

WHAT IS THIS?

It's a low-prep room transformation!



Use the 10 math challenges, included decor, and more for a fun & easy room transformation!

THE CIRCUS PONY

Sergei sees 53 ponies every time he walks around the circus. He walks around it 87 times.
How many ponies did he see total? 53×87

	50	3
80	50×80 4000	3×80 240
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Simply print the academic challenges, put up a few included decor items, and you're ready for a great day!

Room transformations can be stress-free and low-prep.

Keep scrolling to learn how!



Let's start with the basics...

What is a classroom transformation?

A classroom transformation changes your room into a certain setting or theme to engage students in their own learning with rigorous content.



Donut Shop Day



Rock Star Day



Camping Day

You don't have to spend hours of your time setting up a room transformation or spend lots of money to make it **SO MUCH FUN!**

STEP 1:

Tell your class they are in a circus today!

They will practice multi-digit multiplication word problems in activities set up around the room. You can do this for a day, a few days, or over the course of a week!



Flexibility is key.

Need to modify? No problem!
Choose how many centers students will need to complete and what time frame they have to meet YOUR needs.



Set-up is quick and easy.

Simply print the posters, 10 activities, and a recording sheet for each student. Place them around your room and you're ready to begin!



STEP 2:

Let students move around the room and complete each center. They can be completed in any order. All centers include practice with multi-digit multiplication word problems.

Optional Recording Sheet

When a student finishes a center, you sign that spot on their recording sheet to keep track of what they've completed.

Freedom to choose.

Students can work in partners, rotations, groups, or independently. Your choice!

WELCOME TO THE CIRCUS
Put a check next to each act once you've completed that challenge.

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Lion		Unicycle	
	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>
Seal		Dog	
	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>
Tightrope		Trapeze	
	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>
Clown		Elephant	
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Horse		Bear	

THE LION
Write each answer in each lion's mouth.

There are 7 lions at the circus. If each lion does 324 tricks, how many tricks are shown in all?

$$\begin{array}{r} 324 \\ \times 7 \\ \hline 2268 \end{array}$$

Rosario sticks his head inside a lion's mouth 53 times. If there are 39 lions at the circus, how many times in all did he put his head in a lion's mouth?

$$\begin{array}{r} 53 \\ \times 39 \\ \hline 477 \\ + 153 \\ \hline 2067 \end{array}$$

The lions of the circus are each given 73 treats in their routines. There are 65 lions. How many treats in total were given to the lions?

$$\begin{array}{r} 73 \\ \times 65 \\ \hline 365 \\ + 438 \\ \hline 4745 \end{array}$$

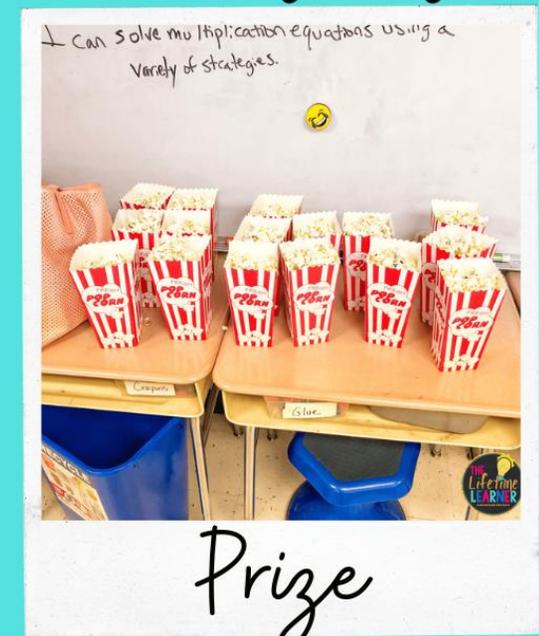
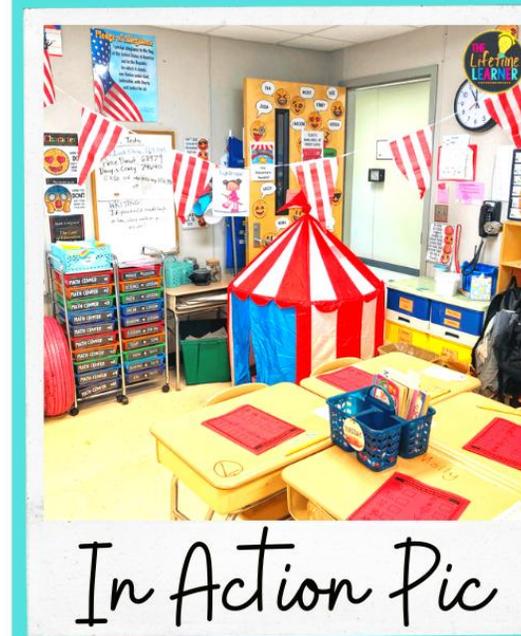
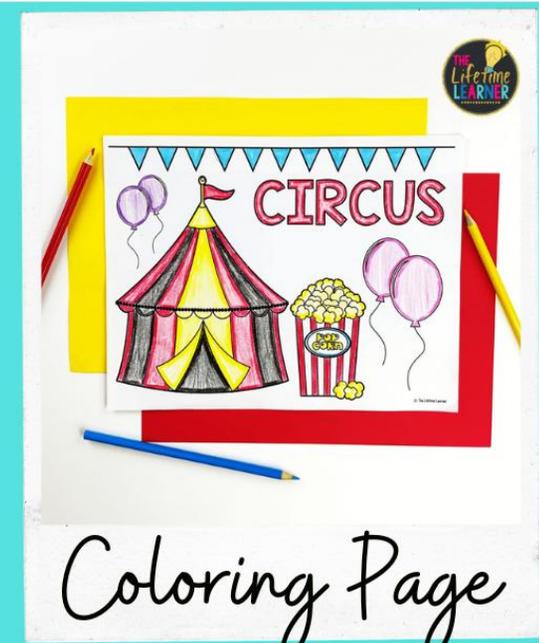
STEP 3:

When students finish all activities you've assigned, they win! You can give them the included certificate, coloring page, or a small prize of your choice.

A shopping guide is also included to give you suggestions of optional "extras" you could add in.

Remember:

Anything different from a "normal" day in the classroom is special to students! A reward at the end isn't required during a classroom transformation.



STEP 4:

Most of the time, there are early finishers. These kiddos get to go around the room and read fun facts about the topic! No one is ever bored.

Choose from 3 versions!

1 Digital Scavenger Hunt

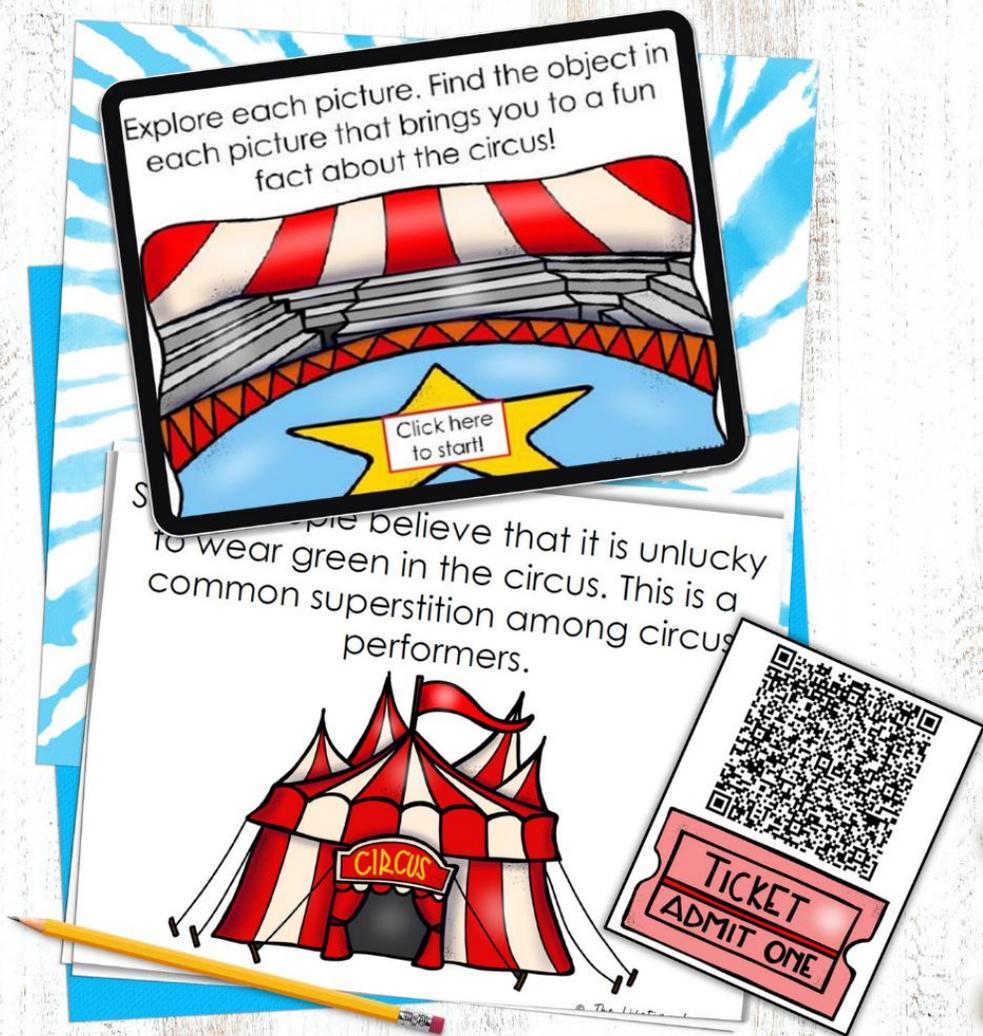
Let students "find" the facts on Google Slides

2 Printable Facts

Hang facts around room

3 QR Codes

Students scan to read fun facts



THE CONTENT:

10 themed math challenges aligned to math standards

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THE CLOWN

Each clown tried to solve the math problems below. Color the clown red if they are wrong and tell the correct answer. Color the clown green if they're right.

A circus clown squirts 1,054 people with his trick flower each day. If he squirts people for 6 days, then he's squirted 6,324 people in all.



Bobo

Rhea high fives 3,871 clowns at each circus. If she goes to 8 circuses, she high-fived 25,758 clowns.



Floo-Floo

There are 1,478 clowns at the circus and they each have 3 juggling balls. In total, the clowns have 3,024 juggling balls.



Pinky-Toes

THE TIGHTROPE

Fill in the missing numbers and solve each equation below.

There are 438 tightrope walkers at the circus. Each one can do 8 tricks each. How many tricks can they do in all?

$$\begin{array}{r} \square \square \square \\ \times \quad \square \\ \hline \end{array}$$

A tightrope walker can perform 6 routines each day. If they can stay up on the tightrope for 273 seconds at a time, how many seconds are there up there for altogether?

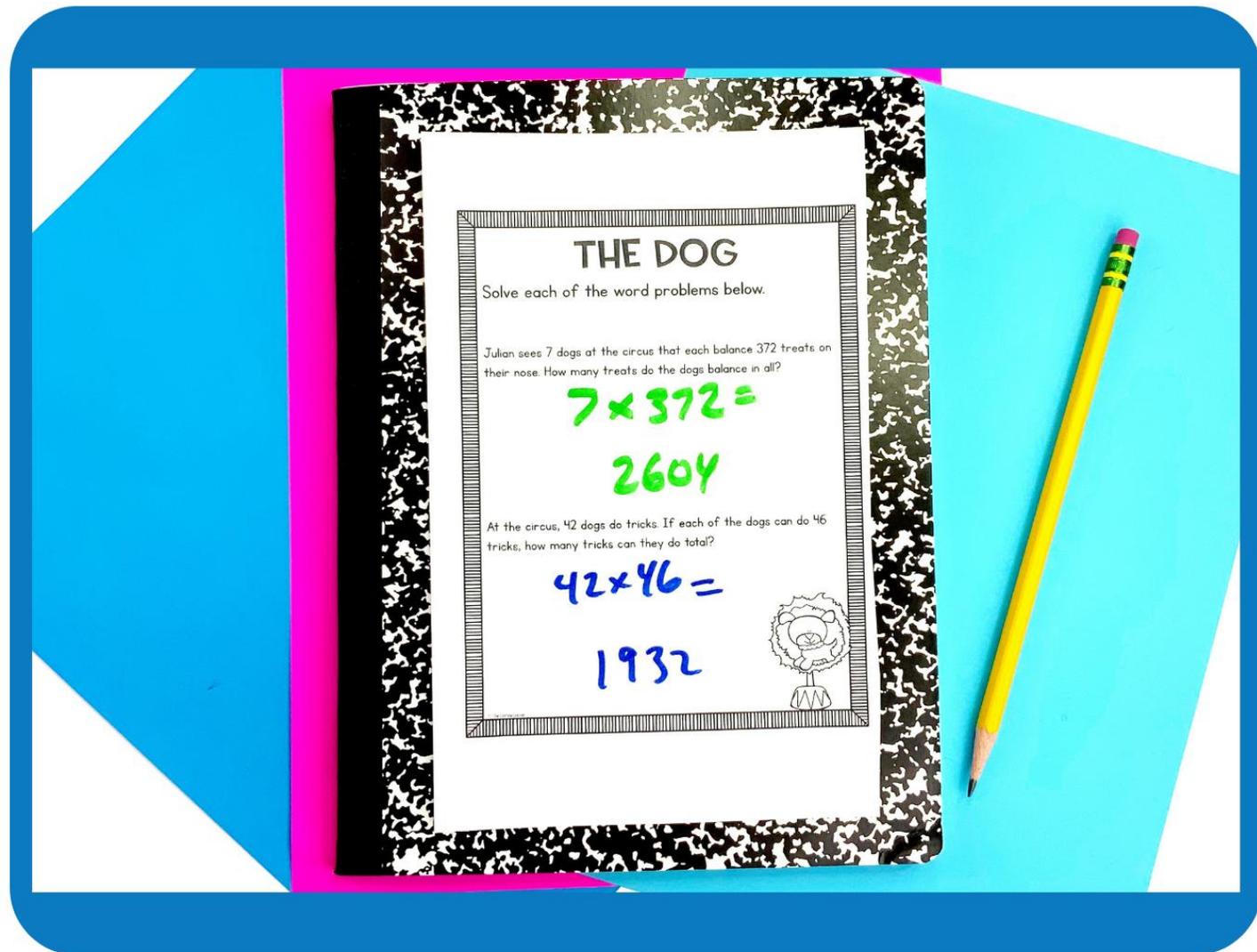
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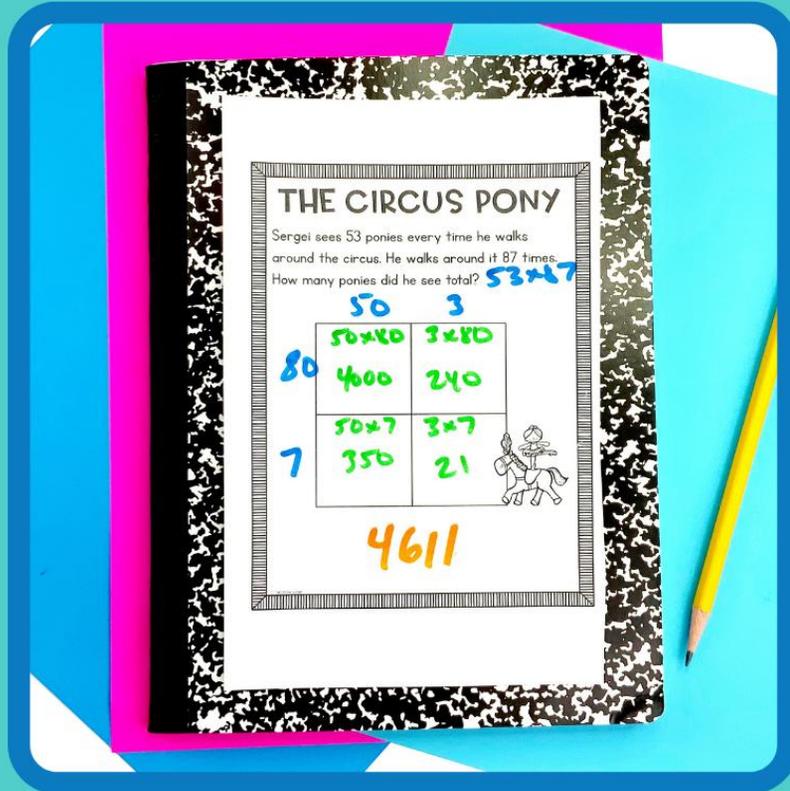
HOW TO USE THIS:

Ideas for Implementation:

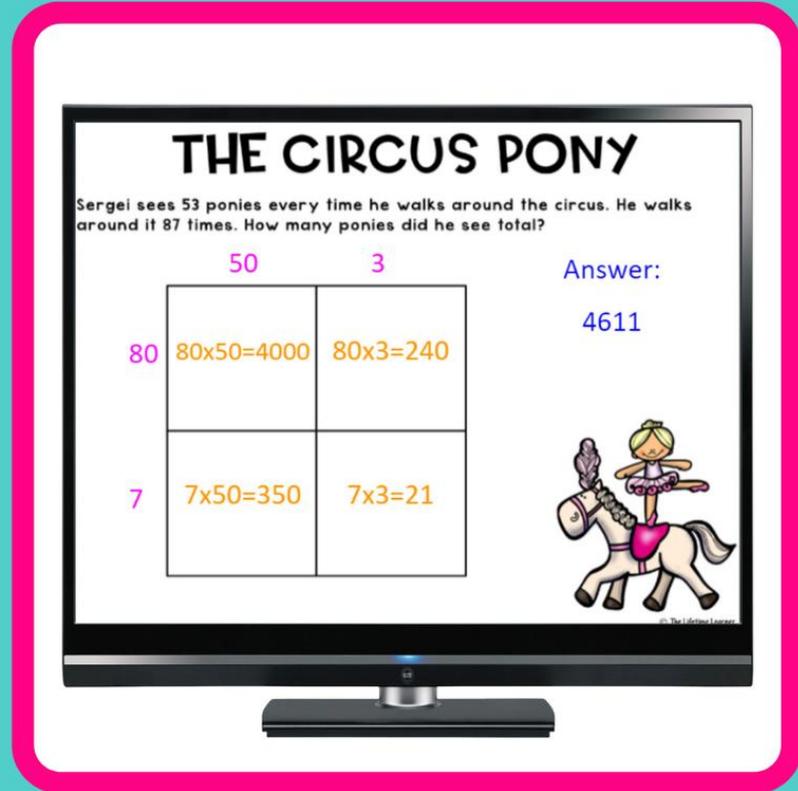
- pick and choose the centers you want to use: do what works best for your class!
- you can have students work individually, in partners, or small groups--any way works!
- give students 1-2 hours to complete all 10 activities
- give less than 10 challenges to students if you are short on time
- OR spread the room transformation out over a couple of days



PRINT & DIGITAL



Print & Go



Google Slides

Choose the format
that works best for you!

Every activity relates to real-life mathematics!

THE SEAL

Melissa sees 49 seals at the circus that each jump out of the water every 10 seconds. How many times do the seals jump in all?

THE TIGHTROPE

Fill in the missing numbers and solve each equation below.

THE TRAPEZE

Write TRUE or FALSE next to each word problem. If it's false, write the correct answer.

THE BEAR

A circus bear juggles 685 balls each day. If he juggles for 10 days, how many balls did he juggle in all? Show how you solve.

THE DOG

Solve each of the word problems below.

Julian sees 7 dogs at the circus that each balance 372 treats on their nose. How many treats do the dogs balance in all?

THE ELEPHANT

At the circus, each elephant is fed 100 peanuts every day. How many peanuts did all the elephants eat in all?



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THE CIRCUS PONY

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focuses on:
multi-digit multiplication
word problems

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Answer:

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THE ELEPHANT

Stanley sees 7 elephants at the circus. Each elephant is fed 539 peanuts. How many peanuts did all the elephants eat in all?

3,773

There are 8 elephants at the circus. Each elephant has 188 costumes. How many costumes do the elephants have in all?

1,504

Nellie the elephant shakes 701 elephant trunks. Each elephant snorts 5 times. How many times did the elephants snort total?



THE DOG

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2,604



THE LION

Write each answer next to each lion.

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2,268



Rosario sticks his head inside a lion's mouth 53 times. If there are 39 lions at the circus, how many times in all did he put his head in a lion's mouth?

2,067



Digital Version: Google Slides

Questions are 100% editable!

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add any content you want to the blank version!

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Challenges:
Print & Go

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Editable Version

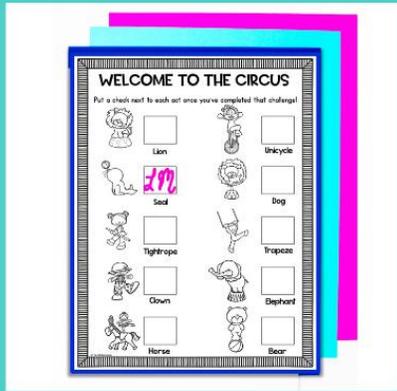
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3 Versions Included

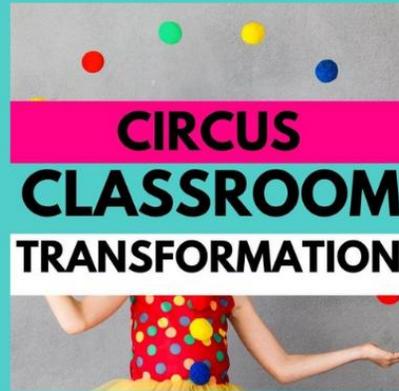
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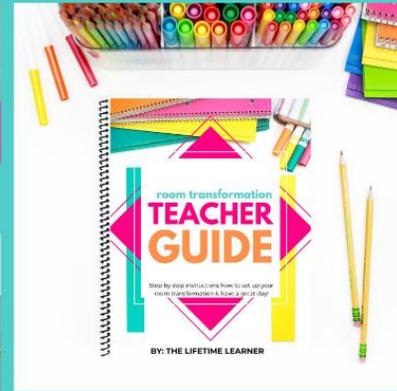
10 Color & B/W Posters



Recording Sheets



Blog Post Ideas



Teacher Guide



Door Decor



Printable Hats



Name Tags



Coloring Page



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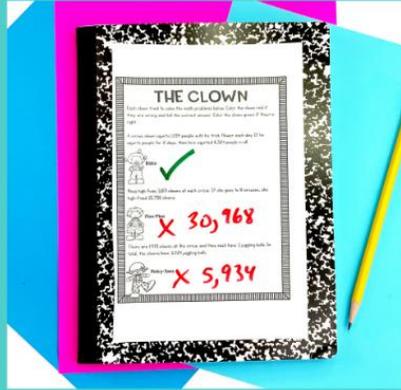
Decor Posters

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Welcome Slide



Editable Versions



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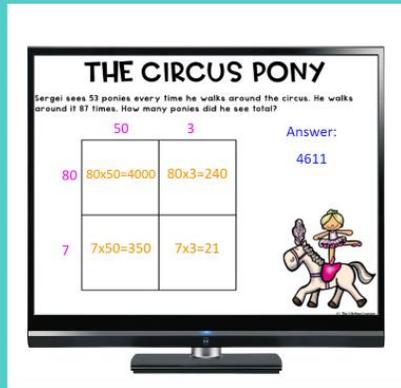
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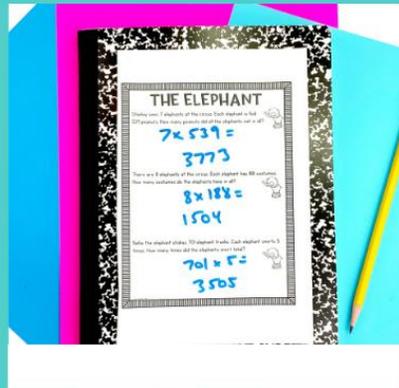
Shopping Guide



Admission Tickets



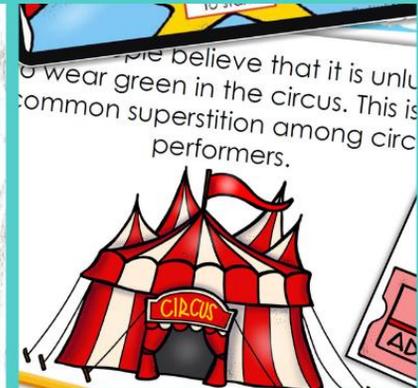
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Answer Keys



QR Codes



Fun Facts

jam-packed with fun, rigor, and engagement!

other resources this pairs well with:

Differentiate by grabbing math for multiple grade levels!

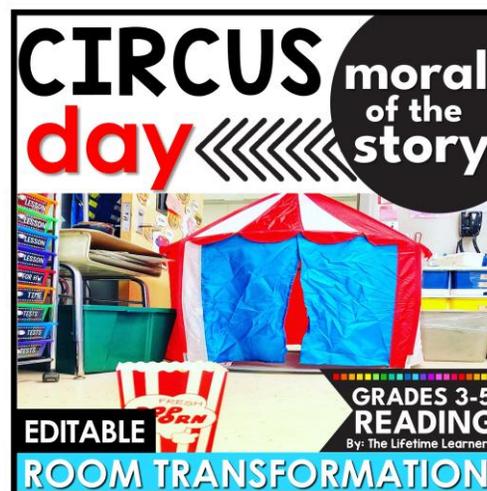
Or, add in some reading to your themed learning day!



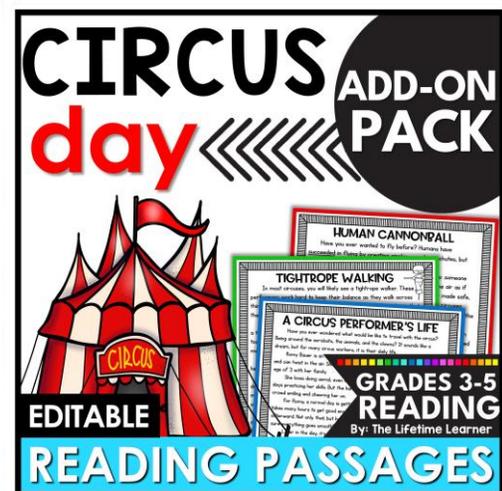
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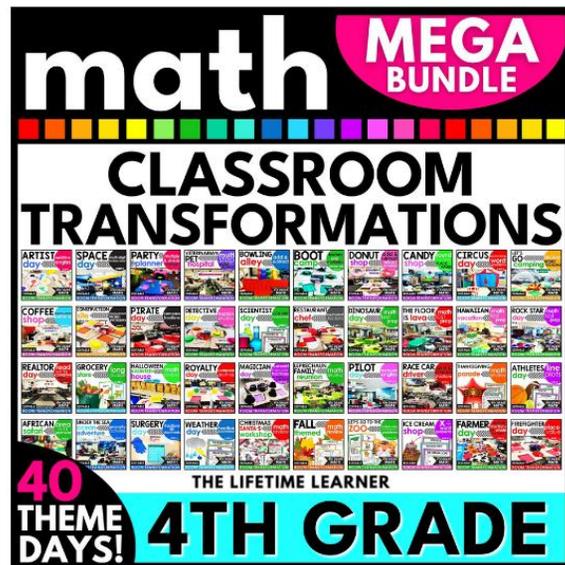
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CIRCUS day moral of the story
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CLASSROOM TRANSFORMATIONS
40 THEME DAYS!
THE LIFETIME LEARNER
4TH GRADE

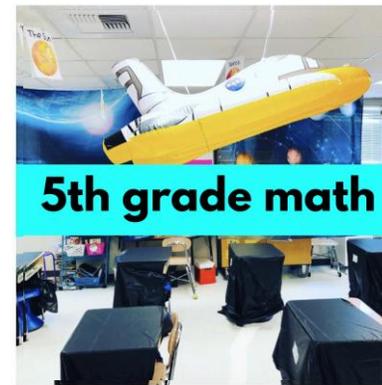
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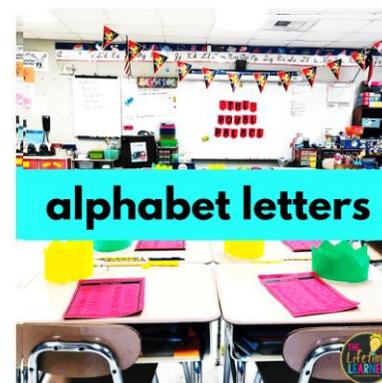
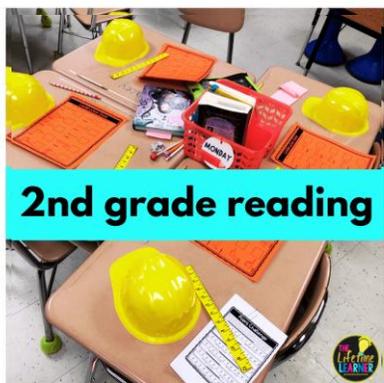
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GRADES 3-5

classroom transformations

low prep, fun, and engaging!



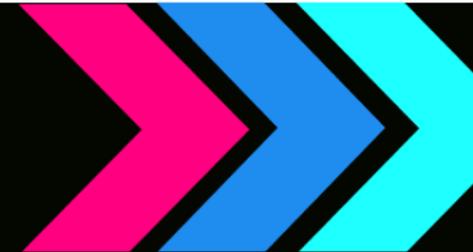
K-5 MATH & READING



THE LIFETIME LEARNER'S CLASSROOM TRANSFORMATIONS ARE:

1. Engaging to Students
2. Classroom Tested (and Student-Approved)
3. Print and Digital Compatible
4. Jam-Packed with Content
5. Aligned to Math Standards
6. Easy to Implement
7. Flexible for Every Classroom
8. Versatile Ways to Reward Students
9. Rigorous Student Learning Activities

All content is included so you can simply **print**
and get ready for an **AMAZING** experience
with your students!



Please Note:

- **There are 10 math challenges provided as well as décor, a fast finisher activity, and additional extras.**
- **The digital version is provided in Google Slides.**
- **Nervous about trying your first room transformation? You'll be hooked once you try one! I promise!**
- **Feel free to contact me if you have questions or want to chat about room transformations. You can email me at lindsaythelifetimelearner@gmail.com**