



Ascend Math News September 2015

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Math Puzzler



This math word problem appeared in a test used to hire new teachers in the 1880's.

Three boys, A, B, and C went to Putnam (a nearby town) to sell eggs. Boy A had 10 eggs. Boy B had 30 eggs. Boy C had 50 eggs. They each sold their eggs at the same rate and received the same amount of money. How much did they sell their eggs for? The answer is at the end of the article.

Tip of the Month



Looking for your student roster? Go to your Teacher Dashboard and click on the button for the class. You will find the link to your roster on the top of your Class Dashboard.

Product News



Very soon, your students will be invited to Ascend Math Base Camp! Many of you told us that your students wanted an occasional fun break from Ascend Math. Base Camp is a virtual world with fun games and activities for them. Each student will be given access to explore base camp for three minute increments after spending enough time on task in Ascend and completing post-assessments.

Free Partner School Webinars



Bangor, ME
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ICTM
Oct 23 - 25, 2015
Indianapolis, IN
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FCTM
Oct 15 - 17, 2015
Orlando, FL
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NCTM Regional
Oct 21 - 23, 2015
Atlantic City, NJ
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TX ASCD
Oct 25 - 27, 2015
Austin, TX
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ATMNE
Oct 29 - 30, 2015
Portland, ME
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We are excited to offer a new series of on-demand webinars to help all Ascend Math school admins and teachers get started in the new school year. Our Customer Experience team and top trainers will be hosting free Webinars with topics such as, "Live Student Tracker Introduction," "Best Practices for Printing Study Guides" "Teacher Dashboard Introduction," and more. For times and topics, please visit myascendmath.com.



Partner School of the Month



Congratulations to Glenbrook Middle School of Longmeadow, MA our Partner School of the Month and a 2015 Gold Medal Leader. They adopted Ascend Math as a Tier 2 intervention to help fill in gaps that were shown on state testing. The majority of their students far surpassed their target scores half way through the year!

80% of 6th graders met or surpassed their target goal on MCAP and MCOMP probes. 85% of 7th graders met or surpassed their target goal on MCAP and MCOMP probes. On average, students worked more than an hour a week in Ascend Math averaging more than 24% gains.



Recent Blog Posts



- [Groundbreaking study released: Which Math Skills Are Students Missing](#)
- [Do the Labor Day Math to see that more school pays!](#)

- [Intensive Intervention Pays Off for ELL Students](#)
- [Technology that works for Special Ed Students has side benefits](#)
- [Study Shows Wide Disparity in Student Intervention Needs](#)



Answer to Math Puzzler

Boy A had 10 eggs. Boy B had 30 eggs. Boy C had 50 eggs. To end up with the same amount of money, each boy sold 7 eggs for 5 cents, then sold the remaining individual eggs for 15 cents each -- so each boy earned 50 cents. (Multiple solutions to the problem are likely.)



Do you have teachers new to Ascend Math? Consider a [Quick Start Training](#).

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