Dear Incoming Second Grade Students and Parents,

In just a few months you will be in Second Grade! I am busy preparing the classroom for all of the learning we will do this year! I cannot wait to see you all in September!

In order to get ready for Second Grade, it is very important that you read for about 20 minutes each day this summer. This will prepare you for all the fun activities we will be doing during the school year.

In this packet you will find two summer reading lists, a book report, a math packet, and a supply list. Choose two books that you are interested in from either list then complete the book report on one of the books. I am looking forward to reading about what you have been reading all summer. The math packet is for review of math facts, fractions, time, money and regrouping. You will also find a list of school supplies. Please bring these with you on the first day of school.

If any questions come up over the summer, please do not hesitate to email me at aparris@stjosephschoolwakefield.org.

I am looking forward to meeting you all in September! We are going to have a great school year! Enjoy the rest of your summer!

Mrs. Parris

## Second Grade Supply List

- 2 Large Boxes of Tissues
- 2 Rolls of Paper Towels
- 2 Containers of Lysol Wipes

Bottle of Elmer's Glue

1 Large Pink Eraser

Scissors

Paint Shirt

Box of Washable Markers

Box of 24 Crayons

- 2 Plastic Pocket Folders
- 4 Glue Sticks
- 1 Hard Plastic Pencil Case
- 2 Dry Erase Markers and 1 Eraser (or old sock)

## Second Grade Suggested Summer Reading List

Note: The following books are only suggestions. Please feel free to add any books that are appropriate for your reader. The staff in the children's area of the public library will also have many wonderful suggestions for you.

Research has shown that the single greatest factor in predicting reading success is whether a child is read to when young. Here are some titles to get you started! Please note that the reading level of the books suggested varies. If your child is already reading, have him or her read a page of the book aloud to you to see if it is a good fit. If they struggle with more than a few words on the page, it is probably too difficult, but the book would still be a great book to read aloud to your child.

#### **School Stories**

- · Amazing Grace by Mary Hoffman
- · Arthur's Prize Reader by Lillian Hoban
- The Day Jimmy's Boa Ate the Wash by Trinka Hakes Noble
- · Fish Face by Patricia Reilly Giff
- Junie B. Jones series by Barbara Park
- Lilly's Purple Plastic Purse by Kevin Henkes
- · Miss Nelson Is Missing by Harry Allard
- · Polk Street Gang series by Patricia Reilly Giff

#### **Books About Friends**

- A Bargain for Frances by Russell Hoban
- · The Beast in Ms. Rooney's Room by Patricia Reilly Giff
- · Fox on the Job by James Marshall
- Frog and Toad Together by Arnold Lobel
- Horrible Harry and the Green Slime by Suzy Kline
- · Pinky and Rex by James Howe

#### **Historical Fiction**

- American Girls series
- Deputy Dan and the Bank Robbers by Joseph Rosenbloom
- Kamishibai Man by Allen Say

#### Classics to Read Aloud

- · Alice in Wonderland by Lewis Carroll
- · Just-so Stories by Rudyard Kipling
- · Paddington Bear by Michael Bond
- Winnie the Pooh by A. A. Milne
- · The Wizard of Oz by L. Frank Baum

#### **Caldecott Awards and Honor Books**

- The Funny Little Woman by Arlene Mosel
- Many Moons by James Thurber
- The Ox-Cart Man by Donald Hall
- The Story of Jumping Mouse by John Steptoe
- Sylvester and the Magic Pebble by William Steig
- When I Was Young in the Mountains by Cynthia Rylant

#### Learning to Read Stories

- Berenstain Bears series by Jan and Stan Berenstain
- Cam Jansen series by David A. Adler
- · Hello Reader!
- I Can Read Books
- Junie B. Jones series by Barbara Park
- · Puffin Easy-to-Read
- Step Into Reading Levels 1-4
- The Stories Julian Tells by Ann Cameron

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#### **Fun Books to Share**

- And I Mean It, Stanley by Crosby Bonsall
- Arthur series by Marc Brown
- A Bad Case of the Stripes by David Shannon
- Berenstain Bear series by Jan and Stan Berenstain
- · Clifford series by Norman Bridwell
- · Dinosaur Time by Peggy Parish
- · The Eye Book by Theo LeSieg
- Franklin series by Paulette Bourgeois
- · Froggy series by Jonathan London
- Green Eggs and Ham by Dr. Seuss
- · Hi! Fly Guy by Tedd Arnold
- · How I Became a Pirate by Melinda Long
- Junie B. Jones series by Barbara Park
- · Little Critter series by Mercer Mayer
- · Morris the Moose by Bernard Wiseman
- Nate the Great series by Marjorie Weinman Sharmat
- · Rainbow Fish by Marcus Pfister
- The Very Busy Spider by Eric Carle

#### Learning to Read Series

- · Hello Reader!
- I Can Read Books
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#### Alphabet Books

- · Animalia by Graeme Baese
- The Icky Bug Alphabet Book by Jerry Pallotta
- Z Was Zapped by Chris Van Allsburg

#### Math in Picture Books

- · How Much Is a Million? by David M. Schwartz
- One Potato: A Counting Book of Potato Prints by Diana Pomeroy
- Ten Sly Piranhas: A Counting Story in Reverse, (A Tale of Wickedness—and Worse!) by William Wise
- · When Sheep Cannot Sleep by Satoshi Kitamura

#### Classics to Read to a First Grader

- · Leo the Late Bloomer by Robert Kraus
- The Little House by Virginia Lee Burton
- Make Way for Ducklings by Robert McCloskey
- When Will I Read? by Miriam Cohen

#### Caldecott Awards and Honor Books

- · Alphabet City by Stephen Johnson
- · Ashanti to Zulu: African Traditions by Margaret Musgrove
- The Hello, Goodbye Window by Norton Juster and Chris Raschka
- Owen by Kevin Henkes
- The Polar Express by Chris Van Allsburg
- A Story, A Story by Gail E. Haley

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The author's name is
My favorite character in the book was
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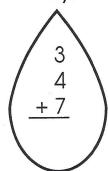
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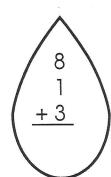
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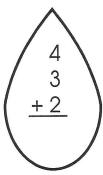
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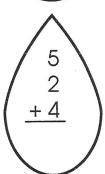
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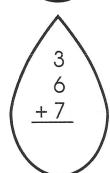


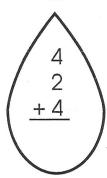


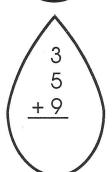
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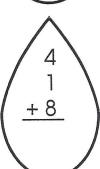


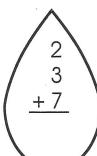


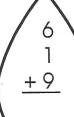












Bonus:

The bunny has 5 carrots, 3 radishes, and 5 turnips.

How many vegetables does he have in all?

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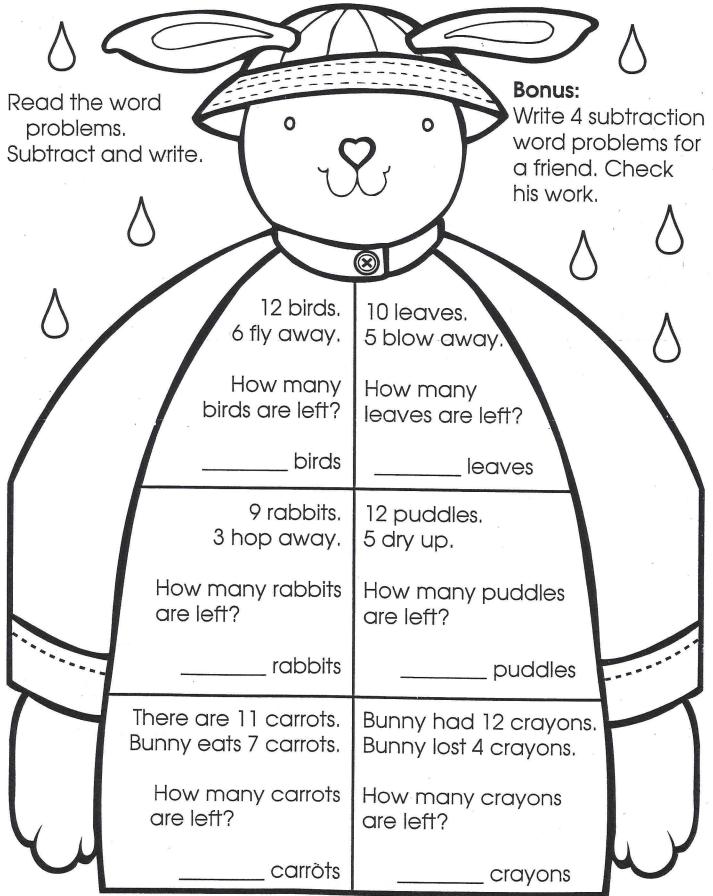
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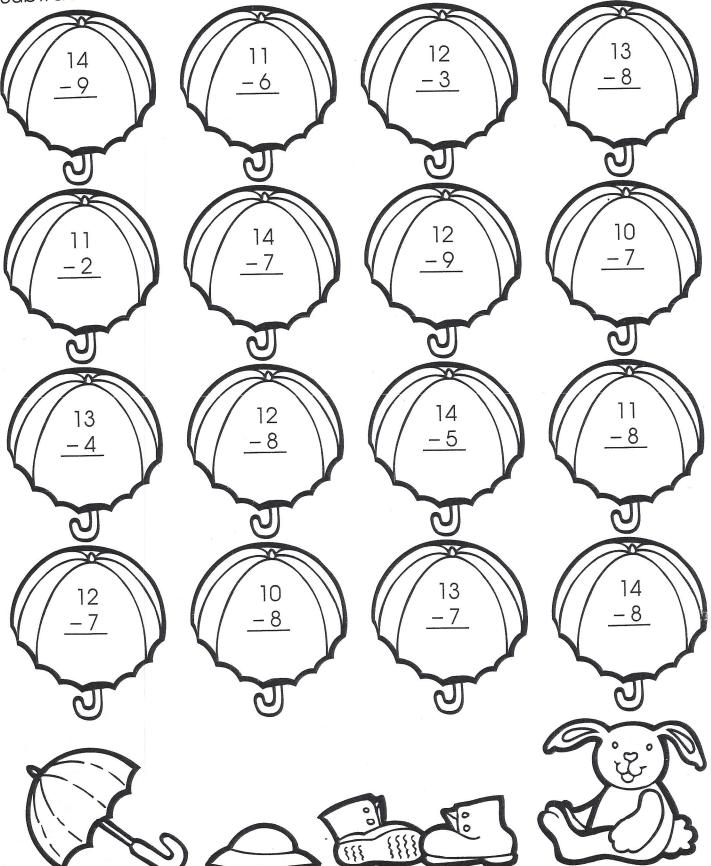


### Rainy Day Rabbit



## **Umbrella Weather**

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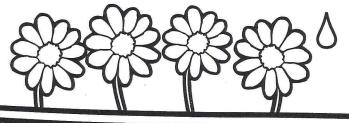


## **Rainy Review**

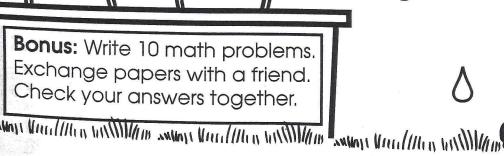
Add or subtract. Write the answers.

$$\Diamond$$





Exchange papers with a friend. Check your answers together.



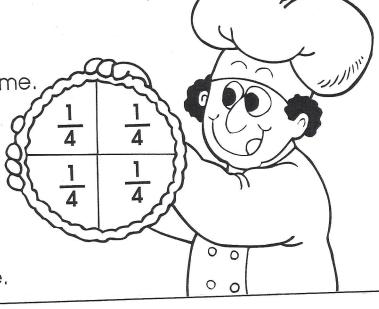


## **Spicy Slices**

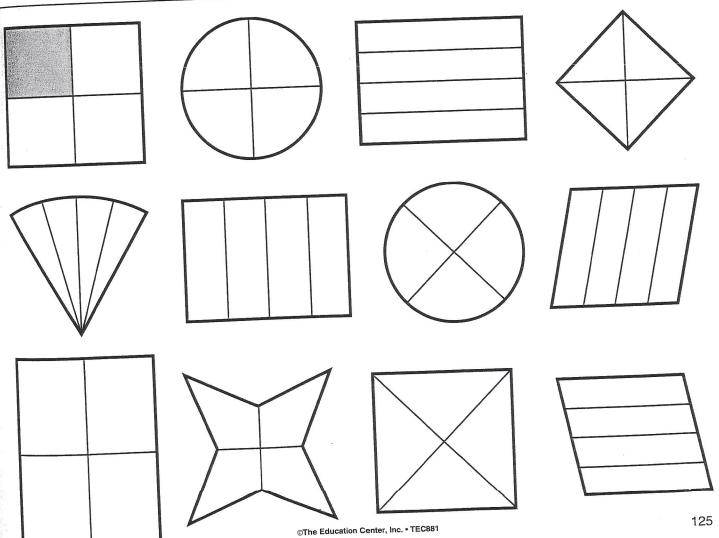
The pizza is cut into four equal parts.

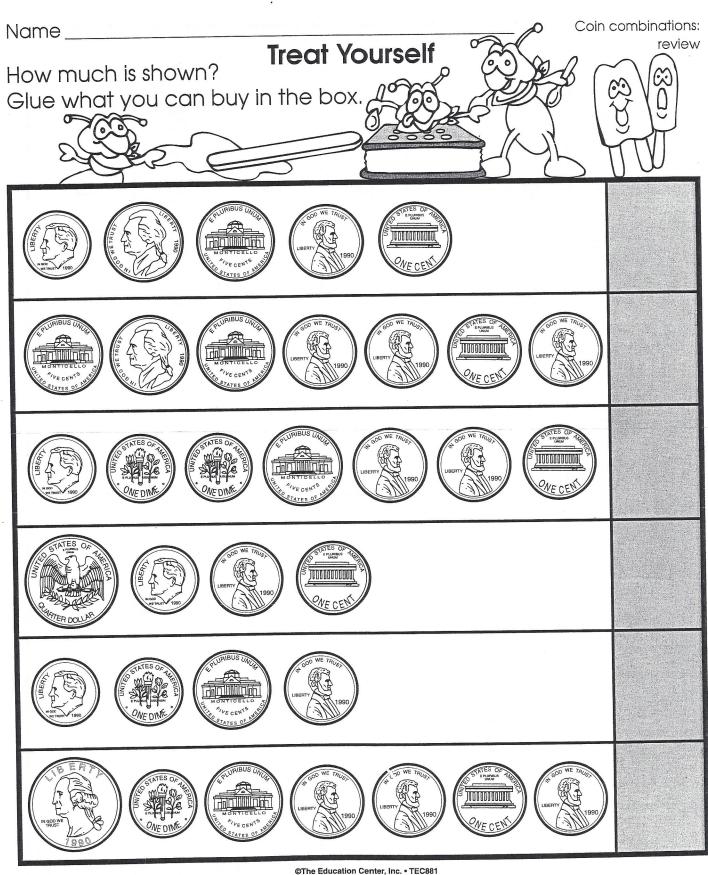
Each part is **one-fourth**.

One-fourth and  $\frac{1}{4}$  mean the same.

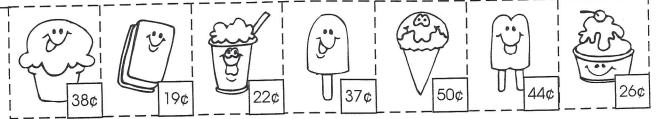


Color one-fourth of each shape.

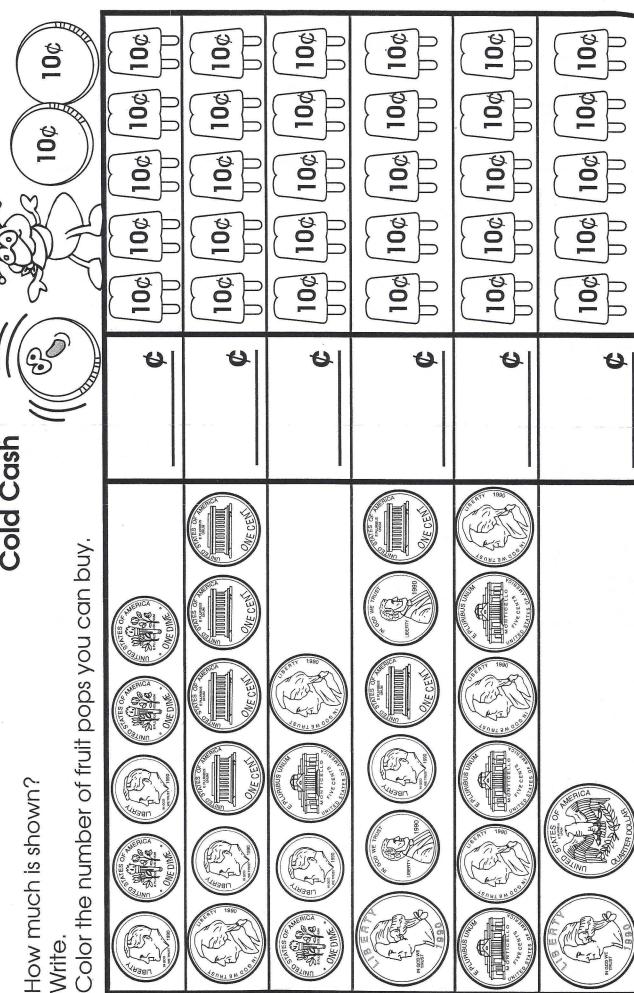








# Cold Cash



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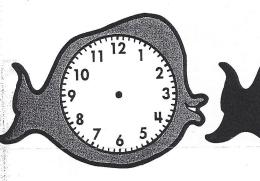


Time to the Minute

# Drawing the Minute Hand

**Fish Time** Draw the hands on these fish clocks.

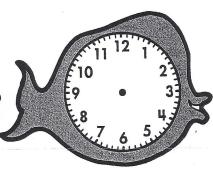




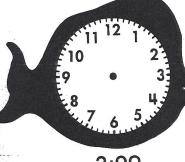
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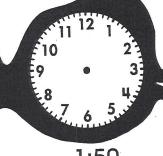
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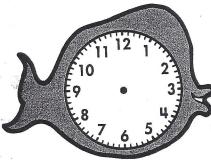
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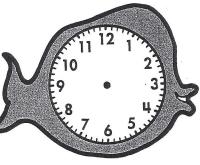
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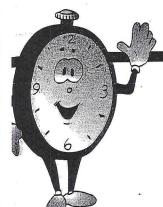
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Time to the Minute

## Writing the Time

**Turtle Time** 



What time is it?

















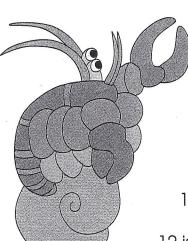


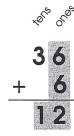


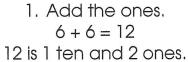


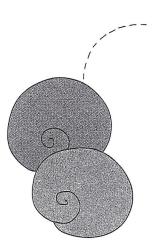


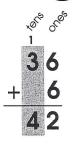
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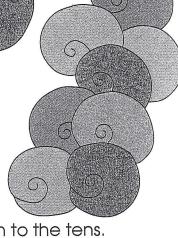












2. Give the 1 ten to the tens.

Now add the tens.

$$3 + 1 = 4$$

Hermit crabs

Add the equations below. Be sure to regroup.



1.

2.

3.

