## teachables Learning at Home

## Beginning Level 3: Pack 1

Welcome to the Learning at Home Teachables Pack - for children who are working at the beginning of Level 3. The pack supports parents and caregivers by providing learning activities to maintain their child's learning while they are unable to attend school. Designed to engage children while maintaining their learning, the activities are easy to follow and levelled to cater for all students. Although literacy and numeracy are the focus, creativity is supported in the 'at home' context.

This pack provides:

## Mathematics

- Round numbers to the nearest 10, 100, 1000 or 1000000
- Make equivalent addition and subtraction equations


## Literacy

- Nailing setting in descriptive writing
- Identify (and describe) the setting of your story


## Creative activity

- Vocabulary game - prefix plus


## Rounding numbers

I am learning to round to the nearest 10.

Round the number on each bag of shopping to the nearest 10 . Write the number on the tag. The first one is done for you.



Round each card to the nearest 100. Write the number on the line.



Round each number to the nearest 1000 . Write the number on the line.


Round each number to the nearest 1000000 . Write the number on the line below.


I am learning to round numbers.


Round each number to the nearest 1000 . Write the number on the line.


Round each number to the nearest 10.

| 24 | 879 | 41 | 54 | 953 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 732 | 32 | 68 | 36 | 59 |
| 42 | 78 | 146 | 45 | 37 |
| 9652 | 745 | 8541 | 7369 | 4215 |

Round each number to the nearest 100.

| 197 | 760 | 192 | 272 | 385 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 58 | 315 | 643 | 605 | 893 |
| 609 | 218 | 423 | 474 | 501 |
| 4658 | 7895 | 7023 | 9035 | 4125 |

Round each number to the nearest 1000 .

| 1626 | 1297 | 9394 | 8414 | 9523 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 4376 | 3875 | 7284 | 3095 | 1003 |
| 5585 | 6616 | 7271 | 8321 | 1496 |
| 4565 | 7845 | 9651 | 2024 | 3254 |

I am learning that problems like $34+\square=51$ and $51-34=\square$ have the same answer.


Solve each problem by writing either an addition or subtraction equation then, fill in the blank boxes. The first one has been started for you.

| $62+$ | $=79$ | $79-62=\square$ | $41+\square=78$ |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $81+$ | $=97$ |  | $42+$ | $=93$ |  |  |
| $77+\square=83$ |  |  |  |  | $29-16=$ | $=$ |
|  |  | $58-25=$ | $31+$ | $=51$ |  |  |
| $18+\square=81$ |  |  |  |  | $96-36=$ | $=$ |
|  |  | $53-25=$ | $26+$ | $=64$ |  |  |
| $39+\square=75$ |  |  |  |  | $94-74=$ | $=$ |
| $33-28=\square 17+\square=73$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $38+$ | $=54$ |  | $58+$ | $=82$ |  |  |

Match children with the correct answers for their charts. Fill in the gaps to solve the problems that match.


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## Descriptive writing: My setting

People tend to link particular ideas, feelings and characteristics with particular settings. As writers, we need to be aware of these common associations. For example, when people think of an old house, they might also think creepy, haunted and mysterious. So if you are writing a cheerful, sunny type of story, you probably would not choose an old house as your setting.

Keeping such associations in mind, decide on your setting and then fill in the chart below to build up the picture of your setting in your mind.

All about my setting

| All about my setting |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| What colours can characters see | Your response |
| in your setting? |  |
| What noises can characters hear <br> in your setting? |  |
| Name five things that characters <br> can touch in your setting. |  |
| Name five objects that characters <br> can see in your setting. |  |
| Name three resources or <br> materials that characters can see <br> in your setting (eg, stones, wood, <br> plastic, iron, metal, rubble, shells). |  |
| What is the weather or lighting like <br> in your setting? |  |
| Who visits or lives in this setting? |  |

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| What could be the most unsafe |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| part of your setting? |  |
| If someone drew a map of your <br> setting, what would be on each <br> side of it? What would be at the <br> top and bottom? |  |
| What shapes can characters see <br> in your setting? |  |
| Does your setting change with the <br> seasons? How? |  |
| Does your setting change for <br> reasons other than the seasons? <br> How? |  |
| Who enjoys this setting? Why? |  |
| How does this setting make your <br> main character feel? Why? |  |
| What is the relationship <br> between your main character <br> and this setting? |  |

## Setting

I am learning to reflect on the setting of a story.

Title: $\qquad$ Author: $\qquad$
Draw a bird's eye view of the main place where the story is set.


## I am learning to reflect on the setting of a story.

Title: $\qquad$ Author: $\qquad$
Design the front of a postcard depicting the setting of the story you have read.
Write about the setting on the back of the postcard and address it to a friend.


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## I am learning to reflect on the setting of a story.

Title: $\qquad$ Author: $\qquad$
Design a brochure for the place where the story is set. Imagine that the brochure will be used by a travel agent so it should make the place sound as attractive as possible. When you have finished, make a good copy of the brochure on a larger piece of paper.

Back
Front


Inside
Inside

## Prefix plus

## Game code: EG2.3

Number of players: 3 to 5

## You need

- 1 set of 48 root word cards
- 1 ten-sided die
- 1 prefix decoding card
- Dictionary (optional)


## Aim of the game

To be the first player to make six new words.

## How to play

1. The dealer shuffles the root word cards and deals out six cards to each player. They put the rest of the root word cards face down in a pile in the middle of the table.
2. The dealer puts the prefix decoding card face up on the table.
3. Decide who will begin.
4. The first player rolls the ten-sided die. They check the prefix decoding card to find the prefix matching the number facing up on the die.
5. If the prefix plus one of the root word cards in their hand makes a new word, the first player puts this card face up on the table in front of them and says the new word aloud. If the prefix plus any of the other cards in their hand also makes a new word, the player may put the other card or cards down too. Other players may use a dictionary to check that each new word is a real word.
6. If the first player makes one or more new words, no other players may play any cards this turn. However, if the first player cannot make a new word, the player to their left gets a chance to do so.
7. Any players who play root word cards this turn pick up enough root word cards from the facedown pile to bring their hand back up to six cards.
8. Any players who did not play any root word cards this turn may place a card from their hand at the bottom of the face-down pile and pick up a card to replace it from the top of the pile.
9. Play passes to the player on the left of the first player and steps 4 to 7 are repeated.
10. The game is over as soon as one player has made six new words. That player wins the game.

## Scoring

At the end of the game, players score 1 point for each new word they have made.

## Make it easier

Players may look up words in a dictionary before putting down their root word cards.

## Prefix decoding card

| Number rolled on die | Prefix |
| :---: | :---: |
| 0 | un- |
| 1 | pres- |
| 2 | $r e_{-}$ |
| 3 | rim- |
| 4 | anti- |
| 5 | mi- |
| 6 | semi- |
| 7 | uni- |
| 8 | over_ |
| 9 | mill_ |

## (Meaning)

(not)
(before)
(again)
(not)
(against)
(wrong)
(half)
(one)
(too much)
(one thousandth)

## Ten-sided die

To assemble this die, cut along the solid lines and fold along the dotted lines, then glue down the flaps.


## Root word cards



Root word cards (continued)


