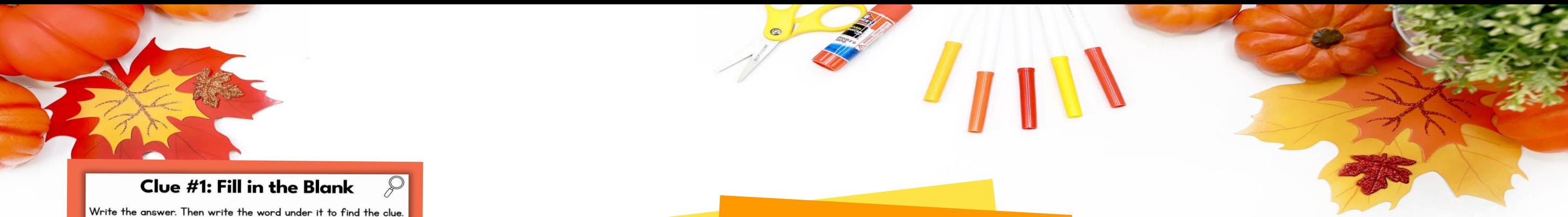


WHAT IS THIS?



Clue #1: Fill in the Blank
Write the answer. Then write the word under it to find the clue.

Clue #2: Count the Food
red green brown pink

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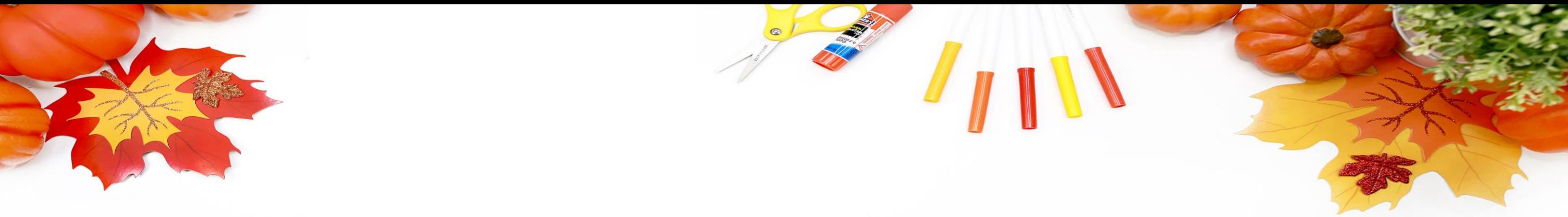
solve the mystery
The Case of the Thanksgiving Feast

What Do I Bring?
As you solve each clue, cross out the items that do not belong. The food left at the end is what you need to bring!

 Pie	 Ham	 Bread	 Gravy
 Corn	 Turkey	 Mashed Potatoes	 Peas

Students complete a series of clues to figure out what food to bring to Thanksgiving dinner!

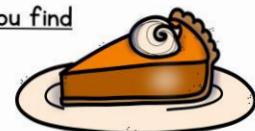
HOW TO PLAY



What Happened?

Oh no! You forgot what you are supposed to bring to Thanksgiving dinner! You don't want to let anyone down. Solve the clues to figure out the mystery so you can still show up with your dish!

1. Take a food list and then start solving each clue.
2. Each time you solve a clue, you will get closer to discovering what food you need to bring!
3. Cross out wrong items each time you find out new information. Good luck!



THE LIFETIME LEARNER

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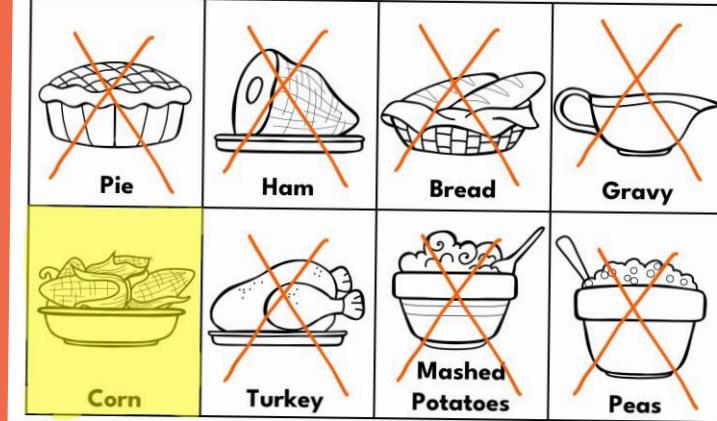
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2= vegetable
3= dessert
4= the
5= meat
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9= not
10= peas

Add. + $3 + 3 = 6$	Add. + $4 + 4 = 8$	Add. + $5 + 2 = 7$
<u>someone</u>	<u>else</u>	<u>is</u>
Subtract. - $10 - 9 = 1$	Subtract. - $8 - 4 = 4$	Subtract. - $6 - 3 = 3$
<u>bringing</u>	<u>the</u>	<u>dessert</u>

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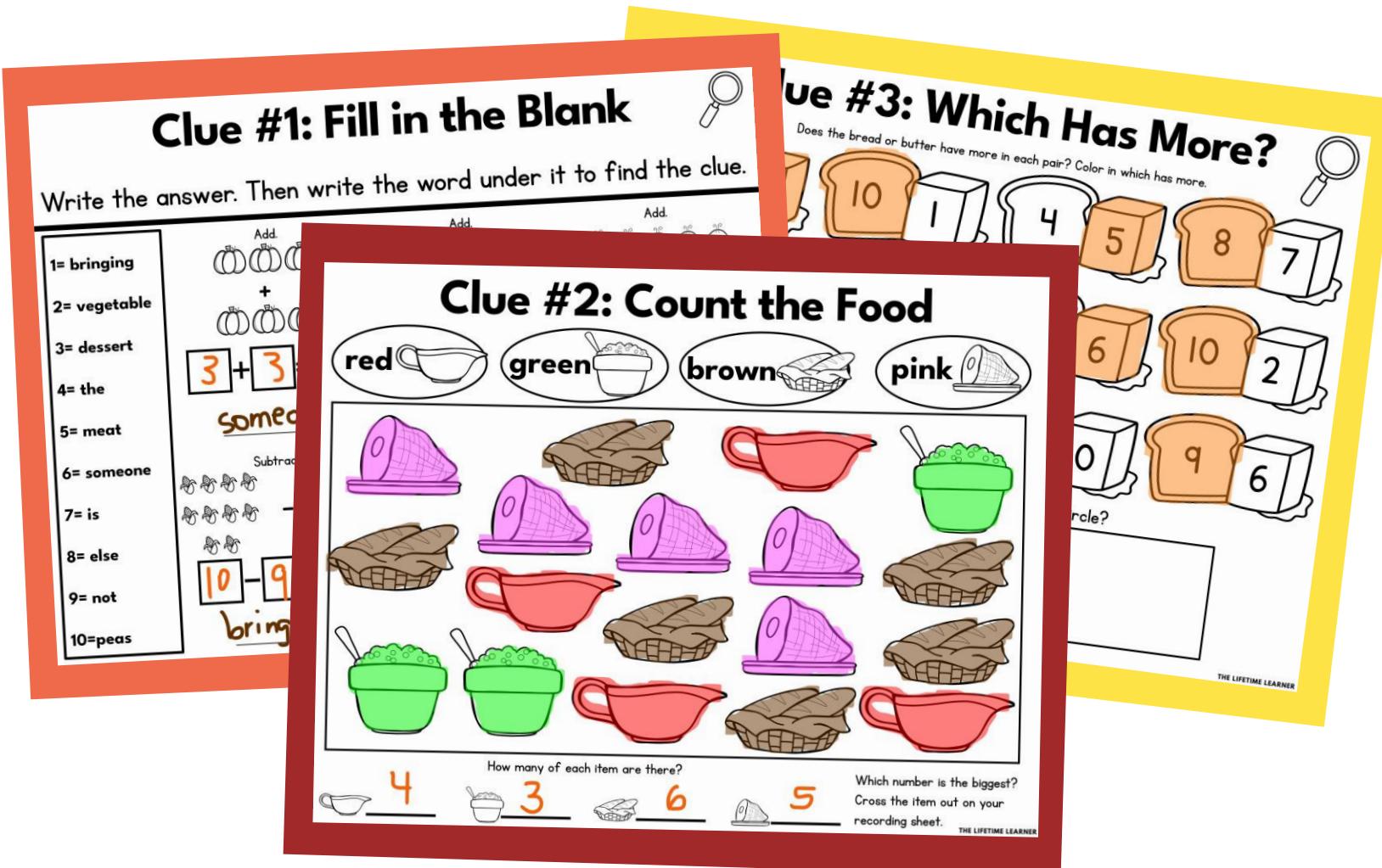
Name:

THE LIFETIME LEARNER

Each time students solve a clue, it will reveal what foods to cross out.

When all clues are completed, the mystery of the Thanksgiving feast will be solved!

SKILL PRACTICE



- Add with Pictures
- Subtract with Pictures
- Count Objects to 10
- More or Less
- Count to 100
- Add to 5
- Thanksgiving-Themed
- Error Analysis Practice

All clues focus on reviewing Kindergarten math skills!

MULTIPLE VERSIONS



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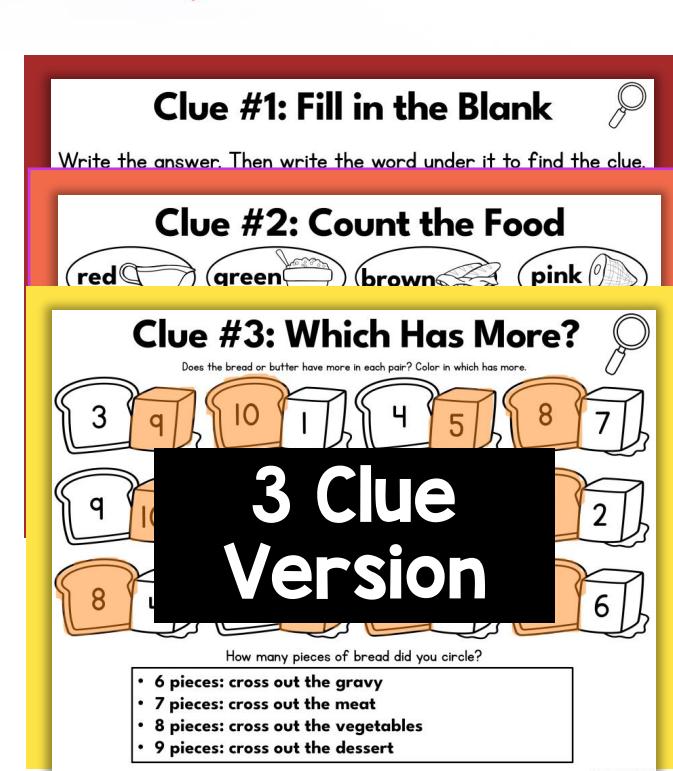
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Clue #2: Count the Food

red green brown pink

Clue #3: Which Has More?

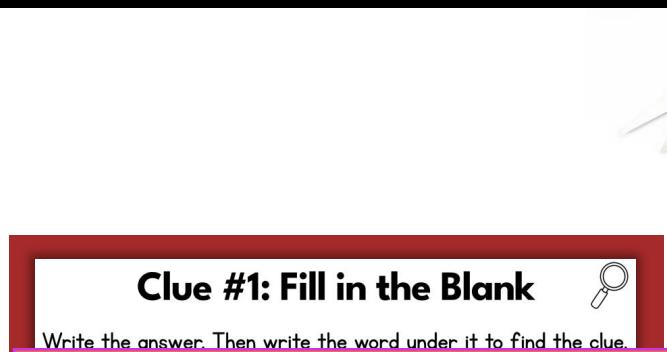
Does the bread or butter have more in each pair? Color in which has more.



How many pieces of bread did you circle?

- 6 pieces: cross out the gravy
- 7 pieces: cross out the meat
- 8 pieces: cross out the vegetables
- 9 pieces: cross out the dessert

3 Clue Version



Clue #1: Fill in the Blank

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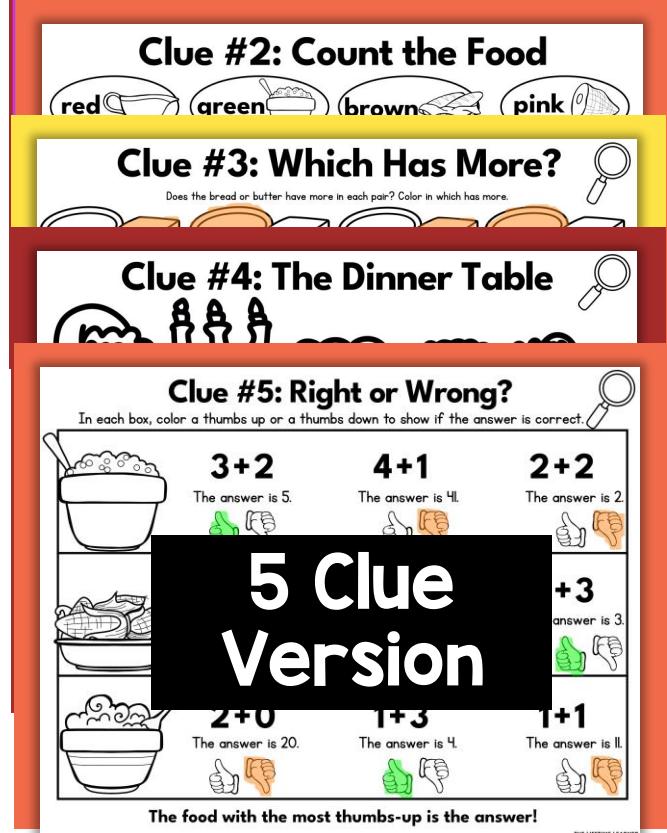
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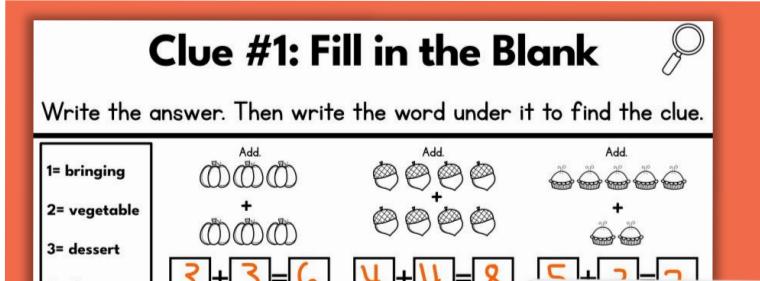
$3+2$ The answer is 5. Thumbs up	$4+1$ The answer is 4. Thumbs down	$2+2$ The answer is 2. Thumbs up
$+3$ answer is 3. Thumbs up		

5 Clue Version

The food with the most thumbs-up is the answer!



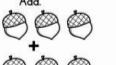
Print & Digital Forms



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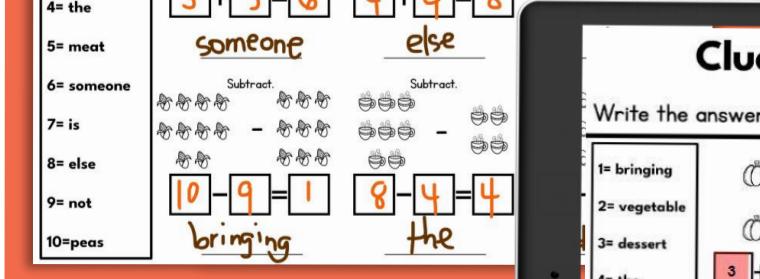
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Add.  +  Add.  + 

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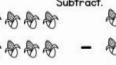
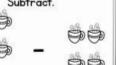
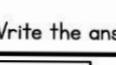
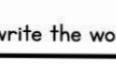
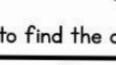
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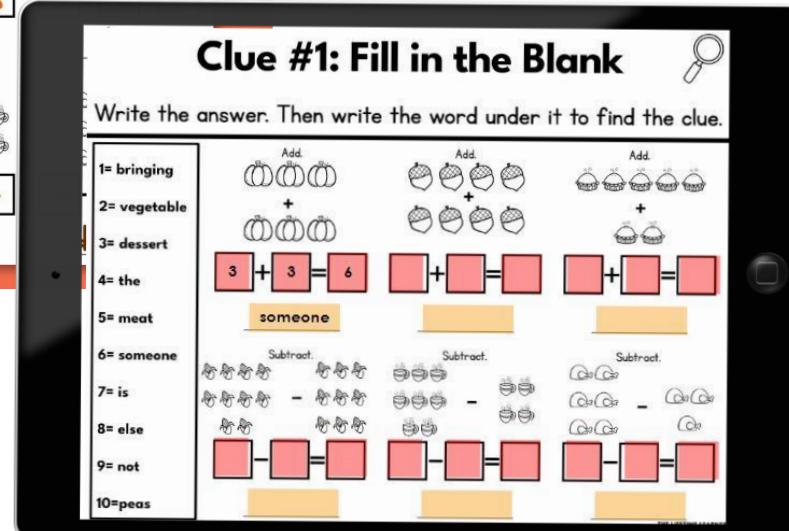


Clue #5: Right or Wrong?

In each box, color a thumbs up or a thumbs down to show if the answer is correct.

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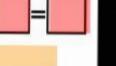
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Short & Long Options

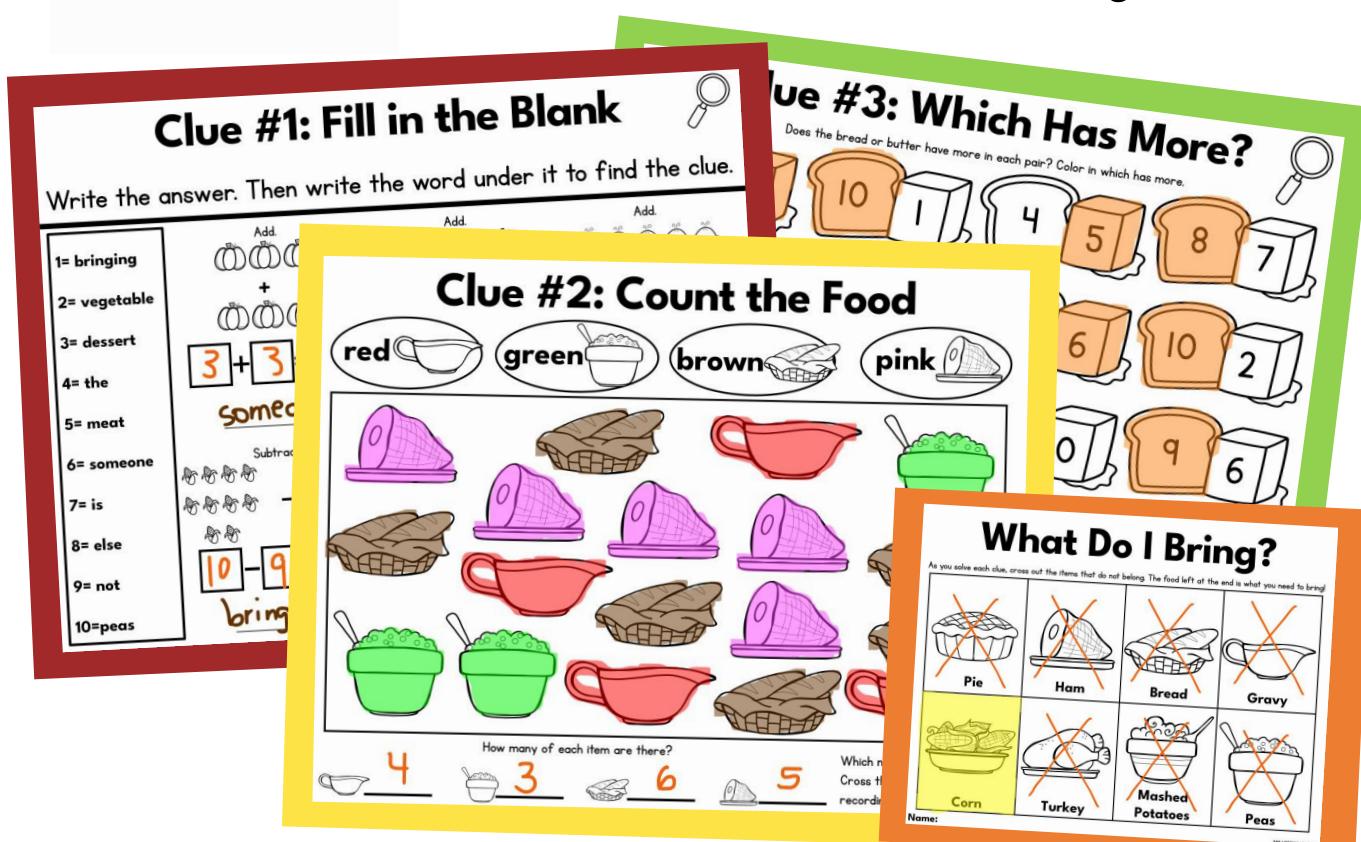
EASY & HARD OPTIONS

1. Students do the math on each clue page.
2. There is minimal reading on every page.
3. Students are handed a card showing what to cross out after completing each page.



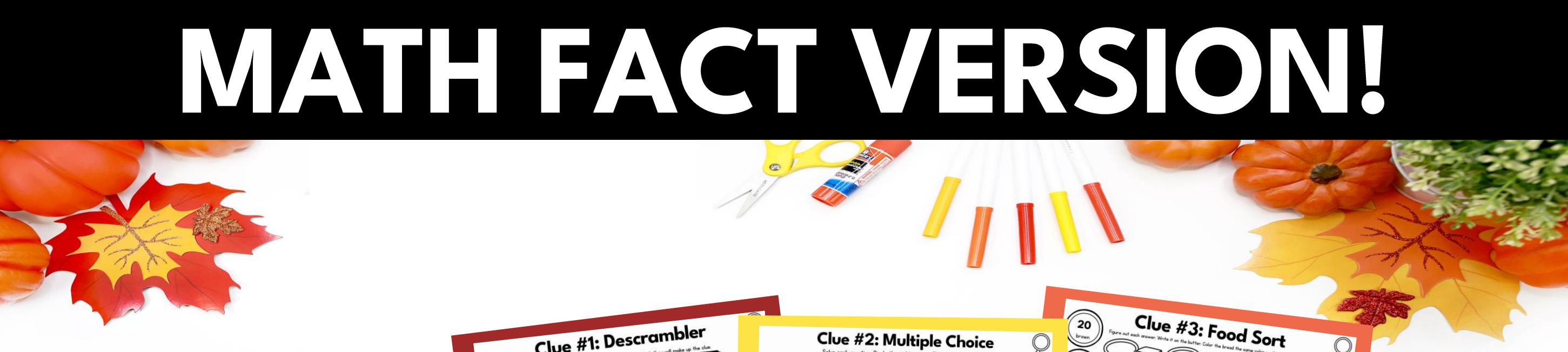
Easy Version

1. Students do the math on each clue page.
2. Teachers help students read the words on each clue page to figure out the mystery "hints".
3. Students use "hints" to cross out wrong answers.



Hard Version

MATH FACT VERSION!



What Do I Bring?

As you solve each clue, cross out the items that do not belong. The food left at the end is what you need to bring!

Pie	Ham	Bread	Gravy
Corn	Turkey	Mashed Potatoes	Peas

Name: _____

Clue #1: Descrambler

Solve each question. When the letters are unscrambled, they will make up the clue.

W	T	T	A
11+8	5+9	10+10	5+6
E	13+2	S	8+9
4+14	T	3+7	Q

Place the correct letter on top of each matching answer.

Clue #2: Multiple Choice

Solve each question. Circle the right answer. Then read the bottom.

18-5	14-6	20-9	15-8
A. 12	A. 8	A. 9	A. 6
B. 13	B. 9	B. 12	B. 8
C. 11	C. 6	C. 10	C. 7
D. 15	D. 7	D. 11	D. 9
19-10	13-8	16-4	11-7
A. 12	A. 4	A. 11	A. 6
B. 11	B. 5	B. 12	B. 5
C. 9	C. 6	C. 13	C. 3
D. 10	D. 7	D. 10	D. 7

Clue #3: Food Sort

Figure out each answer. Write it on the butter. Color the bread the same color as the plate they belong on.

20	brown			
19	orange			
18	red			
7	yellow			
17+2	13+7	6+12	4+16	4+15
2+15	9+10	11+6	12+8	13+5

Then, find the correct key at the bottom to solve the clue.

Clue #4: The Dinner Table

First, write the answer in each box on the dinner table. Then, read what to do in the box at the bottom.

17-5	15-13	20-11	16-8	14-8	19-6
M	L	E	I	A	R
16-9	18-15	12-7	13-9	15-14	11-1
Q	D	U	I	T	D

Cross out the boxes with the following answers:
9,1,13,12,3,6
The letters that are left will reveal a message.

Clue #5: Picture Decoder

Find each answer. Then, draw a line to each match. Last, use the decoder at the bottom to solve the clue.

17	15	19	14	11	13	20	16	18
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Answers: _____

Letters: _____

Cross out the foods that are: _____

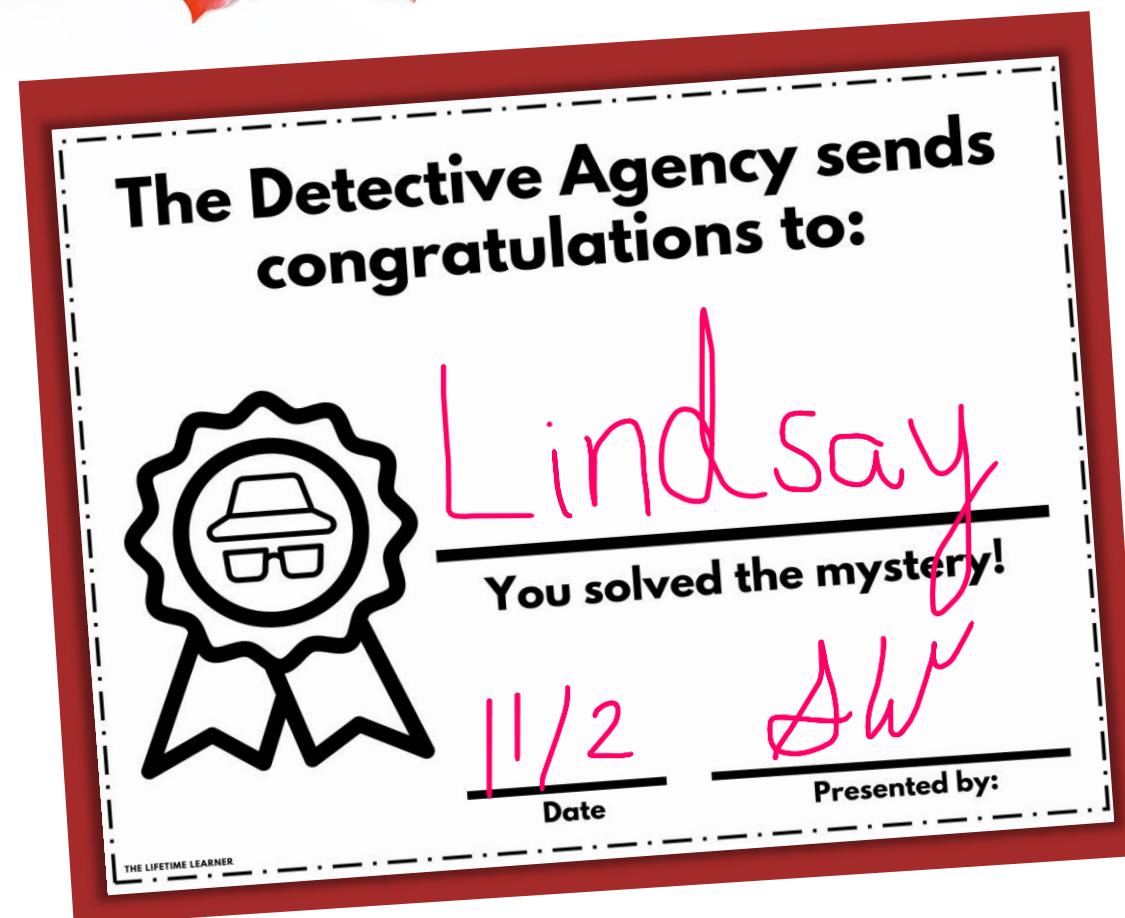
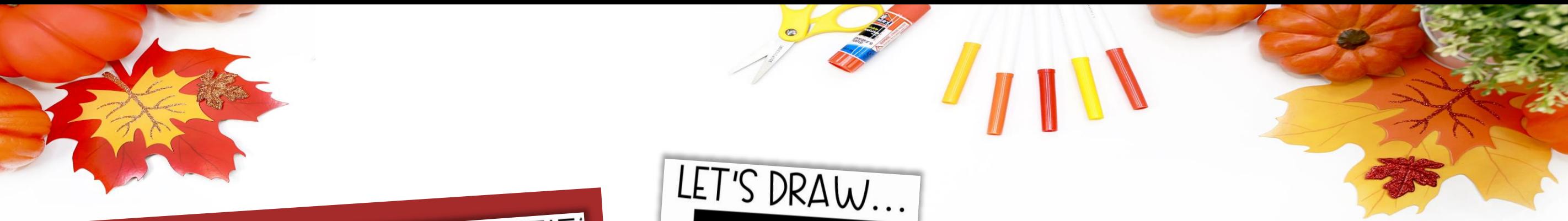
Use this decoder to help you figure out what letter is equal to each picture.

A = 🍞	G = 🍎	M = 🍔	S = 🍯	Y = 🍃
B = 🍔	H = 🍎	N = 🍔	T = 🍔	Z = 🍃
C = 🍎	I = 🍔	O = 🍔	U = 🍔	
D = 🍔	J = 🍔	P = 🍔	V = 🍔	
E = 🍔	K = 🍔	Q = 🍔	W = 🍔	
F = 🍔	L = 🍔	R = 🍔	X = 🍔	

Same clues. Same mystery. Different math!

There is an extra version included that focuses on addition and subtraction facts to 20.

FAST FINISHER ACTIVITY



If students finish early, give them a certificate of completion and a directed drawing to complete while others continue working.

MATH MYSTERY BENEFITS



- No Prep
- Print and Digital Versions
- 3 & 5 Clue Options
- Extra Math Facts Mystery
- Fun and Engaging
- Easy to Differentiate
- Encourages Critical Thinking
- Aligns with Math Standards
- Perfect for Review Days

Clue #4: The Dinner Table

Illustrations of a turkey, a candelabra, a sheep, a pie, and a bowl of grapes.

45, 46, 47, __	9, 10, 11, __	70, 71, 72, __	53, 54, 55, __	31, 32, 33, __	87, 88, 89, __
48	12	73	56	34	90
X	X	X	X	X	

Write what number comes next.
Then, read what to do in the box at the bottom.

Cross out the boxes with the following answers:
34, 73, 12, 48, 56

What food is left? Cross it off the food list.

The food is not: Gravy.

THE LIFETIME LEARNER

In Kindergarten, this works well as a whole group lesson or in small groups at the teacher table.

Kindergarteners will need teacher support to read & understand the clues/directions

WHY TEACHERS LOVE THESE!

Ordinary math worksheets can be boring and unoriginal.

You want activities that are fun and engaging, but also rigorous and meaningful to student learning.

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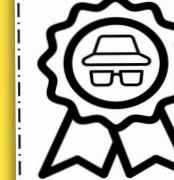
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The Detective Agency sends congratulations to:

 Lindsay

You solved the mystery!

11/2 Shr Date Presented by:

LET'S DRAW... a scarecrow

1 2 3
4 5 6 Color It!



LET'S DRAW... a pumpkin

1 2 3
4 5 6 Color It!



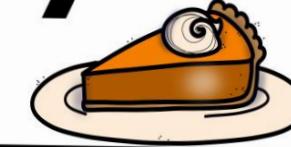
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The Case of the Thanksgiving Feast

WHAT MAKES MATH MYSTERIES UNIQUE?

Math Mysteries aren't just a copy of Reading Mysteries!

They have brand-new clues, focus on math skills, and even feature a different conclusion to the mystery.

The only thing that stays the same is the list of suspects students start with!

So, if you have both, students can play during math and then again during reading for double the fun.



Reading

Clue #1: Fill in the Blank

Word: *you* Word: *lap*
Word: *to* Word: *that*
Word: *rag* Word: *don't* Word: *can* Word: *bring* Word: *nap* Word: *is*
Word: *ham* Word: *need* Word: *pan* Word: *something* Word: *mat* Word: *poured*

When you are done, read the words in order from top to bottom in each row to figure out the clue.

Example of Clue 1

Math

Clue #1: Fill in the Blank

Write the answer. Then write the word under it to find the clue.

1= bringing	Add.	2= vegetable	Add.	3= someone	Add.	4= else	Add.	5= is	Add.
7= is	$\begin{array}{r} \text{pumpkin} \\ + \text{pumpkin} \\ \hline \end{array}$	8= else	$\begin{array}{r} \text{acorn} \\ + \text{acorn} \\ \hline \end{array}$	$3 + 3 = 6$	$4 + 4 = 8$	$5 + 2 = 7$	$\begin{array}{r} \text{cup} \\ - \text{cup} \\ \hline \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{r} \text{cup} \\ - \text{cup} \\ \hline \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{r} \text{cup} \\ - \text{cup} \\ \hline \end{array}$
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Subtract. $10 - 9 = 1$ $8 - 4 = 4$ $6 - 3 = 3$

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THE LIFETIME LEARNER

KEEP THE FUN GOING!

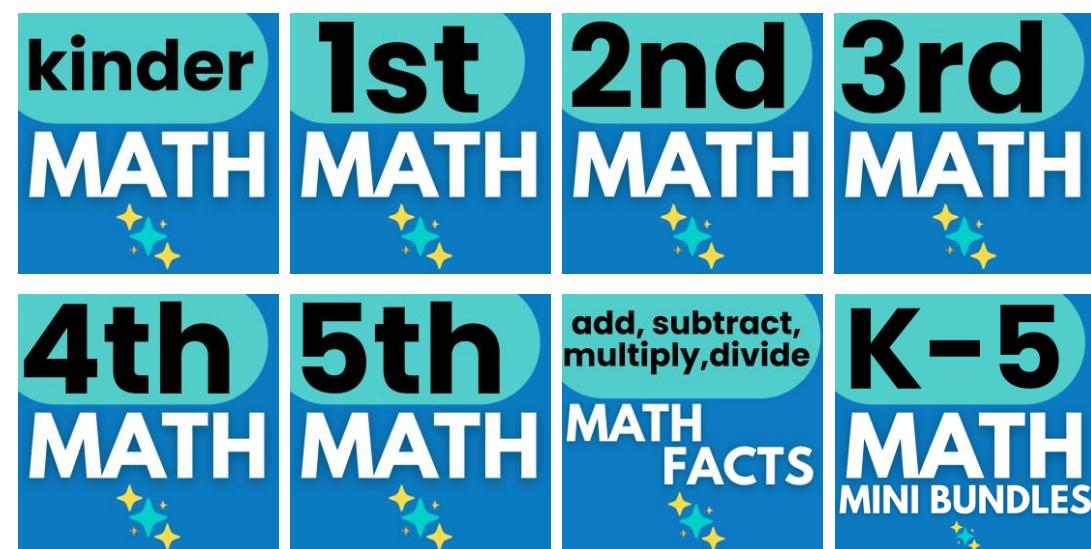
GRAB A READING MYSTERY:

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