

Ways to Multiply and Divide

Maniratnam - The Cashier

Maniratnam is the cashier of king Jayan. His job is to find out the salary of all the people who work for the king. This chart shows how much salary each person gets in a day.

Person		Salary in a day
Minister	-	Rs 195
Horse rider	_	Rs 76
Cook	_	Rs 65

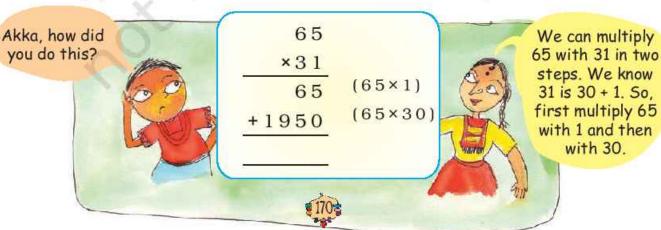
Maniratnam wanted to calculate the salary of the cook for the month of January. He wrote —

0	60	5
30	60 × 30	5 × 30
30	1800	150
e e	60 × 1	5 × 1
1	60	5

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Rupees 1800 + 150 + 60 + 5 = Rs

Maniratnam's daughter Bela has learnt another method to multiply. She wrote like this and showed it to Bhanu, her brother.





Now Bhanu tried to find the salary of a minister for the month of January. He wanted to multiply 195×31 .

To multiply by 30 I first write a zero here. Then I only have to multiply by 3.

Practice time

- 1) Use Bela's method to multiply these numbers.
 - 32×46
 - 67 × 18

- 2) Do these in your notebook using Bela's method.
 - 47×19

b) 188×91

 63×57

d) 225×22

e) 360×12

f) 163 × 42











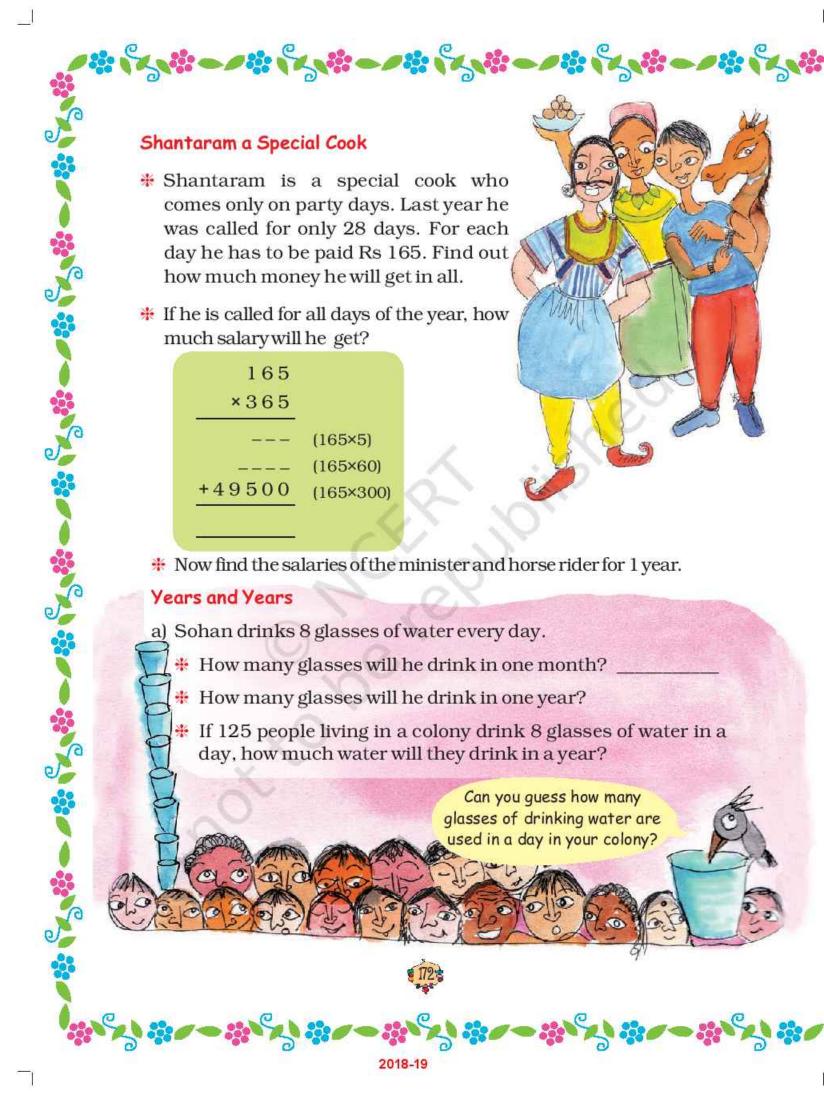












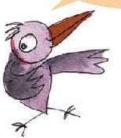


b) If Soha's heart beats 72 times in one minute, how many times does it beat in one hour?

Now find out how many times it beats in one day.

* Count your own heart beats to find out how many times your heart beats in one week.

Guess how many times it beats in one year.



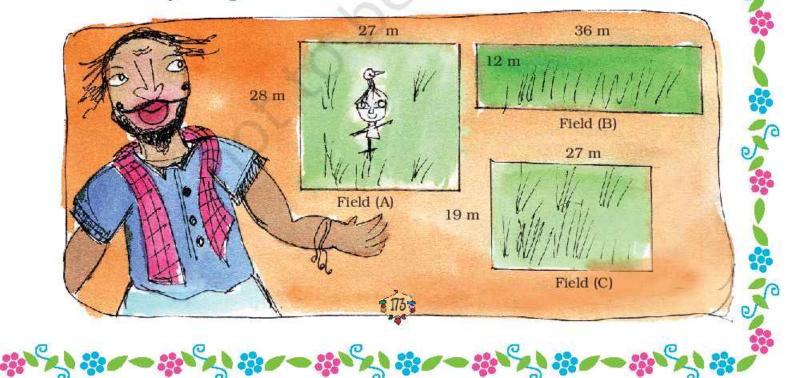


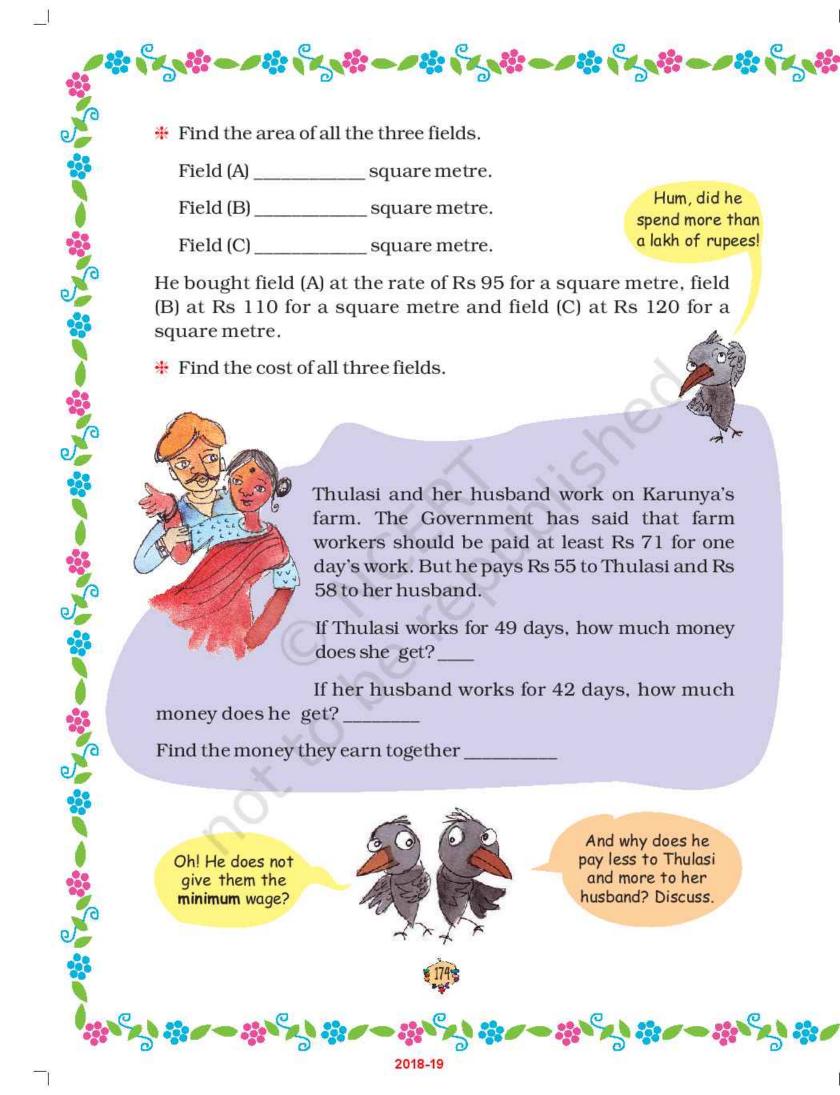
c) A baby elephant drinks around 12 L of milk every day. How much milk will it drink in two years?

d) A baby blue whale drinks around 200 L of milk in one day. Just imagine how much milk that is! Find out in how many days your family would use 200 L milk. How much milk would the baby blue whale drink in eight months?

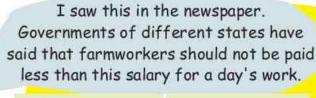
Karunya - The Landlord

Karunya bought three fields.







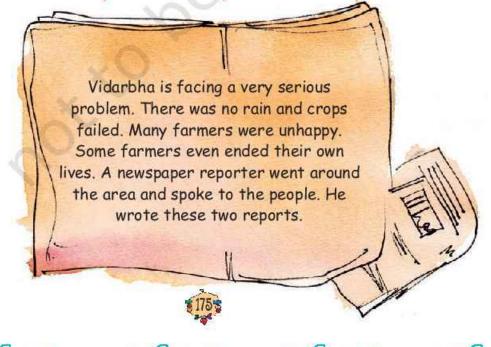


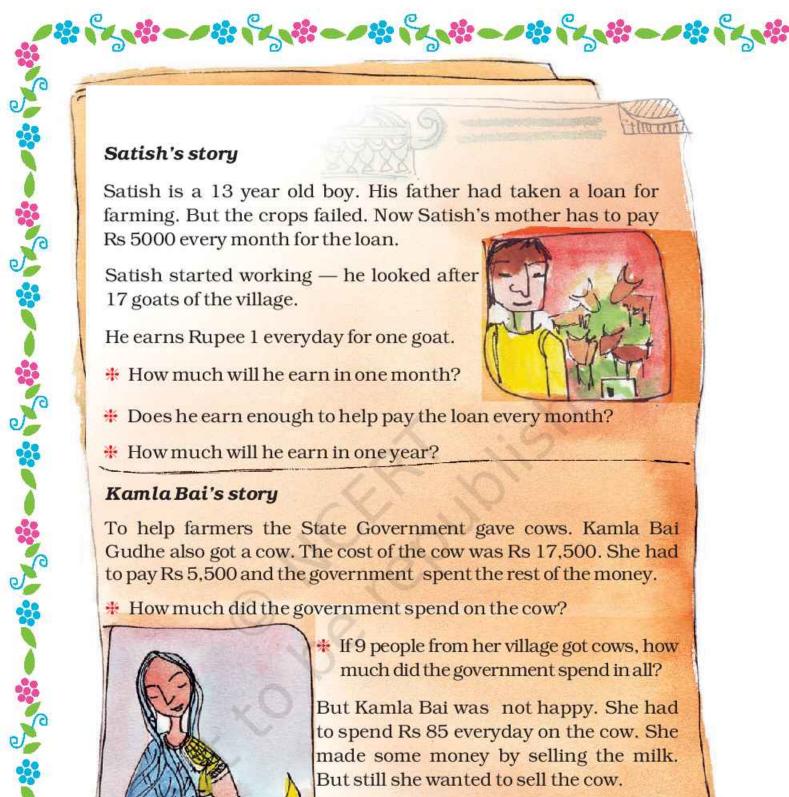
State	Salary for one day
Haryana	Rs 135
Rajasthan	Rs 73
Madhya Pradesh	Rs 97
Orissa	Rs 75

The table shows the amounts fixed by four states.

- a) For farm work which state has fixed the highest amount? Which state has fixed the lowest?
- b) Bhairon Singh is a worker in Rajasthan. If he works for 8 weeks on the farm, how much will he earn?
- c) Neelam is a worker in Haryana. If she works for 2½ months on the farm, how much will she earn?
- d) How much more will a farm worker in Madhya Pradesh get than a worker in Orissa after working for 9 weeks?

Farmers in Vidarbha (Maharashtra)





Satish's story

Satish is a 13 year old boy. His father had taken a loan for farming. But the crops failed. Now Satish's mother has to pay Rs 5000 every month for the loan.

Satish started working — he looked after 17 goats of the village.

He earns Rupee 1 everyday for one goat.

- # How much will he earn in one month?
- * Does he earn enough to help pay the loan every month?
- * How much will he earn in one year?

Kamla Bai's story

To help farmers the State Government gave cows. Kamla Bai Gudhe also got a cow. The cost of the cow was Rs 17,500. She had to pay Rs 5,500 and the government spent the rest of the money.

* How much did the government spend on the cow?

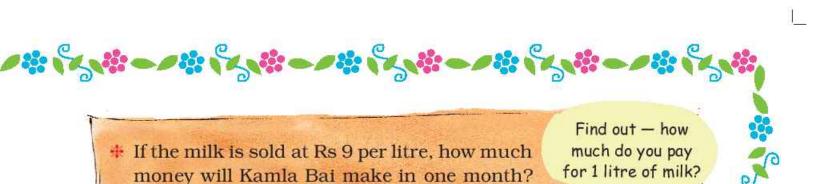


If 9 people from her village got cows, how much did the government spend in all?

But Kamla Bai was not happy. She had to spend Rs 85 everyday on the cow. She made some money by selling the milk. But still she wanted to sell the cow.

- # If Kamla Bai spends Rs 85 a day, find out how much she will spend in one month.
- * The cow gives 8 litre of milk everyday. How much will it give in one month?

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So the money spent on keeping the cow was Rs

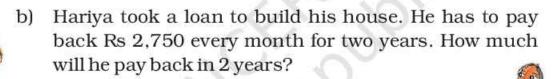
Money earned by selling the milk Rs

Which is more - money spent on the cow or money earned from it? How much?

Explain why she wanted to sell the cow.

Practice time

Sukhi works on a farm. He is paid Rs 98 for one day. If he works for 52 days, how much will he earn?



- Ratiram is a milk seller in the city. He sells c) 13 litres of milk everyday at Rs 23 per litre. How much does he earn?
- A farmer sells 1 litre of milk for Rs 11. In one d) month he sells 210 litres of milk. How much does he earn in a month?
- A company sells 1 litre of packed water for Rs 12. A shopkeeper buys 240 litres of packed water. How much does he pay?

Oh God! Water costs more than milk!! In the city people buy water for Rs 12 per litre!

























Fun with multiplication

A) Look for the pattern and take this forward.

$$(0 \times 9) + 1 = 1$$

$$(1 \times 9) + 2 = 11$$

$$(12 \times 9) + 3 = 111$$

$$(123 \times 9) + 4 =$$

$$(1234 \times 9) + 5 =$$

$$(12345 \times 9) + 6 =$$

B) Each letter **a**, **b**, **c** here stands for a number.

a	9	0
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aaa

aaa0

aaa00

abcba

Take a = 1, then find what the numbers b and c will be.



C) Tricks with your age.

Write your age____

Multiply it by 7

Again multiply the answer by 13

Multiply again that answer by 11 _____

Now look at your last answer. Can you find your age in that answer? How many times does your age show in the answer?

Now try this trick with other people.



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D) Going round and round!

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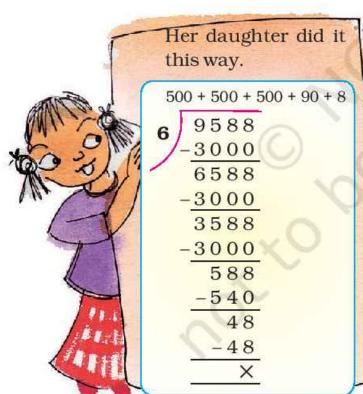
Do you find a pattern in all these answers? Discuss this with your friends.

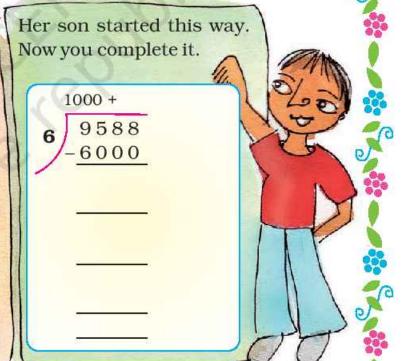
Division

Dolma took a loan from a friend to buy a moped for Rs 9,588. She has to pay it back in equal amounts every month for six months.

How much will she have to pay every month? She asked her children to calculate.







Will both of them get the same answer? Discuss.







Try to solve these using as few steps as you can.

- a) 4228 ÷ 4
- $770 \div 22$
- $9872 \div 8$

- d) 672 ÷ 21
- e) $772 \div 7$
- $639 \div 13$

How Many Times?

976 children are going on a picnic. They will be taken in mini buses. If 25 children can go in one bus, how many buses do they need?

* Two children have solved it. Check if they have made a mistake—correct it. Discuss.

$$-250$$

$$-250$$

$$\frac{230}{101}$$

Ans. We need 39 buses.

$$-250$$

$$-125$$

Giving children the opportunity to find and discuss the errors in these examples will help their own understanding about the different steps for division. In A) a very common error has been given in which children either forget or do not understand the remainder. In B) there is a simple error of multiplication but there is also a more interesting question of whether the child has shown one extra bus for one remaining child.





How Much Petrol?



Isha has Rs 1000 with her. She wants to buy petrol. One litre of petrol costs Rs 47. How many litres can she buy?

Money with Isha = Rs 1000

Cost of 1 litre = Rs 47

Litres of petrol she can buy = Rs $1000 \div \text{Rs } 47 = ?$

Isha can buy _____ litres of petrol.

Find out

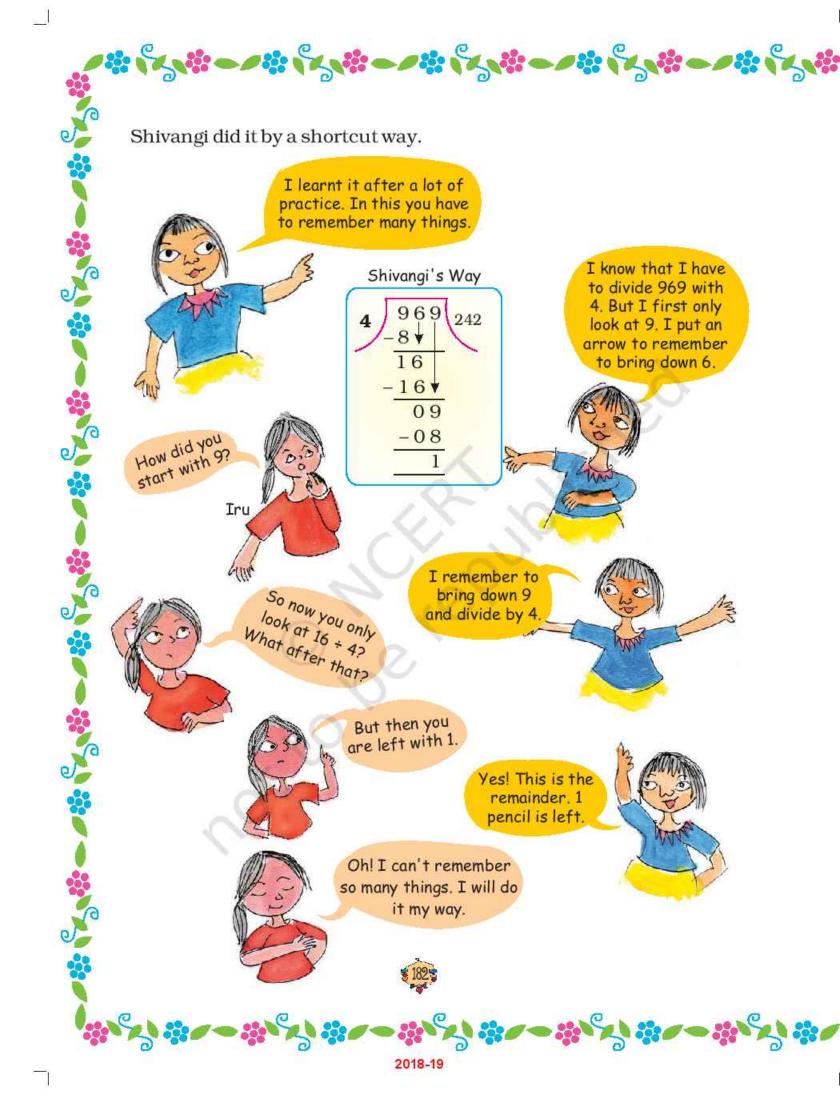
If Isha comes to your city, how much petrol can she buy with the same money?

Children's Day

Children are happy today. They are celebrating Children's Day. Each child will be given 4 coloured pencils from school. The school has got 969 pencils. To find out how many children can get pencils the teacher asks them to divide.



Complete Iru's and Sreeni's way of division. What is the answer you get?



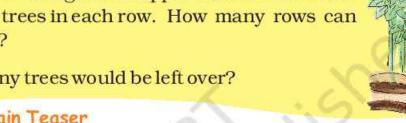


Practice Time



- 576 books are to be packed in boxes. If one box has 24 books, how many boxes are needed?
- 836 people are watching a movie in a hall. If * the hall has 44 rows, how many people can sit in 1 row?
- A gardener bought 458 apple trees. He wants to plant 15 trees in each row. How many rows can he plant?

How many trees would be left over?



Brain Teaser

* Shyamli bought a battery. She read on it 'Life: 2000 hours'. She uses it throughout the day and the night. How many days will the battery run?

More with Multiplication and Division

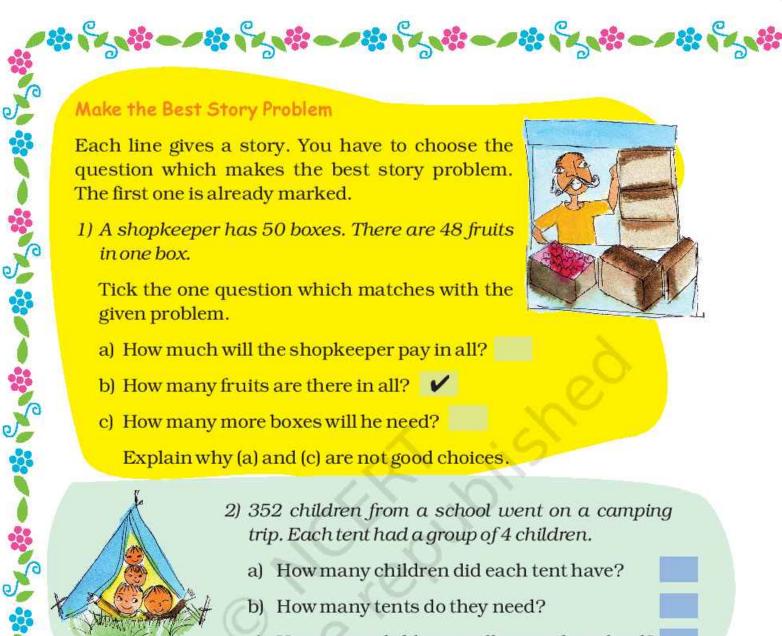
* A tank is full of 300 L of water. How much water will be filled in 25 tanks? If 15 buckets can be filled with one tank of water, how many buckets in all can be filled with the water in 25 tanks?





- There are 28 laddoos in 1 kg. How many laddoos will be there in 12 kg? If 16 laddoos can be packed in 1 box, how many boxes are needed to pack all these laddoos?
- There are 26 rooms in a school. Each room has 4 plants. If each plant needs 2 cups of water, how much water do we need for all the plants?





Make the Best Story Problem

Each line gives a story. You have to choose the question which makes the best story problem. The first one is already marked.

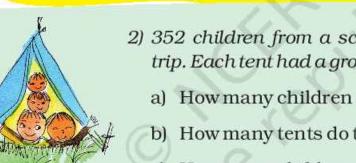
1) A shopkeeper has 50 boxes. There are 48 fruits in one box.

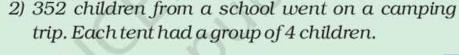
Tick the one question which matches with the given problem.

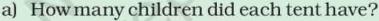


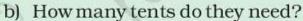


c) How many more boxes will he need? Explain why (a) and (c) are not good choices.

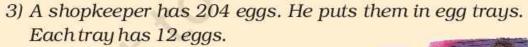








How many children in all are in the school?



How many more eggs will he need?

How many fresh eggs does he sell?

How many egg trays does he need?



Such exercises will help children understand the strategies to make questions related to the concepts of division and multiplication.





- 4) The cost of one book is Rs 47. Sonu buys 23 books.
 - a) How much money does she have?
 - b) How much money does she pay for the books?
 - c) What is the cost of 47 books?





Cross Check for Harisharan

Harisharan wanted to divide Rs 2,456 amongst his 4 sons. He asked his eldest son to tell him howmuchmoney each one will get.

> Papa, each of us will get 2456 ÷ 4 = Rs 624.

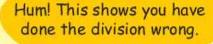
When Harisharan started giving Rs 624 to each son, he was left with less money for the youngest one.



It seems you have made some mistake in the calculations. Let me check.

Harisharan multiplied 624 with 4.

He got = Rs 2,496.







The son did the division again $2456 \div 4 = 614$.

Before telling his father he checked on his own.

 $614 \times 4 = 2456$. Now, it is correct. Each one will get Rs 614.



Practice Time

- 1) Do these divisions. Check your results by multiplication.
 - a) 438 ÷ 9

d) 900 ÷ 10

b) 3480 ÷ 12

e) 678 ÷ 6

c) 450 ÷ 7

f) 2475 ÷ 11



2) Solve the given sums and colour the answers in the grid given below. See what you find.

$$77 \times 10$$

 $288 \div 4$

$$64 \times 42$$

869 ÷ 11

 $847 \div 7$

 $981 \div 3$



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