

# Understand the meaning of equality

1 Which calculations are correct? Tick your answers.

$7 + 2 = 9$  ☐

$10 = 3 + 8$  ☐

$13 - 6 = 7$  ☐

$6 = 25 - 19$  ☐

$36 = 5 \times 7$  ☐

$56 \div 7 = 6$  ☐

2 Which calculations are correct? Tick your answers.

$9 + 8 = 6 + 12$  ☐

$17 + 4 = 3 \times 7$  ☐

$6 \times 3 = 5 \times 4$  ☐

$55 \div 11 = 2 + 3$  ☐

$7 \times 9 = 70 - 7$  ☐

$76 - 19 = 49 + 9$  ☐

$19 + 87 = 87 - 1 + 20$  ☐

$109 + 30 - 1 = 110 + 29$  ☐

$423 - 99 = 423 + 1 - 100$  ☐

$23 \times 99 = 2,300 - 23$  ☐

$7,878 - 78 = 99 \times 78$  ☐

$6,823 \times 999 = 6,823,000 - 6,823$  ☐

3 Complete the bar model to show that  $50 + 30 = 80$


4 Here is a number wall.

5	5	5	5	5	5			
9		4	2	3	3	3	3	3
10		10			10			
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How many equations can you write using this number wall?

Two have been done for you.

$6 \times 5 = 3 \times 10$  and  $3 \times 5 = 9 + 4 + 2$

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5 Complete the equations.

a)  $9 + 6 = 5 +$

f)  $20 \div$    $= 60 \div 12$

b)  $30 - 7 =$    $+ 19$

g)  $0.9 + 2 = 3 -$

c)   $+ 7 = 11 \times 6$

h)   $- 0.4 = 1.3 - 0.7$

d)  $6 \times$    $= 48 \div 4$

i)  $8 \div 0.4 =$    $\div 4$

e)   $\div 3 = 18 \div 6$

6 Write integers in the boxes to make the calculations correct.

a)  $6 + 5 = \square + \square$

b)  $\square \times \square = 55 - 7$

c)  $8 \times 7 = \square - \square$

How many different answers can you find?

7 Jack is finding the missing number in the equation.

$4,891 + 325 = 326 + \square$

326 is 1 more than 325 so to maintain equality the missing number must be 1 less than 4,891



Is Jack correct? \_\_\_\_\_

Explain your answer.

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8 Use Jack's method to find the missing numbers in the equations.

a)  $7,823 + \square = 342 + 7,820$

b)  $\square + 29,403 = 785 + 29,410$

Does the same method work when subtraction is involved?  
Investigate by finding the missing numbers in the equations.

c)  $2,372 - 749 = \square - 750$

d)  $385 - \square = 390 - 242$

9 Find the missing numbers. Explain your method.

a)  $20 \div 4 = 200 \div \square$

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b)  $70 \times 5 = \square \div 2$

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c)  $4,800 \div 12 = 4.8 \div \square$

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