

Friday 5th June

Dear Year 6,

We hope you and your families are keeping well and have had a good week.

Here are the activities for this week for you to follow and complete. Our focus in English this week is SPaG so there are lots of activities to keep you busy and revisit key concepts.

As always, use today to complete any unfinished activities too. Remember there's the Reading Challenge to try if you have a few spare moments.

Try to read for at least 20 minutes a day and take Accelerated Reader quizzes from home by using this link [Howley Grange Renaissance at home](#) and logging on as usual using your username and password. To check that the book you are reading has a quiz, you can check it using on [Accelerated Reader Bookfinder](#). It's okay to read books which haven't got a quiz - just keep a record of what you have read.

As always, remember to take time to relax, exercise and be kind to yourselves and each other.

Take care and keep smiling,

Mrs Graham and Mrs North

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English Activity 5b - Write your own autobiography

Use the previous autobiography to write your own.

My Life

When writing an autobiography, it is useful to think about the following details: where and when you were born; special dates; your earliest memories; special events; family details; funny anecdotes; achievements; thoughts and feelings; values and beliefs and hopes for the future.

Use the words, phrases and sentence openers in the box below to write your autobiography.

It is a good idea to colour code the words and phrases before you start, deciding which sentences will be in the introduction, the middle and the end.

I was born on...	I absolutely love...	I remember when...		
although	when	even though	before that	Many moons ago,
I lived...	I was as happy as...	we went	but	I felt really...
I'm incredibly good at...	brilliant	excellent	should	
I adore...	or	In the not so distant past,	Several years ago...	
When I'm older,	It was really funny when...	Near the...	Next year,	
My favourite...	for	enjoyable	My best friend is...	
My family consists of...	On the...	I believe that...	shortly before	
I was really concerned when...	it was heart-breaking	ought to		
When we went on holiday to...	nor	When I was little,		
My hobbies include...	because	I had...	Soon,	
My school is called...	It was exciting when...	for	might	
My happiest memory is...	My saddest memory is...	yet		
horrible	walked	It is my birthday on...	delightful	
before that	after that	next	so	whether
my legs shook like...	my heart raced like...	even if	must	
time has flown by	So far, my life has been...	my room is...		

Maths Activity 5a - ten in ten 😊

1) $967 + 2478 =$

2) $6/9 + 2/9 =$

3) $8.6 + 6.067 =$

4) $6 \times 576 =$

5) $45/50 - 23/50 =$

6) $76 + (54 \text{ divided by } 6) =$

7) $7/8 \times 4/9 =$

8) $965 \text{ divided by } 5 =$

9) $76.5 - 16.458 =$

10) $7635 \times 57 =$

Extension

11) 24, 48, , ,

12) $6/7 \text{ of } 490 =$

13) $1 \frac{1}{2} \times 56 =$

14) 11 hours = mins

You know the rule!

Ten minutes to answer ten questions 😊

Maths Activity 5 - Equations

We have included a Learning Reminder that will help you with answering today's questions.

Don't forget that you can also use your Maths revision book to help you.

Learning Reminder

Find pairs of numbers that satisfy an equation with two unknowns, enumerate possibilities of combinations of two variables.

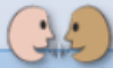
$$a + b = 10$$

a and b are two new mystery whole positive numbers



What might numbers a and b might represent?

There are LOTS of possibilities.



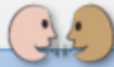
This is a list of pairs of possibilities.



a	b
10	0
9	1
8	2
7	3
6	4
5	5
4	6
3	7
2	8
1	9
0	10

Find pairs of numbers that satisfy an equation with two unknowns, enumerate possibilities of combinations of two variables.

$$c \times d = 24$$



Think what whole numbers c and d might represent.



List ALL the pairs of possibilities on your whiteboard.



c	d
1	24
2	12
3	8
4	6
6	4
8	3
12	2
24	1

Learning Reminder Continued

Find pairs of numbers that satisfy an equation with two unknowns, enumerate possibilities of combinations of two variables.

$$2e + f = 8$$

8	
2e	f

Find a pair of whole numbers which will work.

Test out your ideas by substituting for the letters, e.g. if you think 3 and 2 will work, work out $2 \times 3 + 2 = 8$.
So, e could equal 3 and f equal 2. Could e equal 2 and f equal 3? Try it!

Double a number, plus another number makes 8...
If e is 1, then f must be...
If e is 2, then...

Some interesting patterns in this table.

e	f
0	8
1	6
2	4
3	2
4	0

Maths Activity 5b ** and ***

Equations with two unknowns

Write the possible pairs of answers for these equations. All answers are whole numbers.

$$a + b = 9$$

$$c \times d = 15$$

$$10 - e = f$$

$$g + h + 1 = 11$$

$$j \times k - 1 = 15$$

$$m + n - 2 = 8$$

$$p \times q = 20$$

$$14 - r = s$$

$$2t + u = 10$$

Challenge

Can you make up a puzzle like this for your partner to solve?

Equations with two unknowns

Find a pair of numbers that works in **both** equations:

$$a + b = 10$$

$$a \times b = 21$$

$$c \times d = 16$$

$$c - d = 6$$

$$e + f = 12$$

$$e - f = 4$$

$$g - h = 9$$

$$g \div h = 4$$

$$j \times k = 72$$

$$j \div k = 2$$

Challenge

Can you make up a puzzle like this for your partner to solve?

Maths Activity 5c - challenge

Check your understanding Questions

Both a and b are whole numbers.

How many possibilities are there for values of a and b
if $a + 2b = 13$.

$2a$ is 5 more than $3b$.

If a and b are both whole numbers and $a < 10$, what are the possible values for a and b ?

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1) 3445

2) $\frac{8}{9}$

3) 14.667

4) 3456

5) $\frac{22}{50}$

6) 85

7) $\frac{28}{72}$

8) 193

9) 60.042

10) 435195

11) 96, 192

12) 420

13) 84

14) 660

ANSWERS - ** and ***

Equations with two unknowns (mild)

$$a + b = 9$$

$$a = 0 b = 9, a = 1 b = 8, a = 2 b = 7, a = 3 b = 6, a = 4 b = 5, a = 5 b = 4, a = 6 b = 3, a = 7 b = 2, a = 8 b = 1, a = 9 b = 0$$

$$c \times d = 15$$

$$c = 1 d = 15, c = 3 d = 5, c = 5 d = 3, c = 15 d = 1.$$

$$10 - e = f$$

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$$g + h + 1 = 11$$

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$$j \times k - 1 = 15$$

$$j = 1 k = 16, j = 2 k = 8, j = 4 k = 4, j = 8 k = 2, j = 16 k = 1$$

$$m + n - 2 = 8$$

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$$p \times q = 20$$

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$$14 - r = s$$

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$$2t + u = 10$$

$$t = 4 u = 2, t = 3 u = 4, t = 2 u = 6, t = 1 u = 8$$

Equations with two unknowns (hot)

$$a = 7 \quad b = 3 \text{ or } a = 3 \quad b = 7$$

$$c = 8 \quad d = 2$$

$$e = 8 \quad f = 4$$

$$g = 12 \quad h = 3$$

$$i = 12 \quad k = 6$$

Answers - Challenge

Check your understanding

Answers

Both a and b are whole numbers.

How many possibilities are there for values of a and b

if $a + 2b = 13$. There are 7 solutions.

Since $2 \times$ any number is an even number, a must be odd. Some children may miss the solution where b is 0.

The solutions are:

$a = 1$ and $b = 6$

$a = 3$ and $b = 5$

$a = 5$ and $b = 4$

$a = 7$ and $b = 3$

$a = 9$ and $b = 2$

$a = 11$ and $b = 1$

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A number less than 10 is multiplied by itself. The answer is equal to a different number multiplied by 9.

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Either $3^2 (= 1 \times 9)$ or $6^2 (= 4 \times 9)$.