Egg-themed Riddles

The following pages include 18 riddles and their answers. Below are suggestions for printing.

Riddle #1

What has to be broken before you can use it?

Riddle #4

What day do eggs hate the most?

Riddle #2

What do you call a mischievous egg?

Riddle #5

Why was the egg hiding?

Riddle #3

Why do eggs never tell jokes?

Riddle #6

Why did the egg sit on the computer?

– Print the pages two-sided (answers back up riddles), cut along dashed lines, and laminate.
– Print each page separately, cut along dashed lines, and affix corresponding riddles and answers to opposite sides of card stock. Alternatively, use folded card stock with riddles on the outside and answers on the inside.

Answer #4

fry-day!

Answer #1

An egg!

Answer #5

It was a little chicken!

Answer #2

A practical yolker!

Answer #6

To hatch a website!

Answer #3

They might crack up!

Riddle #7

What kind of eggs do evil chickens lay?

Riddle #10

What do you get when you cross a chicken with a bell?

Riddle #8

How does a hen leave its house?

Riddle #11

What do you call a smart egg?

Riddle #9

Why was the egg so happy?

Riddle #12

Why did the egg go to school?

Answer #10

An alarm cluck!

Answer #7

Deviled eggs!

Answer #11

An egghead!

Answer #8

Through the egg-sit!

Answer #12

To get an egg-ducation!

Answer #9

It was sunny side up!

Riddle #13

How do monsters like their eggs?

Riddle #16

What do you call an egg that likes to go on adventures?

Riddle #14

What does an egg do when it sees a pot of boiling water?

Riddle #17

What do you call a highly skilled egg?

Riddle #15

Why did the egg fail its test?

Riddle #18

How does the egg feel when it passes a test?

Answer #16

An egg-splorer!

Answer #13

Terri-fried!

Answer #17
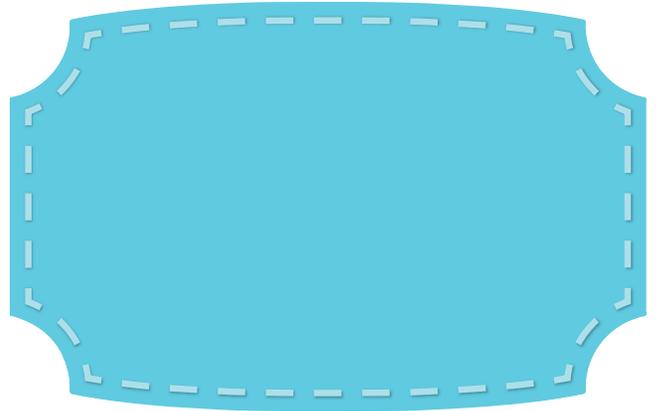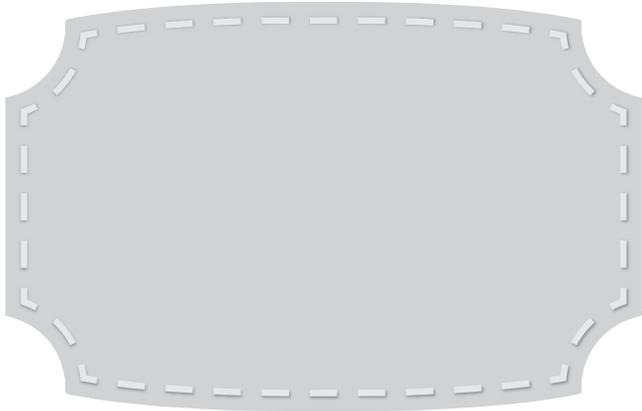
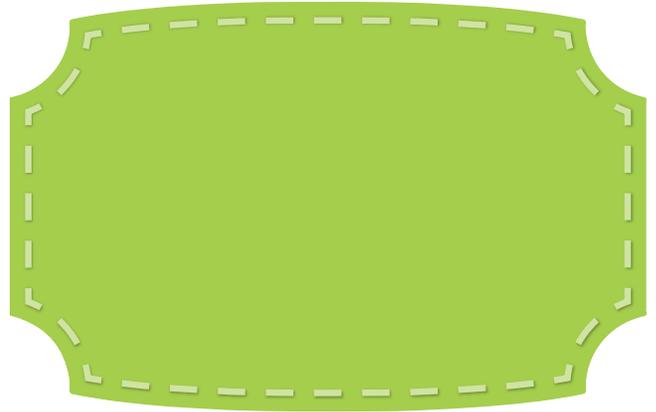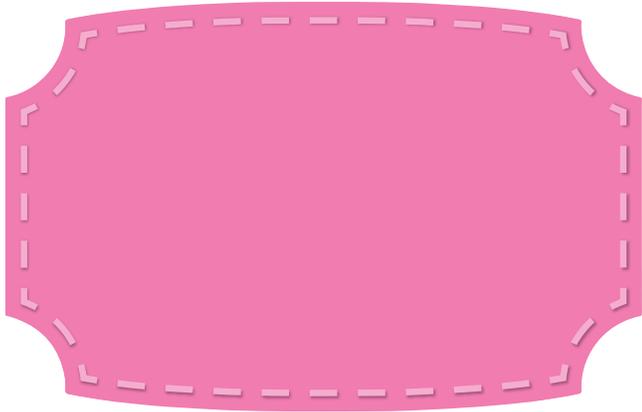An egg-spert!

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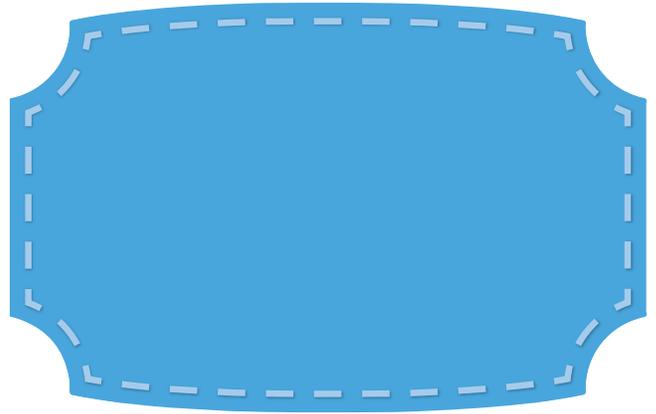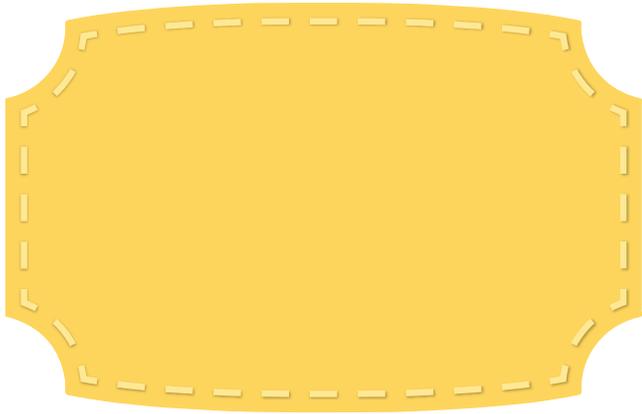It gets hard-boiled!

Answer #18

Egg-static!

Answer #15
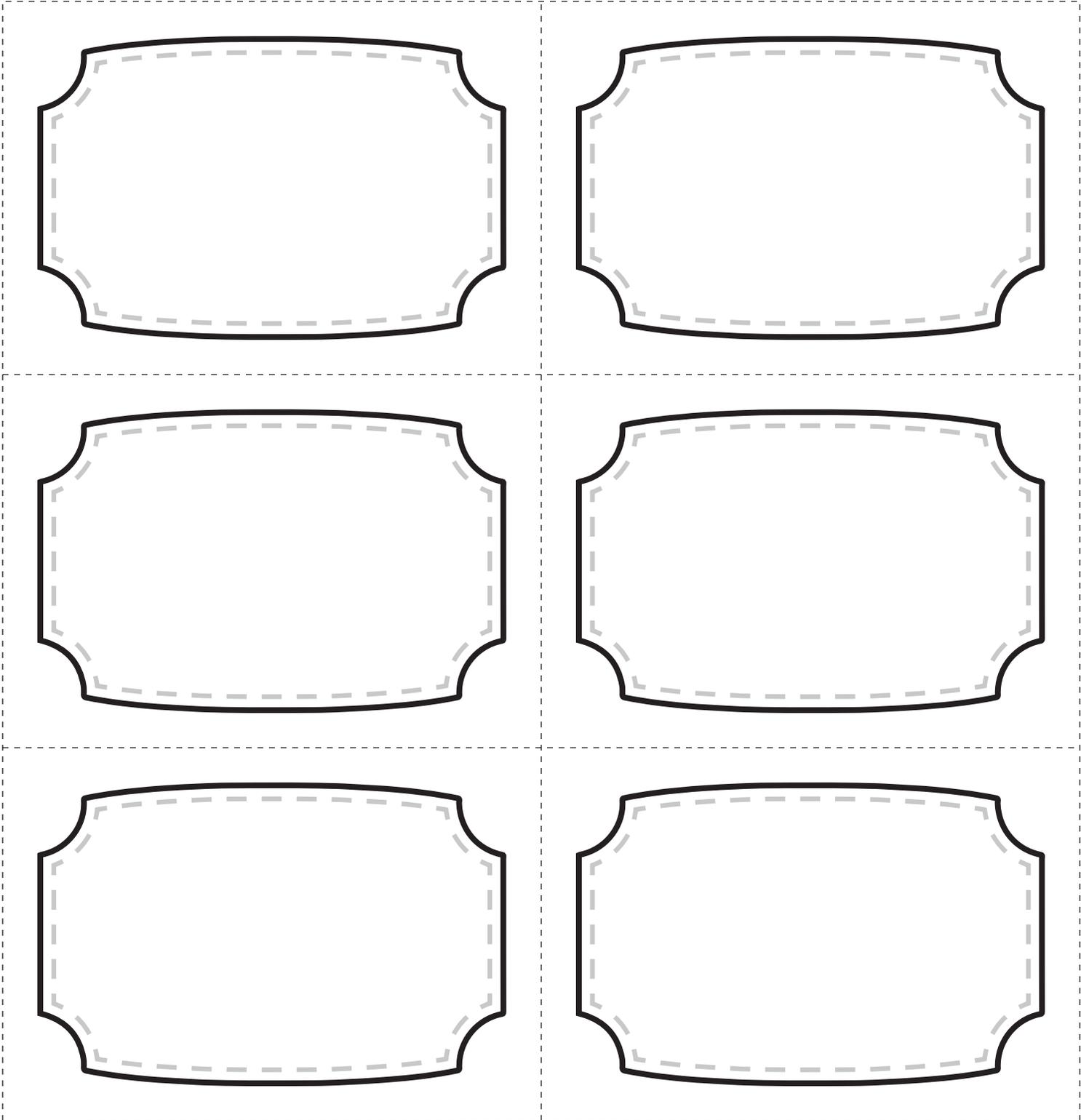
It was a little scrambled!

Bonus Colorful Tags

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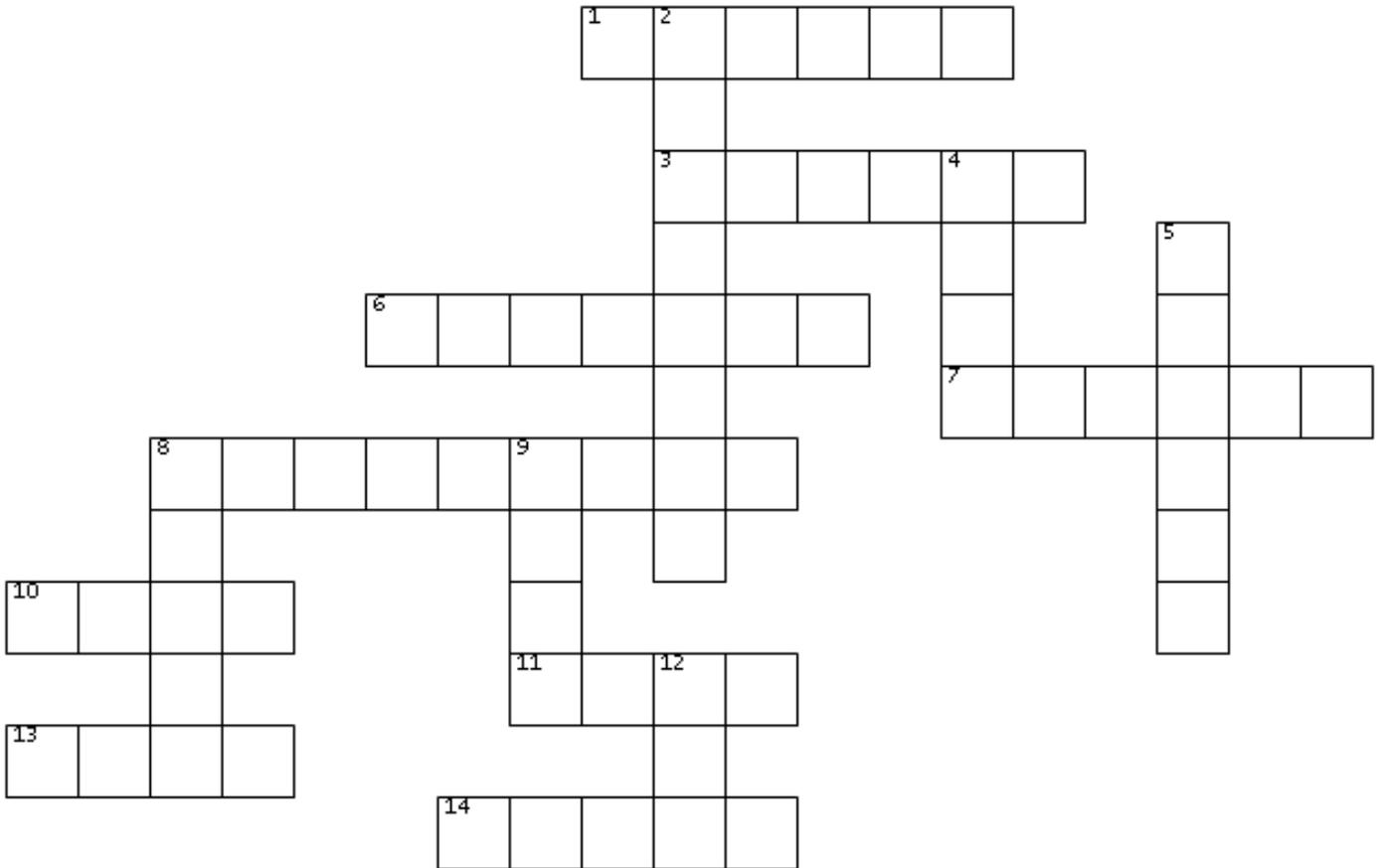
Bonus Blackline Tags

Print page, cut along dashed lines, and use tags to create flash cards, math problems, vocabulary, etc.

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DOWN

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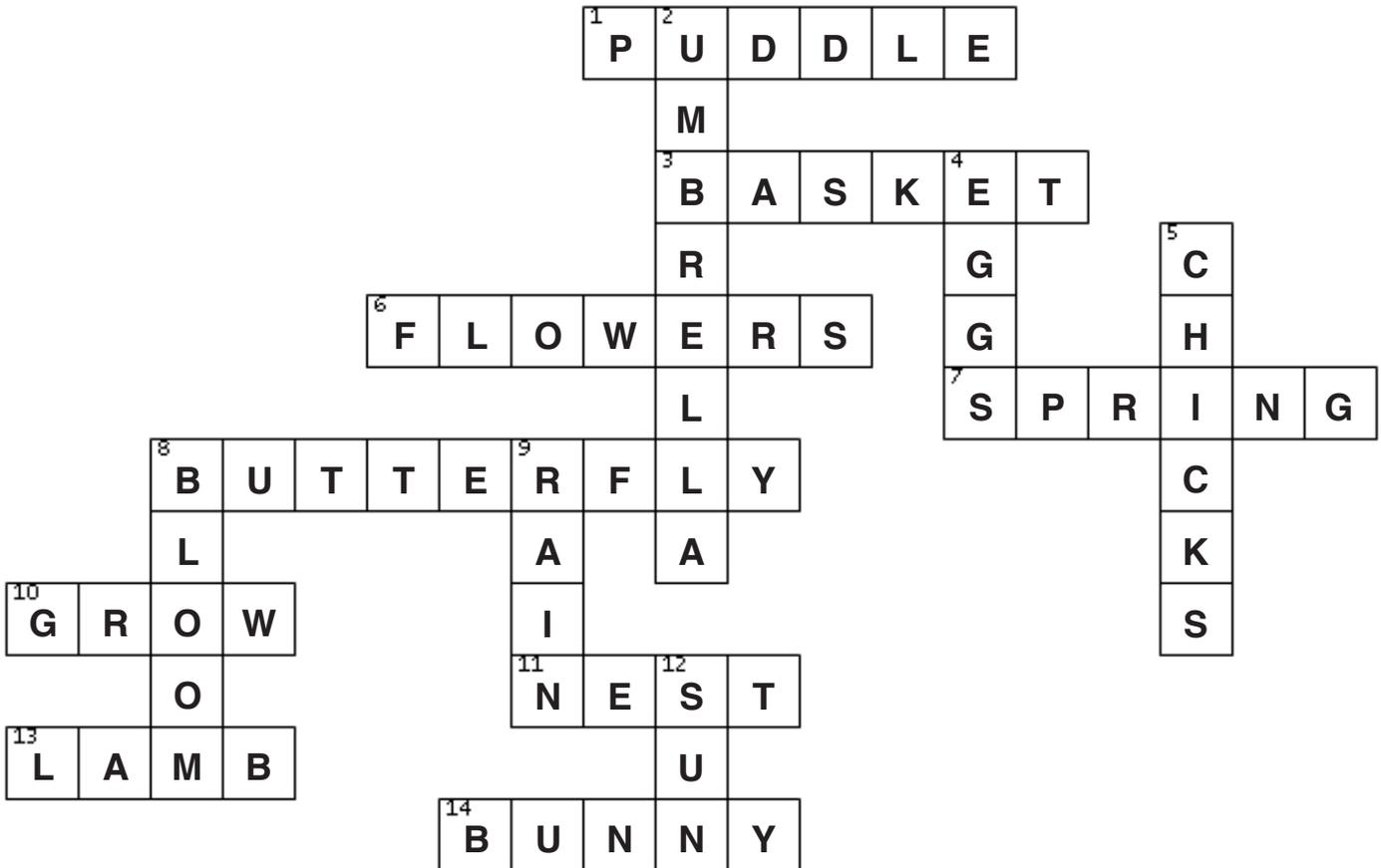14. A cute animal that hops and has long ears.

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Math Story Problems (Grades 1–6)

Following are story problem examples you can do in the classroom using bulletin board pieces as visual aids. These problems are designed to be grade-appropriate, progressively increasing in difficulty, and incorporating the specified elements while providing a mix of basic math, logic, and percentage calculations.

GRADE 1

Problem 1.1: Basic Counting Illustration

Visual Aids: Five colors of Easter eggs and three wicker baskets.

Story Problem: You have 6 Easter eggs: 1 green, 2 pink, 1 yellow, 1 light blue, and 1 dark blue. If you put all the eggs into 3 wicker baskets equally, how many eggs will be in each basket?

Answer 1.1: Each basket will have 2 eggs.

Problem 1.2: Simple Counting and Grouping Illustration

Visual Aids: Three colors of Easter eggs and three wicker baskets.

Story Problem: You have 9 Easter eggs: 3 green, 3 pink, and 3 yellow. If you want to put 3 eggs in each wicker basket, how many baskets will you need?

Answer 1.2: You will need 3 baskets.

Problem 1.3: Basic Addition Illustration

Visual Aids: Two colors of Easter eggs.

Story Problem: You have 4 green eggs and 3 pink eggs. How many eggs do you have in total?

Answer 1.3: You have 7 eggs in total.

GRADE 2

Problem 2.1: Simple Division Illustration

Visual Aids: Five colors of Easter eggs and three wicker baskets.

Story Problem: There are 9 Easter eggs: 2 green, 2 pink, 2 yellow, 2 light blue, and 1 dark blue. If you put all the eggs into 3 wicker baskets equally, how many eggs will each basket have?

Answer 2.1: Each basket will have 3 eggs.

Problem 2.2: Adding and Distributing Illustration

Visual Aids: Five colors of Easter eggs and six colored pails.

Story Problem: You have 6 pails: green, pink, yellow, light blue, dark blue, and silver. You put 1 egg of each color into the matching colored pail. How many eggs did you use in total?

Answer 2.2: You used 5 eggs in total.

Problem 2.3: Simple Subtraction Illustration

Visual Aids: Five colors of Easter eggs.

Story Problem: You have 10 Easter eggs: 2 green, 3 pink, 1 yellow, 2 light blue, and 2 dark blue. If you give 1 pink egg and 1 light blue egg to your friend, how many eggs do you have left?

Answer 2.3: You have 8 eggs left.

GRADE 3

Problem 3.1: Equal Distribution Illustration

Visual Aids: Five colors of Easter eggs and three wicker baskets.

Story Problem: You have 15 Easter eggs: 3 green, 3 pink, 3 yellow, 3 light blue, and 3 dark blue. If you divide these eggs equally into 3 wicker baskets, how many eggs will each basket have?

Answer 3.1: Each basket will have 5 eggs.

Problem 3.2: Addition and Subtraction Illustration

Visual Aids: One color of Easter eggs and one colored pail.

Story Problem: You start with 8 pink eggs. You place 2 pink eggs in the pink pail. How many pink eggs do you have left?

Answer 3.2: You have 6 pink eggs left.

Problem 3.3: Simple Multiplication Illustration

Visual Aids: Five colors of Easter eggs and three wicker baskets.

Story Problem: You have 3 wicker baskets. Each basket contains 4 eggs. How many eggs do you have in total?

Answer 3.3: You have 12 eggs in total.

GRADE 4

Problem 4.1: Simple Division Illustration

Visual Aids: Five colors of Easter eggs and three wicker baskets.

Story Problem: You have 24 Easter eggs: 4 green, 4 pink, 4 yellow, 4 light blue, and 8 dark blue. If you want to distribute these eggs equally into 3 wicker baskets, how many eggs will each basket have?

Answer 4.1: Each basket will have 8 eggs.

Problem 4.2: Sorting and Grouping Illustration

Visual Aids: Five colors of Easter eggs and six colored pails.

Story Problem: You have 30 Easter eggs: 5 green, 5 pink, 5 yellow, 5 light blue, and 10 dark blue. If you sort the eggs into their matching pails, how many pails will contain more than 5 eggs?

Answer 4.2: Only the dark blue pail will contain more than 5 eggs (it will contain 10 eggs).

Problem 4.3: Simple Percentage Calculation Illustration

Visual Aids: Five colors of Easter eggs.

Story Problem: You have 20 Easter eggs: 4 green, 4 pink, 4 yellow, 4 light blue, and 4 dark blue. If 20% of the eggs are green, how many green eggs do you have?

Answer 4.3: You have 4 green eggs (20% of 20 = 4).

GRADE 5

Problem 5.1: Advanced Division Illustration

Visual Aids: Five colors of Easter eggs and three wicker baskets.

Story Problem: You have 63 Easter eggs: 12 green, 15 pink, 12 yellow, 12 light blue, and 12 dark blue. If you distribute these eggs into 3 wicker baskets equally, how many eggs will each basket get? Will there be any leftover eggs?

Answer 5.1: Each basket will get 21 eggs (63 eggs / 3 baskets = 21 eggs per basket), and there will be no leftover eggs.

Problem 5.2: Percentage Distribution Illustration

Visual Aids: Five colors of Easter eggs and one colored pail.

Story Problem: You have 40 Easter eggs: 8 green, 8 pink, 8 yellow, 8 light blue, and 8 dark blue. If you want to place 50% of the eggs in the silver pail, how many eggs will you put in the silver pail?

Answer 5.2: You will put 20 eggs in the silver pail (50% of 40 = 20).

Problem 5.3: Addition and Comparison Illustration

Visual Aids: Two colors of Easter eggs.

Story Problem: You have 9 green eggs and 13 pink eggs. If you add 3 more green eggs and 2 more pink eggs, which color will have more eggs and by how many?

Answer 5.3: Pink eggs will be more by 3 eggs (green: 9+3=12, pink: 13+2=15, 15-12=3).

GRADE 6

Problem 6.1: Complex Division Illustration

Visual Aids: Five colors of Easter eggs and three wicker baskets.

Story Problem: You have 45 Easter eggs: 9 green, 9 pink, 9 yellow, 9 light blue, and 9 dark blue. If you distribute these eggs equally into 3 wicker baskets, how many eggs will each basket have?

Answer 6.1: Each basket will have 15 eggs (45 eggs / 3 baskets = 15 eggs per basket).

Problem 6.2: Complex Addition and Subtraction Illustration

Visual Aids: Five colors of Easter eggs and six colored pails.

Story Problem: You have 50 Easter eggs: 10 green, 10 pink, 10 yellow, 10 light blue, and 10 dark blue. You put 5 eggs of each color into their matching pail. How many eggs of each color are left?

Answer 6.2: 5 eggs of each color will be left (10 - 5 = 5).

Problem 6.3: Percentage Calculation with Remainder Illustration

Visual Aids: Five colors of Easter eggs and one colored pail.

Story Problem: You have 30 Easter eggs: 6 green, 6 pink, 6 yellow, 6 light blue, and 6 dark blue. If you want to place 20% of the eggs in the silver pail, how many eggs will you put in the silver pail and how many will be left?

Answer 6.3: You will put 6 eggs in the silver pail (20% of 30 = 6), and 24 eggs will be left (30 - 6 = 24).