------------|-----------------------------|---|
| 2. Sunev | 3 | inside |
| 3. Rucremy | 4 | inside |
| 4. Smar | 7 | outside |
| 5. Retipuj | 5 | outside |
| 6. Rutans | 1 | inside |
| 7. Sunaru | 2 | inside |
| 8. Enutpen | 6 | outside |
| 9. Otulp | 7 | inside |

PAGE 58: One-Hit Wonder

- 1. 1992
 6. 1988

 2. 1983
 7. 1995

 3. none
 8. none

 4. 1984, 1986
 9. 1990
- **5.** none **Answer:** 1989

PAGE 59: Break the Code!

The code (Rebmun number = Earth number):

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

- **2.** 9 + 0 = 9
- 2. 9 + 0 9
- **3.** 4 + 4 = 8
- **4.** 1 + 6 = 7
- **5.** 0 + 0 = 0
- **6.** 4 + 3 = 7
- 7. 5 + 2 = 7
- **8.** 8 + 1 = 9
- **9.** 2 + 0 = 2 **10.** 8 + 8 = 16

PAGE 60: Oops, Wrong

Number

- **1.** 852-4419
- 2. 541-1632
- **3.** 352-3911
- **4.** 288-2648
- **5.** 666-6667
- **6.** 650-7997
- **7.** 235-5799
- **8.** 415-4444 **9.** 723-1651
- **10.** 453-4231

ANSWERS

Page 6: Not Your Usual Crossword Across: 5. sphere (orb) 7. to prevent something (foil) 8. mythical creature (elf) 10. not take part in (exempt) Down: 2. hot breakfast (oatmeal) 3. a group of three (trio) 4. regular (normal) 6. a secret plan (plot) 9. transmit document by phone line (fax)

Page 7: **Can You Smell a Rat?**The following words aren't real:
1. polkera 2. kloogus 3. Scotzygan
4. gundeel 5. siltic 6. rodotephobia

Page 8: The One Word
Center column spells somnambulist:
sheets, snooze, dream, snore, nap,
pajamas, blanket, shuteye, pillow,
midnight, sleepy, bedtime
A somnambulist is a person who
walks in his sleep.

Page 9: You're Breaking Up Smaller words are as follows:

robe/doll 2. pail/near

3. ghost/mine 4. wasp/rods

5. tour/stub 6. sew/theater

7. bust/rout 8. snake/flow.

Page 10: The Name Game

2. Velocity 3000 3. Provincial Travel 4. Jester's Handbook 5. Tranquility Inn 6. Etiquette 7. Mosaic 8. Resonate Hall 9. Luminous Gel 10. Microscopasaurus

Page 11: Jumbled and Incomplete

2. d - dream, drizzle, distant

3. o – globe, rainbow, journey

4. b - beach, brave, boring

5. i - milk, winter, bicycle

6. c - comet, carrot, creature

7. j - joke, jungle, juggle

8. w - crow, answer, whisper

Page 12: Rhyme With Reason

1.d, z - doze 2. g, p - grape 3. b, d, g, d - bodyguard 4. b, z - blaze 5. v, g, t, b - vegetable 6. v, d - invade 7. t, g, t - target 8. d, v, c - advice 9. g, z - gauze 10. d, p, t - depart

Page 13: Fall Back or Spring Ahead? 2. stalactite 3. feeble 4. hemisphere 5. transparent 6. accomplice 7. brine 8. a cappella 9. diminutive 10. duckbill

Page 14: Letters on the Run

1. oasis 2. eerie 3. icicle 4. rewind 5. orchard 6. protect 7. hammock 8. envelope

Page 15: EE-ther OAr

3. no (feet yes, foat no) 4. no (meen no, moan yes) 5. yes (seer and soar) 6. yes (fleet and float) 7. yes (meet and moat) 8. no (seed yes, soad no) 9. no (sleet yes, sloat no) 10. yes (beet and boat) 11. no (reer no, roar yes) 12. no (teer and toar) 13. yes (seek and soak) 14. no (peek yes, poak no) 15. yes (creek and croak)

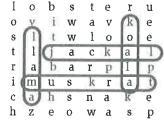
Page 16: Four Squares

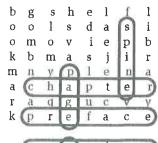
Grid 1: jackal, koala, llama, muskrat; should *not* be circled: eel, lobster, snake, wasp

Grid 2: chapter, page, preface, spine; should *not* be circled: bookmark, library, shelf

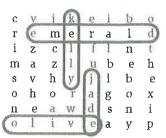
Grid 3: Bolivia, Chile, Ecuador, Uruguay; should *not* be circled: Cuba, France, India

Grid 4: emerald, jade, kelly, olive; should *not* be circled: crimson, ebony









Page 17: Out Of Here!

2. pavement (9 / weapons) 3. palette (8 / bodies of water) 4. bog (7 / communities) 5. creek (3 / big cats) 6. triathlon (10 / three-dimensional objects) 7. puma (5 / wet areas of land) 8. catapult (2 / painting terms) 9. hamlet (4 / road surfaces) 10. shin (1 / track and field events)

Page 18: Say What?

Correct answers from word find are as follows with dummy answers in parentheses:

1. fourteen (twelve, forty) 2. clavicle (femur, sternum) 3. brackets (parentheses) 4. bovine (canine, ursine) 5. czar (king, pharaoh) 6. typhoon (tornado, whirlpool) 7. spiders (heights, dark) 8. thrice (no dummy answers)

WORD FIND

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| | P | Е | R | U | B | E | Н | J | N | F | K | н | L |
| T | Н | K | N | (F | 0 | U | R | T | E | Е | N | 0 | С |
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| Α | Ι | P | Α | R | E | N | T | Н | E | S | E | S | 1 |

Page 19: Change Is in the Air

2. house 3. noon; 4. dinner

5. sideways 6. smashed 7. window

8. book 9. people 10. strange 11. pen

12. reward.

Page 20: Definition Plugs

2. language 3. symphony 4. ground

5. produce 6. instrument 7. pencil

8. seize 9. period 10. grammar

11. young 12. grasp 13. farm

14. orchestra 15. music

Page 21: E-ttachments

H Jan.

Sorry it took me so long to write back. My family just got back from a trip to take Erie. We rode through New York, Pennsylvania, and Ohio and ended up in the gree state of Michigan. My parents have been there in the past but my dister and I never have. One of the most speciecular things we saw was a huge migration of birds over the water. We stayed up late the whole week. The sky was so clear you could see a ster in any direction. It could get very cold, worke then stitting next to an elir conditioner vent. Sometimes we would sit on a bench at the shore any hug sach other to stay warm! Once we saw some motion in the water and thought wa saw this fin of some large entities, but it was just a preeze blowing over the surface. It was dusk and the daylight was so dim that you couldn't blams, us for it). It was nice to be someplace where you can near genite waves lapping all right. There were a ton of people on vacation there. though the crowd included a whole unit of police officers. They were having some kind of conference. I stood next to one of them in line at the builtet and she asked if I was having a good time. Of course, I sale yes. She looked at my plate of food and quipoed, (I know you'd say that--Ive never seen so much food on such a small plate. Where does a small, bony person like you fit all of that food?" I loughed so much that I dropped my lork, and I' rang when it hit the tion. I must have looked so clumsy to her.

You should definitely go spmetime)

Your friend,

Jan (Jane); to (toe); trip (tripe); Erie (eerie); we (ewe and wee); rode (erode); the (thee); state (estate); past (paste); migration (emigration); late (elate); star (stare); very (every); than (Ethan); vent (event); sit (site); on (one); at (ate and eat); hug (huge); motion (emotion); fin (fine); dim (dime); us (use); for (fore); be (bee); can (cane); ton (tone); unit (unite); yes (eyes); quipped (equipped); bony (ebony); rang (range); her (here); go (ego); Tim (time)

Page 22: One Word, Two Words

2. light (luminous, spectrum), house (abode, domicile) 3. gold (bullion, karat), fish (cod, grouper) 4. flower (orchid, geranium), pot (cauldron, wok) 5. bed (trundle, futon), rock (slate, obsidian) 6. red (crimson, rouge), head (cranium, noggin) 7. play (frolic, romp), mate (partner, associate) 8. under (beneath, underneath), take (get, secure)

Page 23: Inside Information

2. g (coin/fountain) 3. h (pupil/eye)
4. f (pig/sty) 5. a (helium/balloon)
6. b (cereal/ pantry) 7. c (assets/ vault) 8. d (rake/shed) 9. n (license/ wallet) 10. l (arrow/quiver)
11. k (battery/flashlight)
12. m (mercury/thermometer)
13. j (lint/dryer) 14. o (reflection/ mirror) 15. i (message/bottle)

Page 24: Double the Fun

2. yes 3. no; spelling wrong; Egypt 4. yes 5. no; spelling wrong; Mississippi 6. no; both wrong; Everest is highest mountain; correct spelling is Kilimanjaro 7. no; spelling wrong; Juneau (Alaska) 8. no; geography wrong; Beijing 9. yes 10. no; geography wrong; Northern Ireland

Page 25: It All Adds Up

1. meter 2. decimal point 3. Celsius

4. seventy-five 5. octagon 6. thousand

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Mystery Question

What is a number that is subtracted from another number called? *Answer:* Subtrahend

Page 26: Blue Moon

1. blue 2. moon (Jupiter) 3. moon (Mars) 4. blue; 5. blue 6. moon (Pluto) 7. blue; 8. blue 9. moon (Uranus) 10. moon (Saturn)

Page 27: The Class Is All Ears

- 1. feet 2. tongue 3. brain or liver
- 4. ears 5. eyes 6. heart 7. lungs 8. teeth

Page 28: State of the Art

1. Kentucky, New Jersey 2. Delaware, Florida, Georgia, Hawaii, Louisiana, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, Utah 3. Ohio, Iowa, Maine 4. Alabama, Alaska, Arizona 5. Arkansas (Kansas), West Virginia (Virginia) 6. Idaho, Indiana, Iowa, Oklahoma 7. Hawaii, Idaho, Maine, Utah 8. Georgia, Kansas, New York, Texas, Utah, Vermont 9. Connecticut, Illinois, Massachusetts, Minnesota, Mississippi, Missouri, Pennsylvania, Tennessee 10. Florida, Rhode Island, Wyoming 11. Nebraska, Nevada, North Carolina, North Dakota 12. Hawaii, Tennessee

Page 29: All Mixed Up

(Chart 1) Category 1: Outside the body – thumbnail, eyelash, scalp, temple; Category 2: Inside the body – capillary, esophagus (Chart 2) Category 1 – U.S. Presidents: Jefferson (Thomas), Reagan (Ronald), Wilson (Woodrow); Category 2 – Famous Inventors: Edison (Thomas), Carver (George Washington), Wright (Orville) (Chart 3) Category 1 – Valleys: canyon, gorge, ravine; Category 2 – Peaks: mountain, hilltop, crest

Page 30: Earth, Wind, and Fire

- 1. topsoil (earth) 2. inferno (fire)
- 3. tide (water) 4. cultivate (earth)
- 5. cloud (air or water) 6. combustible (fire) 7. dew (water) 8. oxygen (air or fire) 9. atmosphere (air) 10. ember (fire) 11. condensation (water)
- 12. arid (earth) 13. altitude (air)
- 14. molten (fire) 15. crust (earth)

Page 31: From This to That

1. Words should be in order from the smallest in area to the biggest in area as follows: town, city, county, continent, hemisphere

2. Words should be in order from earliest time period to most recent time period as follows: Neanderthal, Roman Gladiator, Viking, medieval knight, Pilgrim

3. Words should be in order from least in amount to greatest in amount as follows: dozen, score, gross, million, billion

Page 32: Amazing Science

space: black hole, constellation, supernova; weather: monsoon, precipitation, cumulus; geology: stalactite, magma, ore; animal life: herbivore*, primate, artery; plant life: kelp, nectar, chlorophyll; microscopic world atom, amoeba, protozoa

If students have different answers, have them explain why. For example, a herbivore* is an animal that eats plants, so this word could also be under plant life.

Page 33: A Happy Marriage

Word that can be attached to the end:
2. thing (everything, nothing, something) 3. room (bedroom, bathroom, storeroom) 4.place (fireplace, workplace, birthplace) 5. ware (software, kitchenware, giftware) 6. line (borderline, beeline, online)
Word that can be attached to the beginning:

1. base (baseball, baseline, baseboard) 2. water (waterproof, watercolor, watermelon) 3. short (shortbread, shortcut, shortstop) 4. play (playground, playpen, playmate)

5. star (starfish, stargaze, starstruck)
6. up or down (upstairs/downstairs, upside/downside, upbeat/downbeat)

Page 46: Word Works

Words formed and definitions (in parentheses) are as follows: 1. comfort (the feeling of being relaxed and free from pain and worry) 2. poetic (having the qualities of poems) 3. violence (the use of physical force) 4. exit (to leave or go out) 5. public (something that belongs or can be used by everybody) 6. combine (to join or mix two or more things together) 7. absence (the state of being away or not present) 8. exhaust (the waste gases produced by the engine of an automobile) 9. exceed (to be greater or better than something else)

Your Turn: ex - out; com - with; ence - state or quality of; ic - relating to

Page 47: ZIP It

| f | w | q | Z | h | 8 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 0 | b | n | у | u | e |
| u | х | b | d | h | у |
| х | k | f | С | i | u |
| S | m | р | j | b | r |
| c | s | h | 0 | w | v |
| u | e | s | m | у | e |
| f | k | n | х | t | p |
| f | d | 1 | b | q | s |
| a | j | n | w | f | u |

ZIP = Zone Improvement Plan

Page 48: Keep It Short

3. apartment – apt. 4. Wednesday – Wed. 6. officer – off. 10. producer – prod. 11. singular – sing. 12. literature – lit. 14. Maine – ME 15. Reverend – Rev.

Page 49: Acronym or Not?

4. asap: as soon as possible 5. radar: radio detecting and ranging 8. pin code: personal identification number 10. yupple: young urban professional 11. laser: light amplification by stimulated emission of radiation 13. modem: modulator/demodulator 16. swat: special weapons action team

Page 50: Collecting Compounds backfire, firehouse, fireman, flashback, flashlight, headlight, lifetime, lighthouse, nightlife, night-light, nighttime, backlight, headboard, backboard, backfire, outback, outhouse, time-out If students found others, have them share with their classmates!

Page 51: All About Analogies
2. go; 3. told 4. toe 5. spoon
6. orchard 7. japan 8. hive 9. column
10. sun 11. arrow Bonus: hurricane
(yolk is the center of an egg, eye is

Page 52: One Word, Two Meanings 2. roll 3. book 4. cast 5. spot 6. well 7. raise 8. fan; 9. bear 10. star 11. fluke 12. wound

Page 53: E-mail Order Correct alphabetical order is as follows:

the center of a hurricane)

m10@cyberplanet.com
mm01@cyberama.com
mm01@cyberzoo.com
mm12@cyberscape.com
mm12@cyberspaceship.com
mz@cyberfuse.com
mmm123@cybertek.com
mmm1234@cybertek.com
mmm10.cyberquak.com
mnn1@cyberquak.com
mnn02@cyberstorm.com
mnn02@cyberstorm.com
mo01@cyberocity.com
mo01@cybersimple.com
mo01@cybershow.com

Page 54: Alphabetical Anarchy
2. third letter 3.fourth letter 4. sixth
letter 5. ninth letter 6. fifth letter 7.
second letter 8. seventh letter 9. third
letter 10. first letter

Page 55: Pages From the Dictionary The following words would not appear between the guide words: 2. kelp 3. holler 4. perpetrate 5. addendum 6. puppet 7. disgruntle 8. white 9. endless 10. quibble Page 56: Fun With Fa net tiks
Phonetic matches should be as follows (phonetic spelling is in parentheses): Grid 1 – phony (for ne); phone (fon); fan (fan); fine (fīn); funny (fun e) Grid 2 – story (stôr e); stir (stûr); store (stôr); starry (stär e); stare (stâr) Grid 3 – herb (ûrb); hair (hâr); hire (hī r); hero (her o); hairy (hâr e)

Source: Phonetics taken from *Microsoft Bookshelf 2000*

Page 57: Dots in the Wrong Place

1. as sem bly 2. au di to ri um

3. caf·e·te·ri·a 4. el·e·men·ta·ry

5. ex·am·i·na·tion 6. grad·u·a·tion

7. gym·na·si·um 8. prin·ci·pal

9. e·lim·i·nate 10. hi·er·o·glyph·ics

11. pe·di·a·tri·cian

12. cho · re · og · ra · pher

13. re·con·sid·er

14. met · a · mor · phic

15. so·phis·ti·ca·ted

Page 58: Syllable Wizardry

1. n: e · ven, 2. a or y: a · sleep, sleep · y 3. n, a, or r: ris · en, a · rise, ri · ser 4. e: e · rode 5. o: ro · de · o 6. y: man · y 7. a: a · re · a 8. t, f, or c: ta · ble, fa · ble, ca · ble 9. l: cam · el 10. o: ca · me · o If students found other answers, great! Have them share them with the class.

Page 59: Alphabet Soup

ampersand; apostrophe; asterisk; bracket; parenthesis; question mark; quotation mark; semicolon; seven hundred eighty-nine; thirty-six; two hundred fifty-eight; zero

Page 60: First Words

According to Random House Webster's College Dictionary, the following words should be circled because they came into use first in the English language:

1. oven 2. bicycle 3. clock 4. monkey

5. snowball 6. fingerprinting 7. adobe

8. noun 9. song 10. sorceress

11. baseball 12. black

Page 19: Sentence the Make The correct order is as follows:

- 1. My dog barks at passing cars.
- 2. You have a nice family, 3. The penguins are the newest animals at the zoo. ALSO ACCEPTABLE: At the zoo, the penguins are the newest animals. 4. Speak louder so everyone can hear you. 5. My grandfather was a boy when he got this clock. ALSO ACCEPTABLE: When he got this clock, my grandfather was a boy. 6. I'm better at math than I was last year. 7. Thank you for being a good friend. 8. The pitcher gave us free tickets to the next game. 9. My father's dream for me is to be an air force pilot. 10. Frank's shirt was as wrinkled as a raisin.

Page 20: Places Trading

- 1. splattered 2. milk 3. magazines
- 4. caught 5. umbrellas 6. show
- 7. urge 8. telescope 9. book 10. pizza

Page 21: Three Likes and You're Out Adele didn't strike out. She used "like" incorrectly exactly three times, so she just made the grade. Correct uses are in boldface and incorrect uses are circled.

Unlike the rest of my family, I never liked camping much—until this summer. I was forced to go on a three-day hiking and camping trip. Of course I expected it to be, (like,) the worst weekend of my life. I tried to get out of it but my mom didn't like that very much. "Like it or not, you are coming on this trip!" she said, smiling.

Once there, I started to feel differently. The forest had such a fresh scent, like nothing else I've ever smelled. I liked the sound of the babbling brooks. Every so often we sat on rocks to rest. Once, one of the rocks was, like, hot as if it had been in a fire-my dad jumped up as soon as he sat down!

At night, everything was so tranquil. When I heard a strange rustling noise in nearby bushes, I was, like, a little afraid, but it soon went away. We all slept very peacefully. A year ago I disliked camping, but now I say there is nothing like spending a warm night under the stars.

Page 22: Turn! Run! Break! Fly! The best pair of matches are as follows:

1. turn on shower; turn into driveway, turn up volume, turn over blanket 2. run through choices; run over nails; run up stairs; run across mistakes 3. break into laughter; break down wall; break up mob; break through ice 4. fly off handle; fly in style; fly into sunset; fly by night

Page 23: Language Arts Smarts The following should be crossed out: 1. cower (Cower is a verb.) 2. goose (should be lower case since the portion following the colon isn't a complete sentence.) 3. correct 4. comma (The comma is a punctuation mark.) 5. Viking (Viking should be capitalized because it is a proper name.) 6. except for the letter Y (Y can serve as both a vowel and a consonant.) 7. correct 8. serialized, anesthetized (Serialized and anesthetized don't refer to milk.) 9. I (I isn't a consonant) 10. correct

Page 24: One Letter Short The following underlined letters in boldface are missing from these words and should appear in the righthand column of the chart:

- 1. jackals 2. route 3. Jurassic
- 4. citizens 5. except 6. Jittery
- 7. baz<u>a</u>ar 8. book<u>k</u>eeper

Page 25: A Misspell Spell

2. Open 24 Hours (e became a, o became i, u became e) 3. One size fits all (a became u, e became o, i became a, o became e) 4. Please drive carefully (a became e, e became i, i became o, u became a) 5. Anniversary sale (a became o, e became a, i became u) 6. Ticket window (e became o, i became a, o became u) 7. Welcome to our school (e became u, o became i, u became o) 8. Keep your town clean (a became o, e became u, o became e, u became i) 9. Fixed while you wait (a became o, e became u, i became a, o became e, u became i) 10. Work zone (o became a, e became i)

Page 26: Letter Twins Go Missing The following letters are missing and, when added, spell the following words:

D-disappeared 2. T-trait 3. N-nation

- 4. E-escape 5. W-willow
- 6. M-mainstream 7. R-reviver
- 8. C-cinematic 9. C-civic
- 10. D & T-dread, treat 11. K-kayak
- 12. M- madam

Your Turn: The palindromes are reviver, civic, kayak, and madam

Page 27: Strange Spelling Bee Correctly spelled words and ranks are as follows:

dunjeon: dungeon, 4th letter absense: absence, 6th letter association; 10th letter governer, governor, 7th letter correspondance, correspondence; 11th

emphibian, amphibian, 1st letter environmentul, environmental, 12th

thesauris, thesaurus, 8th letter boomarang, boomerang, 5th letter chlorophill, chlorophyll, 9th letter nesessary, necessary, 3rd letter

Page 28: Between the Lines

The following words are spelled correctly: heyday, yearn, dumbfounded, rancid, naïve, drivel, plunder, nymph, lexicon. They should be inserted into the rows in this order:

PLUNDERANC IDUMBFOUND EDRIVELEXI CONYMPHEYD AYEARNAIVE

Page 29: No Nonsense!

When you replace the vowels with "o," the following words would be in the blanks:

1. rose (Floor, word, moon are words. Roso is not.) 2. oboe (Born, crook, flop are words. Oboo is not.) 3. open (Most, polo, toll are words. Opon is not.) 4. plant (Gross, wood, form are words. Plont is not.) 5. snap (Clock, knock, blob are words. Snop is not.) 6. sent (Lost, song, pots are words. Sont is not.) 7. trail (Loop, soy, poor are words. Trool is not.) 8. button (Roof, most, root are words. Botton is not.) 9. finale (Noon, rode, stool are words. Fonolo is not.) 10. ugly (Too, typo, shop are words. Ogly is not.)

Page 30: Like Two Peas in a Pod 2. riot, root 3. seat, soot 4. lair, leer, liar 5.moot, meat 6. duel, deal, dual, dial 7. seep, soup, soap 8. tied, toad, 9. pool, peel, pail 10 deed, died, dead 11. toil, tail 12. mean, moon, main 13. seam 14. pear, poor, peer 15. rear

Page 31: Animal Spies

The following animals are hidden if you remove these words in parentheses:

- 2. weasel (narwhal, grasshopper)
- 3. pelican (lion or louse, giraffe)
- 4. gazelle (ibis, armadillo)
- 5. porcupine (moth, anteater)
- 6. cricket (snake, coyote)
- 7. ostrich (toucan, sheep)
- 8. salamander (spider, muskrat or manatee)
- 9. lobster (python, wombat)
- 10. mole (aardvark, fox)

Page 32: E-I-E-I-O

These words are formed when you unscramble and add double vowels:

- 2. moon 3. seem 4. eerie 5. igloo
- 6. school 7. spooky 8. kneeling;
- 9. oodles 10. skiing 11. queen
- 12. hawaii

Page 33: A Classics Problem

The following are the original book titles; corrected misspellings in new titles are in parentheses:

2. The Cricket in Times Square (Site) 3. Little House on the Prairie (Residence) 4. Where the Wild Things Are (Well-behaved) 5. The Lion, the Witch, and the Wardrobe (Supernatural) 6. Goodnight Moon (Satellite) 7. The Very Hungry Caterpillar (Appetite) 8. The Little Engine That Could (Locomotive) 9. The Snowy Day (Precipitation) 10. The Giving Tree (Generous) 11. Guess How Much I Love You (Affection) 12. The Polar Express (Arctic)

Page 34: Double Take

1. bb: bubble 2. cc: account 3. dd, zz: puddle, puzzle 4. ee: jeer 5. bb, ff, tt: babble, baffle, battle 6. dd, ff: odd, off 7. pp, tt, nn: sipping, sitting, sinning 8. ll, nn, rr, ss, zz: fully, funny, furry, fussy, fuzzy 9. ee, oo: peel, pool 10. bb, gg, rr: ebb, egg, err

Page 35: Letter Lottery

The following correct letters form these words:

2. K, speak or peaks 3. R, chore 4. E, maple or ample 5. N, wrong or grown 6. S, flash 7. L, spill or pills 8. R, color 9. V, drive 10. G, gargle

Page 36: Pieces of Pie

- 2. k/ey li/me or pu/m/pk/in
- 3. bl/ue/be/rr/y or st/ra/wb/er/ry
- 4. Bo/st/on cr/e/am
- 5. k/ey li/me or pu/m/pk/in
- 6. bl/ue/be/rr/y or st/ra/wb/er/ry

Page 37: Double Check

Misspelled words the computer missed are as follows:

- 1. mussel/muscle; pride/pried
- 2. lesson/lesson
- 3. rein/reign 4. yolks/yokes
- 5. stationery/stationary; knead/need
- 6. turns/terns 7. fined/find; peace/piece; medal/metal 8. complement/compliment 9. currents/currants; sent/scent
- 10. core/corps; moor/more

Page 38: Word Magic

- 2. garden, danger 3. deer, reed 4. ocean, canoe 5. keep, peek 6. react,
- crate 7. stone, notes 8. net, ten
- 9. ignore, region 10. rats, star

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Page 39: Word Hide

Page 40: Rhyme is Reason

Group 2: quiver, river, shiver Group 3: pink, sink, wink Group 4: snow, crow, foe Group 5: four, door or floor, store Group 6: tree or pea, bee or flea, knee

Page 41: A Question of Numbers

The following phrases contain numbers: 1. cat has nine lives 3. Two heads are better than one 5. seven wonders of the world 7. four corners of the Earth 8. Two's company, three's a crowd 9. A stitch in time days a week

Page 42: Youth Sleuth

Card 1: Seth Card 2: Julia Card

3: Randi Card 4: Darren Card 5: Dara Card 6: Mike

Page 43: The Million-Dollar Question

- 2. a. 2 points, b. 1 point, c. 3 points
- 3. a. 1 point, b. 2 points, c. 3 points
- 4. a. 3 points, b. 1 point, c. 2 points
- 5. a, 3 points, b. 2 points, c. 1 point 6. a. 2 points, b. 3 points, c. 1 point
- 7. a. 2 points, b. 1 point, c. 3 points
- 8. a. 2 points, b. 1 point, c. 3 points
- 9. a. 2 points, b. 1 point, c. 3 points 10. a. 2 points, b. 3 points, c. 1 point

Page 44: Anagramania!

- 1. bread 2. deer 3. a kite 4. Jason
- 5. a gerbil 6. gray 7. citrus 8. Lynne
- 9. an oar 10. smile

Page 45: It's Raining Cats and Dogs

- 1. dog; i 2. cat; e 3. horse; h
- 4. monkey; j 5. duck; c 6. beaver; b
- 7. worm; f 8. fish; a 9. goose; g 10. ant; d

Your Turn: "It's raining cats and dogs," means it's raining very hard.

Page 46: Try This, Mate!

1. d 2. m 3. n 4. k 5. f 6. b 7. l 8. j

9. c 10. o 11. h 12. e 13. a 14. g 15. i

Page 47: Word Twister

1.j 2. h 3. i 4. c 5. g 6. d 7. a 8. f 9. b 10. e

Page 48: In Hiding

1. 2nd letter: grape 2. 1st letter:

Halloween 3. 3rd letter: orange

4. 5th letter: Detroit 5. 1st letter: cousin

6. 4th letter: history

7. 6th letter: tiger 8. 3rd letter: cupcake

9. 3rd letter: tennis

10. 2nd letter: autumn

Page 49: Words in the Round

- 1. backpack 2. nervous 3. chapter
- 4. mustard 5. castle 6. opinion

Page 50: Crabby Abby

- 2. gray Monday—Raymond
- 3. can new—Anne
- 4. tell entertaining—Ellen
- 5. mu**les lie**—Leslie
- 6. and rewind—Andrew
- 7. Simon I care—Monica
- 8. howl in darkness-Linda 9. comical and—Alan
- 10. den is entirely—Denise

Page 51: **Are Fries French?**1. g 2. j 3. h 4. c 5. f 6. i 7. d 8. b
9. a 10. e

Your Turn: Answers may vary.

Page 52: The Inside Story

The following words should appear in the first column 1. maple 3. piles 4. races 6. broom 10. stole 13. goal 14. voter

The following words should appear in the second column 2. bookmark (because broom is hidden inside it); 5. lighthouse 7. government 8. slippery 9. scarecrow 11. logical 12. example

Page 53: **Three's Company...**1. crier 2. alarm 3. shady 4. never 5. finger 6. prior 7. pasty 8. renter

Page 54: Animal Scramble
1. bat (behind) 2. frog (jumbled)
3. sheep (ahead) 4. skunk (behind)
5. whale (jumbled) 6. crocodile
(behind) 7. monkey (ahead) 8. giraffe
(jumbled) 9. beaver (behind)
10. opossum (ahead)

Page 55: On the Double!
Accept all reasonable answers.
Possible answers are:
2. E (places to drive on/both have four letters) 3. F (both are birds/both begin with vowels) 4. K (actions mouths do/both are verbs) 5. A (both are metals/both are two-syllable words) 6. H (both are ways to travel/both rhyme) 7. D (both are colors/both begin with "b") 8. N (both are edible/ both are one-syllable words)

Page 56: **Call the Dog Names That Would Work:** Sammy,
Sara, Frazz, Rex, Eek, Murky, Rave

Page 57: **Top of the Morning!** The following words and phrases can be made with top: top *hat*, top *banana*, big *top*, top *speed*, top *story*, top *ten*, top *floor*, top *dog*, top *drawer*. The words *tap*, *stop*, and *end* should not be circled.

Page 58: Word Train

2. seesaw, worrywart, tinsel, lozenge, especially 3. disco, oblong, grateful, licorice, everywhere 4. spinning, gentle, elf, frozen, nightingale 5. dusk, kennel, loan, nimble, exact 6. dodo, outrageous, slip, pulp, princess 7. sandbar, racquet, tease, elegant, turnstile 8. dentist, tricycle, emblem, mammal, loose 9. writer, react, turtle, eardrum, manipulate, estimate 10. rewind, difficulty, yellow, wandered, donor or donor, rewind, difficulty, yellow, wandered or difficulty, yellow, wandered, donor, rewind or wandered, donor, rewind, difficulty, yellow or yellow, wandered, donor, rewind, difficulty

Page 59: **All Locked In**The following words should be marked: 1. marry 3. psychic 4. spoon 7. grain 8. blackboard 10. rewind 12. highlight 14. speedometer 16. literally

Page 60: Haunted Words

1. Goths—ghost 2. photojournalism—phantom 3. triskaidekaphobia—spirit 4. interdisciplinary—spirit 6. respiration—spirit 8. striping—spirit 9. respectful—specter 10. photodisintegration—spirit ghost 13. thoroughness—ghost 14. spokeswoman—spook