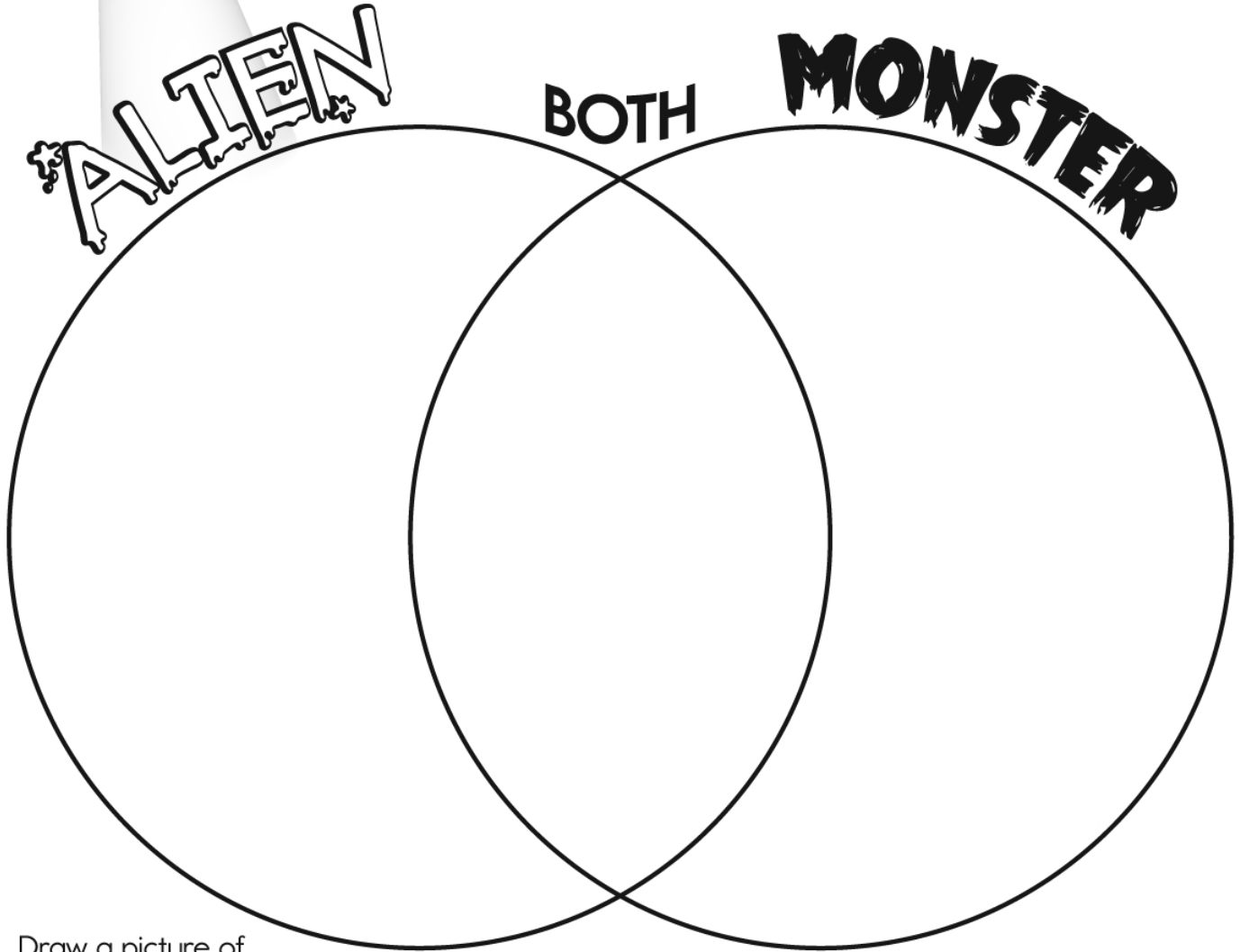


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A spaceship of aliens landed in **MONSTERVILLE**. After staring at each other for a while, the two groups realized that they were very different. However, they also saw they had some things in common. Write three things in each part of the Venn diagram.



Draw a picture of either an alien or a monster here if you like...or draw a picture of an alien seeing a monster for the first time!



Name: _____

Uncover the Story Number 1

(Pick just one story to uncover!)



What is going on? Write as many ideas as you can fit in the box.

My ideas...

Name: _____

Uncover the Story Number 2

(Pick just one story to uncover!)



What is going on? Write as many ideas as you can fit in the box.

My ideas...

Name: _____

Which story did you decide to uncover? Check one.



☐ Uncover the Story Number 1



☐ Uncover the Story Number 2

Best idea I had to describe this picture: _____

Add a detail to this idea: _____

SECOND best idea I had to describe this picture: _____

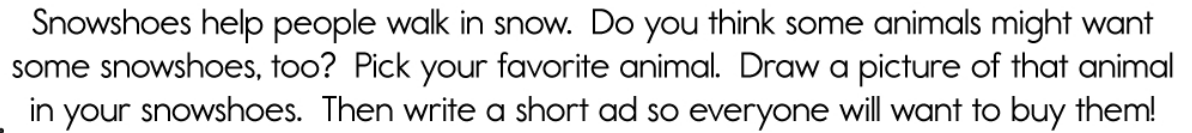
Add a detail to this idea: _____

Uncover the main character. Give the main character a name. Is the main character in the picture? _____

Have you ever spent a day being quiet? Tell all about the day you were the most quiet you've ever been.

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Name: _____

February **Funny Fill-Ins**

Read the story. Make a list of nouns you could use.
Then complete the story using words from your list.



Fill in the blanks with (funny) nouns.

Our _____
noun was telling us how the class card

exchange would work. I stood far away and clutched

my handmade _____.
noun I had spent the whole

_____ constructing it. It was made of _____,
noun noun

_____, and lots of _____. Trouble was, it was
noun noun

the only one I had. I gave it to the _____, and
noun

hoped no one would notice I wasn't otherwise involved.

Name: _____

Samantha the magic blue fairy loves humorous similes; you know, those comparisons that use the words “like” or “as.” Draw a magical line (Use a colored magic marker!) between the two columns to finish the similes.



The monster climbed the mountain

as a rotten tomato.

The troll's breath was as bad

like an Olympic champion.

The rough warlock looked like

as a shy toddler.

The nerdy alligator was as awkward

a teenager who just rolled out of bed.

The baker made a cupcake that was as sweet
as a bowl of honey.

The pirate had eyes like a hawk as he
searched for treasures.

The siblings fought like cats and dogs about
who got to try the new toy first.

The toast tasted as dry as a bone until it was
slathered with butter.

The alien turned out to be as scared as a
rabbit when it came out of the spaceship.











 Draw a picture of your
simile here if you like: 

Write your own simile here:

Name: _____

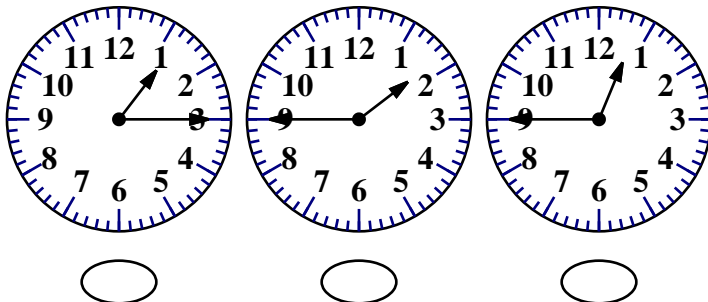
Read the entire paragraph. Then use the information in the paragraph to help you draw and color the image.

The other day I had a fantastic daydream. I was swimming in the deep blue ocean. As I glided down into the cool depths, the beam from my flashlight hit the sand below. Colorful fish darted here and there in between slender stalks of seaweed. Then I saw it! A golden flash caught my eye, and I realized that it was a coin nestled in the sugar-white sand. I had discovered a sunken treasure.

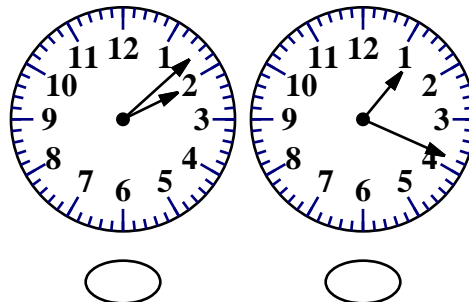
Draw the sunken treasure that the speaker described.

What happens next?

Which clock shows 15 minutes to 2 ?



Which clock is closest to 1:45 ?



Think about what it would be like to be president of the United States. Tell a story about how being the president would change your life. Plan to write your story by answering the questions below.

1. What changes will occur in your life?
2. How will you adapt to these changes?
3. How would this make you feel?

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Name: _____

Handwriting practice lines consisting of 20 horizontal lines.

Name: _____

Did you know that you don't always have to use the word **left** in your writing? Try to use different words for an overused word like **left**. It will make your work more fun for others to read.

Circle words to the RIGHT or DOWN. Every letter is used exactly ONCE.

A	V	A	C	A	T	E	D
B				D	D	E	W
A				E	E	M	I
N			E	P	S	B	T
D			X	A	E	A	H
O			I	R	R	R	D
N			T	T	T	K	R
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D			D	D	D	D	W
	F	L	E	D			
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						S	H
						E	D

Write the words found.

<u>VANISHED</u>	<u>WITHDREW</u>	<u>VACATED</u>
<u>EMBARKED</u>	<u>ABANDONED</u>	

Now rewrite this without using the word **left**. Add one or two of your own sentences using some of the words you found in the word search.

I was left with a good feeling after I helped our neighbor shovel his sidewalk. He happily thanked me.

My favorite two words to use instead of **left** are:

_____ and _____

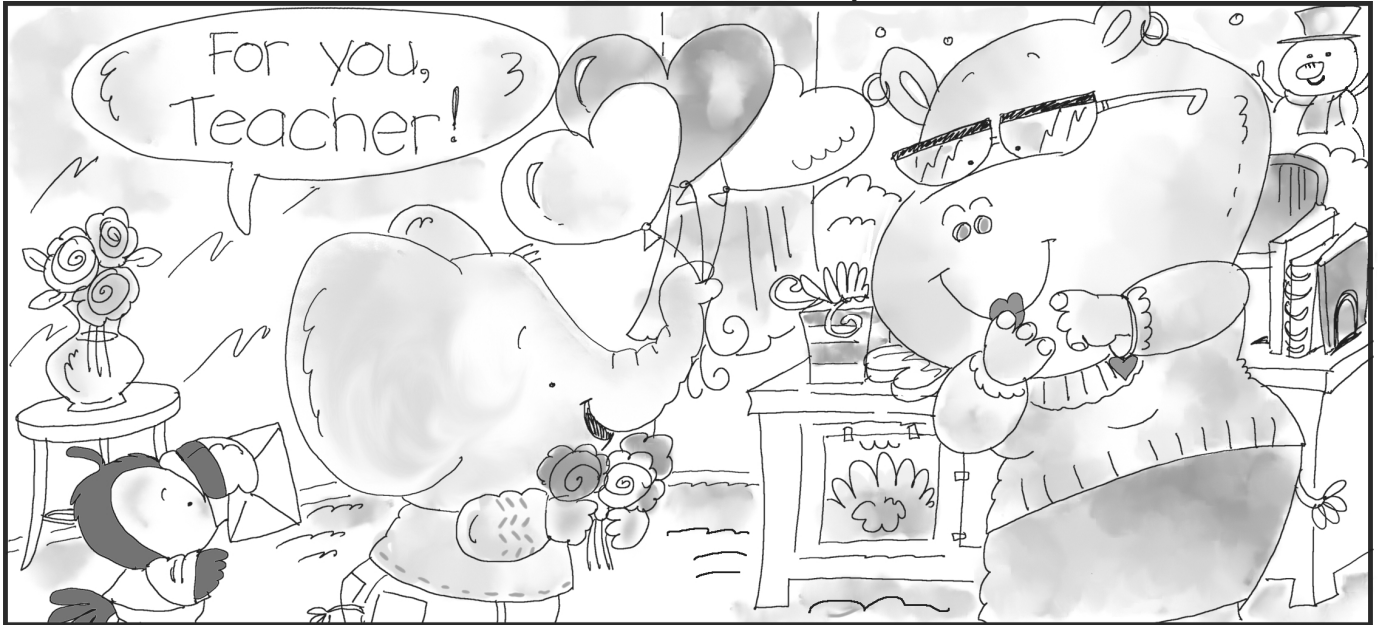
How many words do you think it takes to improve your writing?

Fifty. That's 50! There are about 50 overused words we often use in writing and conversations.

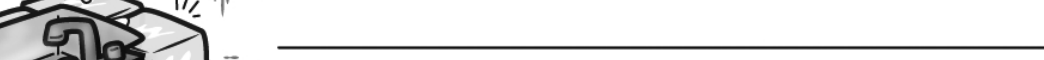
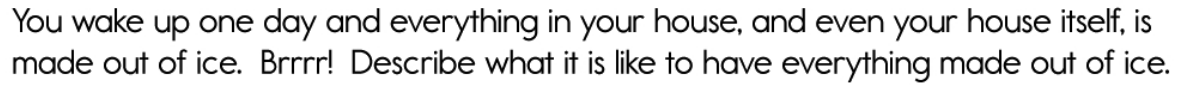
When you find yourself repeating, try something different. It doesn't take much work to sound amazing!

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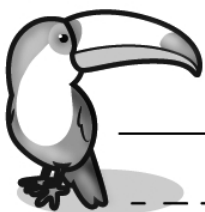
Write About Bouquets



Use the words: flowers, roses, fresh, balloons, and surprise.



A cartoon illustration of a person cleaning a bathtub. The person is wearing a star-patterned shirt and is using a brush to scrub the tub. The bathtub is covered in soap suds. To the right of the bathtub, there are four horizontal lines for writing.

[illegible][illegible]

Name: _____

February **Funny Fill-Ins**

Read the story. Make a list of verbs you could use.
Then complete the story using words from your list.



Fill in the blanks with (funny) verbs.

My job is to _____ out and get the mail every day.
verb

On Valentine's Day I _____ for joy when I saw our
verb
mailbox was stuffed with love letters addressed to me.

I _____ them into a big pile and _____ back
verb verb
into my house. I breathlessly _____ them open.
verb

I guess I could've _____ a lot longer, though. Sigh.
verb

Turns out they were all from my grandma. Thanks anyway!

Name: _____

Persuasive Writing

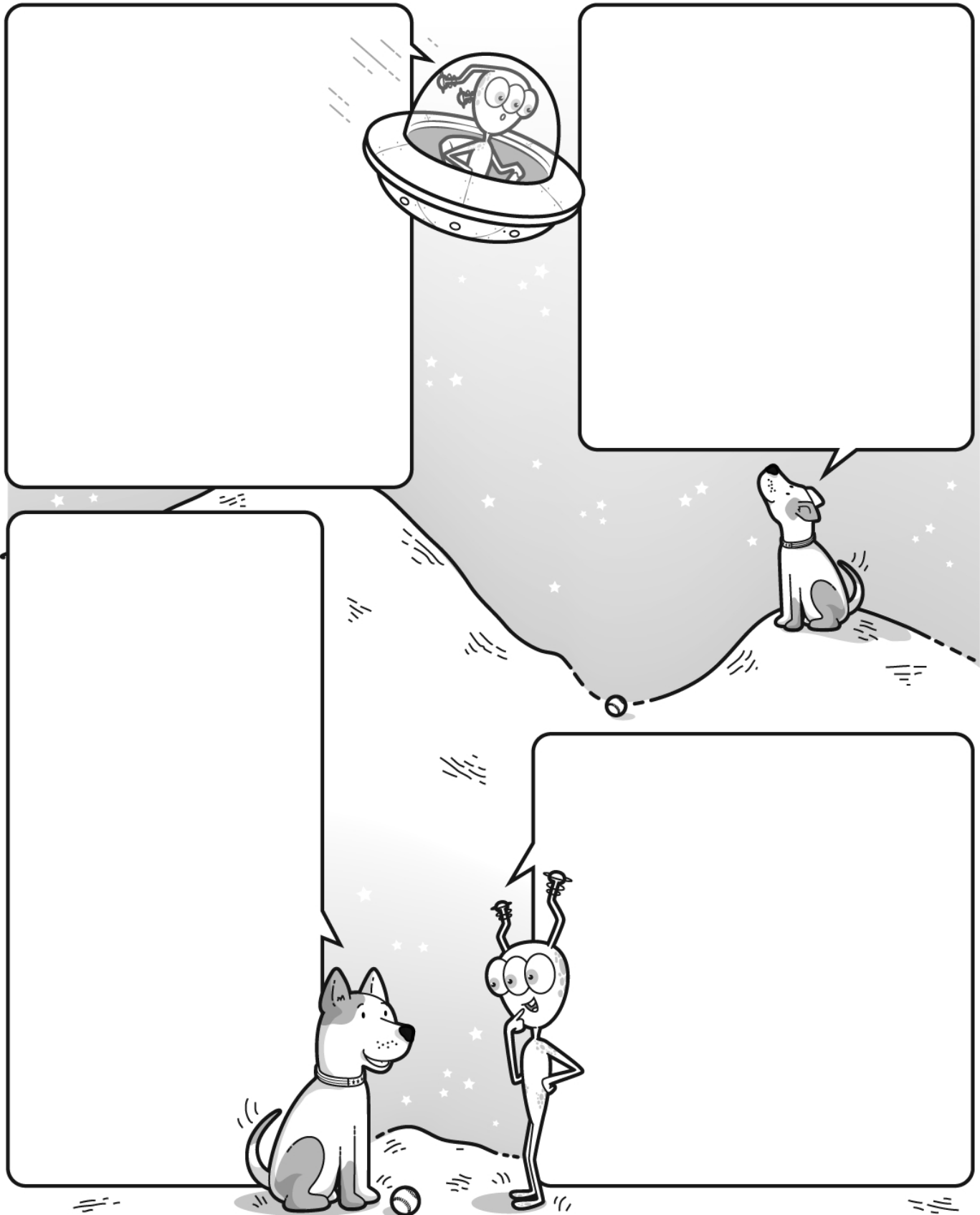
You've noticed a pair of sisters down at the local ice rink that are excellent at hockey.

Write down reasons they should try out for the community team.



Name: _____

Herbert the Husky met an alien outside. Herbert can communicate with this Earth visitor, so they have a nice chat. Fill in the bubbles with some things they say to each other.



Name: _____

Alliteration

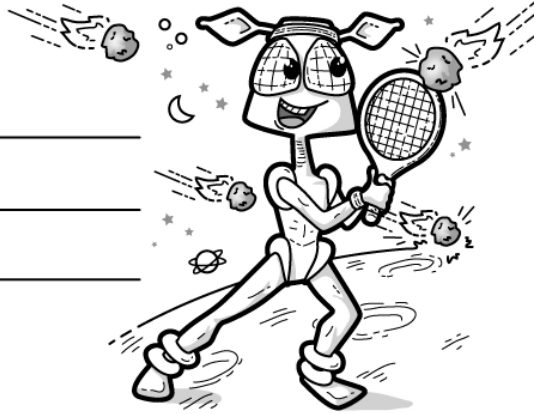
Alliteration is when words in a sentence begin with the same sound. Here is an example:

The fancy fox fed ferociously on French fries.



Use your incredible imagination to create sentences using alliteration based on the pictures.









Now it's your turn! Draw a picture and write a sentence about it using alliteration.

Name: _____



Write an Acrostic Poem

Topic: MUSIC

Write some words that begin with the letters in the topic word.

M _____

S _____

M _____

I _____

U _____

I _____

U _____

C _____

S _____

C _____



Write your acrostic poem.

M

U

S

I

C



Name: _____

You are the teacher. If a word is spelled correctly, put a checkmark next to it and rewrite the word. If the word is misspelled, cross off the word and put an X. Then write the correct spelling.

Hint: There are four words spelled wrong.

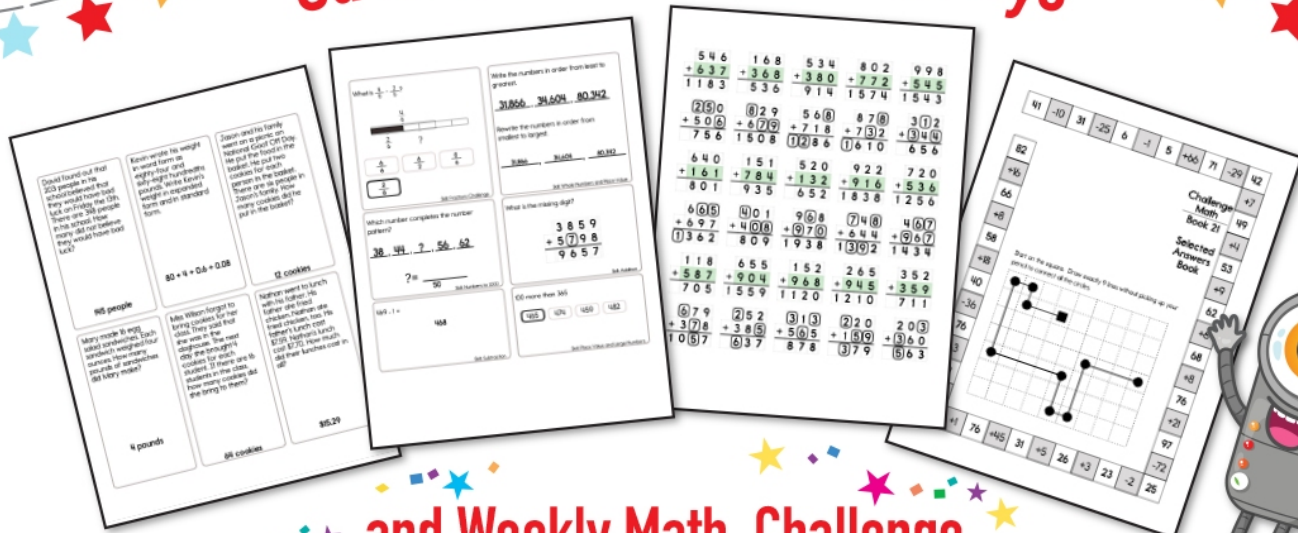
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| 4. candy | _____ | 14. cartain | _____ |
| 5. drouze | _____ | 15. shun | _____ |
| 6. release | _____ | 16. precious | _____ |
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| 10. beast | _____ | 20. clumbur | _____ |

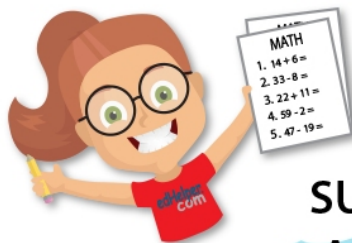
Unscramble the letters to spell a word.

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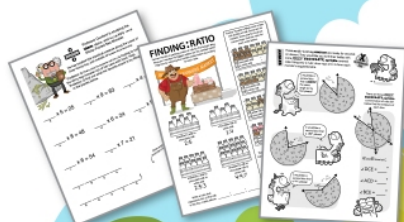
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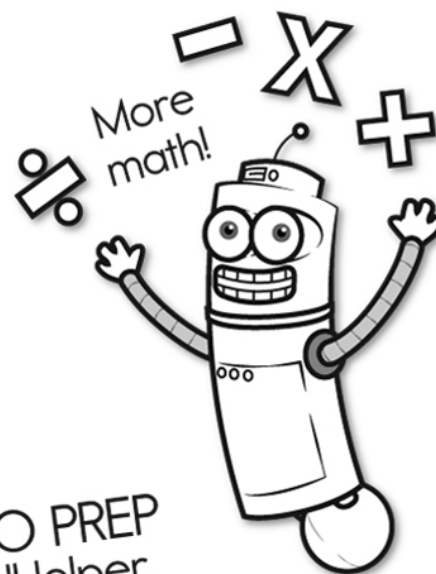
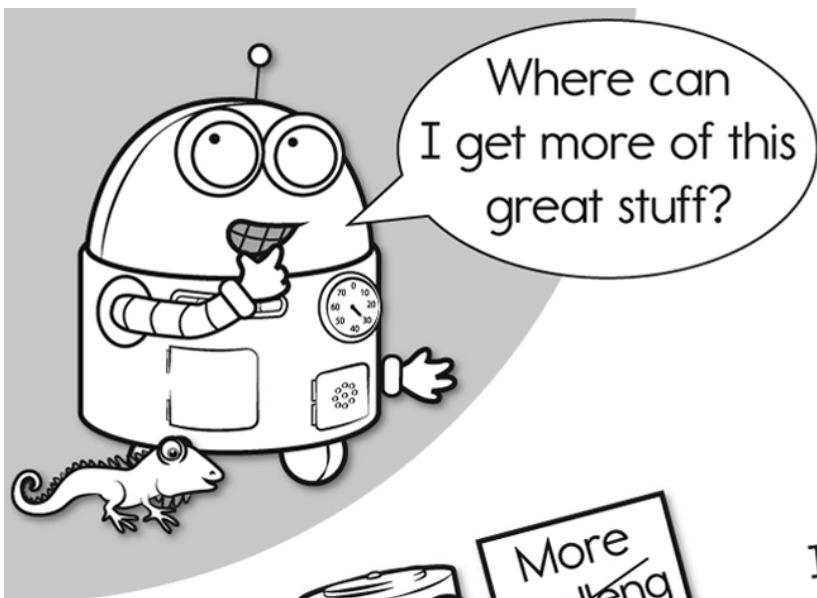
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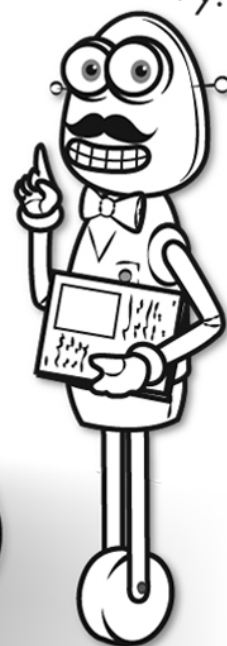


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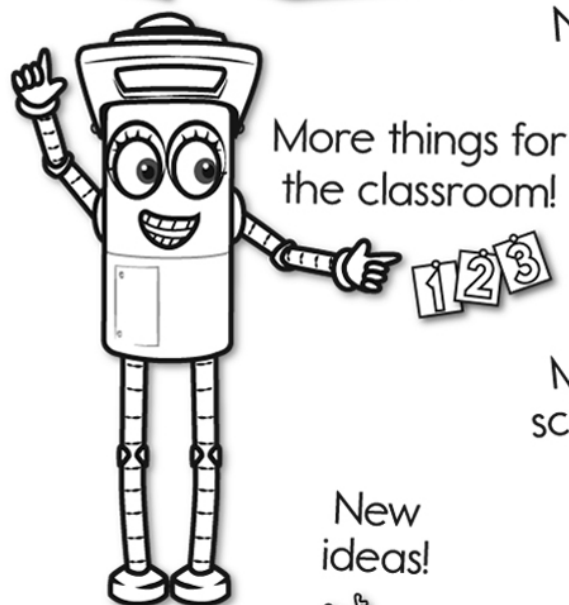
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