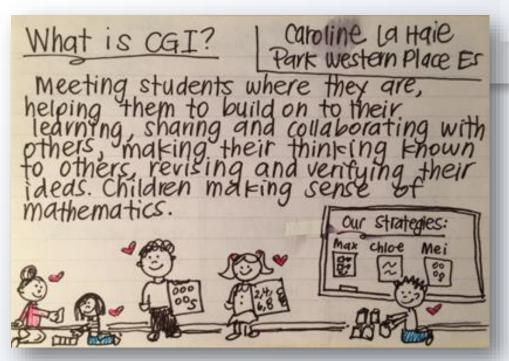
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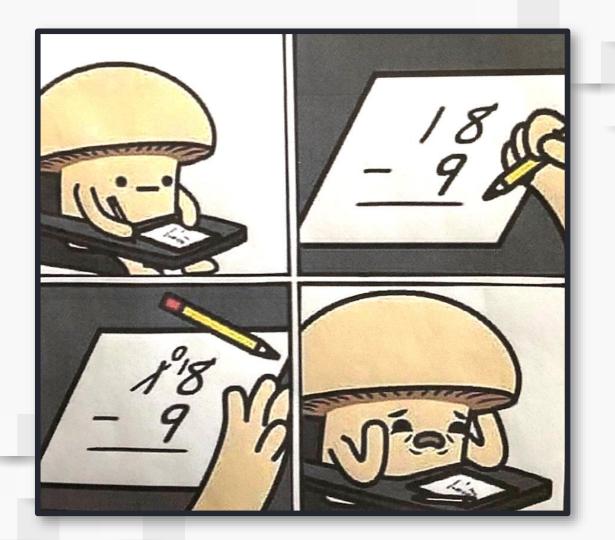
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#### Goals:

- Explore how students are learning math in school.
- Support students' sense-making through questioning.
- Help students incorporate Mathematician into their identity.



"CGI is a student-centered approach to teaching math that builds on children's intuitive ideas for solving math problems or tasks and in which the primary role of the teacher is that of a listener, facilitator, and strategic questioner."

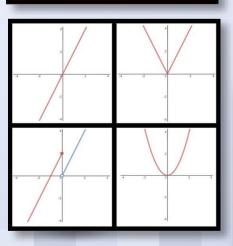


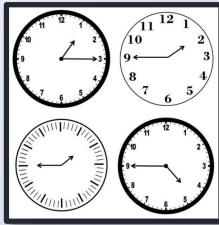
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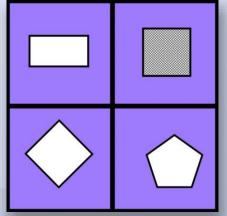
Skip Count by 5 starting at 16

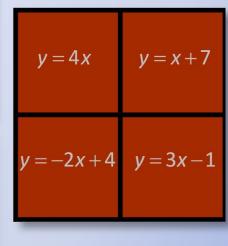
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5	2
8	6

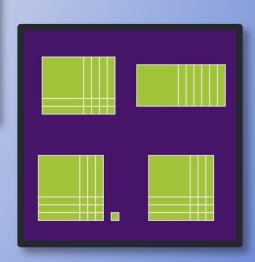












# Correct answers are still valued and expected

■ Sometimes the goal of a lesson isn't to find the answer.

Sometimes the goal of a lesson is to understand features
 of a number system and how they work together.

Sometimes we want to provide students opportunities to think freely about what is going on in a low stakes situation.

# Algorithms are still taught and fluency expected.

Just not taught as early as you might expect

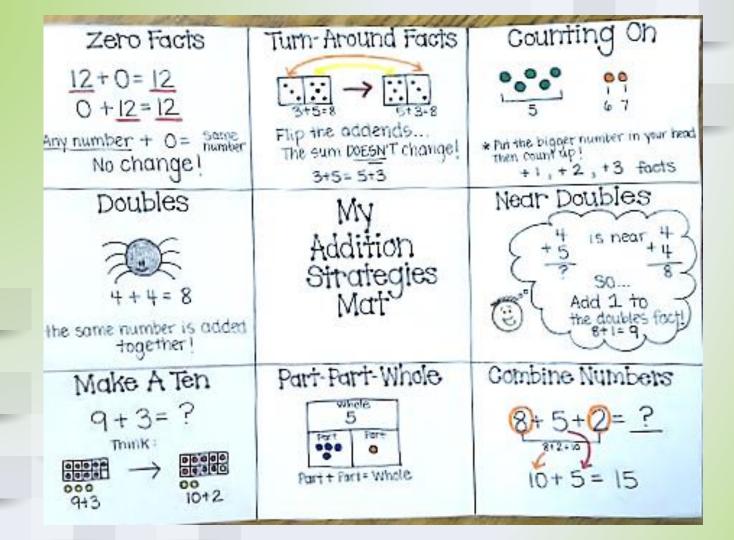
#### Standard Algorithms

- Multi-digit Addition & Subtraction: 4<sup>th</sup> grade
- Multi-digit Multiplication: 5<sup>th</sup> Grade
- Multi-digit Division: 6<sup>th</sup> Grade

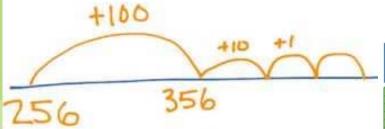
Why not teach the algorithm first?
What are they doing before they learn it?

#### Number Talk.

What is 6 x 16



Open Number Line



Core Lesson	What is 341 + 156?

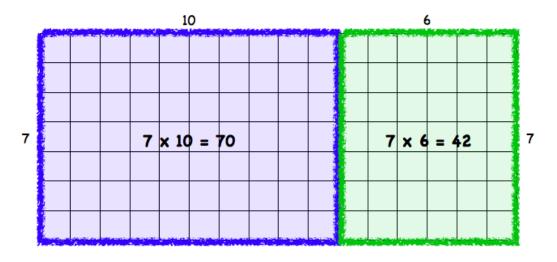
Hundreds	Tens	Ones

I can subtract two-digit numbers. 45-17 17 + 3 = 20 20 + 20 = 40 40 + 5 = 45 17 20 30 40 45 Compensation 45 - 20 = 25 25 + 3 = 28 25 = 28Decompose a Ten  $45 \rightarrow 40+5 \rightarrow 30+15$   $-17 \leftarrow 20+8$ 

Use negatives

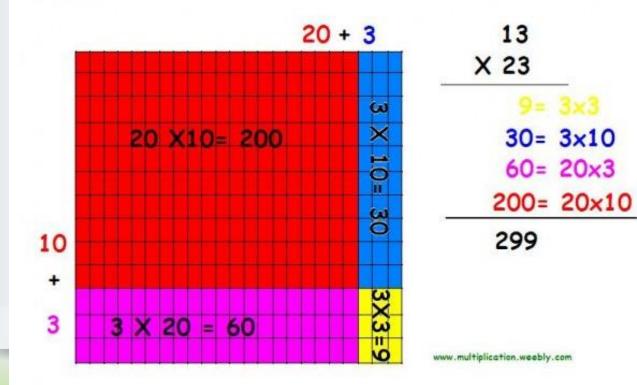
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-17
-30
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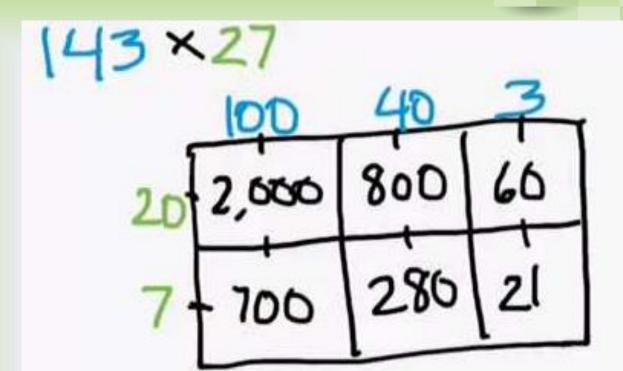
$$7 \times 16 =$$



$$70 + 42 = 112$$







	200	10	3		1
15	3,000	150	30	15   3,180 -3,000 180 - 150 30 - 30	200 10 3
				0	213



# People value what makes sense.

Our number 1 standard of Math Practice is: Make sense of problems and preserver in solving them. A school bought some math books and 4 times as many science books. The cost of a math book was \$12. A science book cost \$8. Altogether the school spent \$528.

How many science books did they buy?

#### Make Sense of a Problem and Persevere in solving them. (SMP1)

Read three times.

- What is the problem about ? What is happening?
   Understand the story and context
- Read again looking for just the question what is the purpose of our problem solving.
- Read a third time looking for mathematically relevant information.

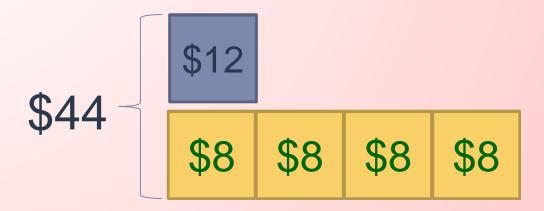
# Identify Quantities and Relationships (SMP 2)

Sara has 7 cookies Jeff ran  $\frac{1}{2}$  mile.

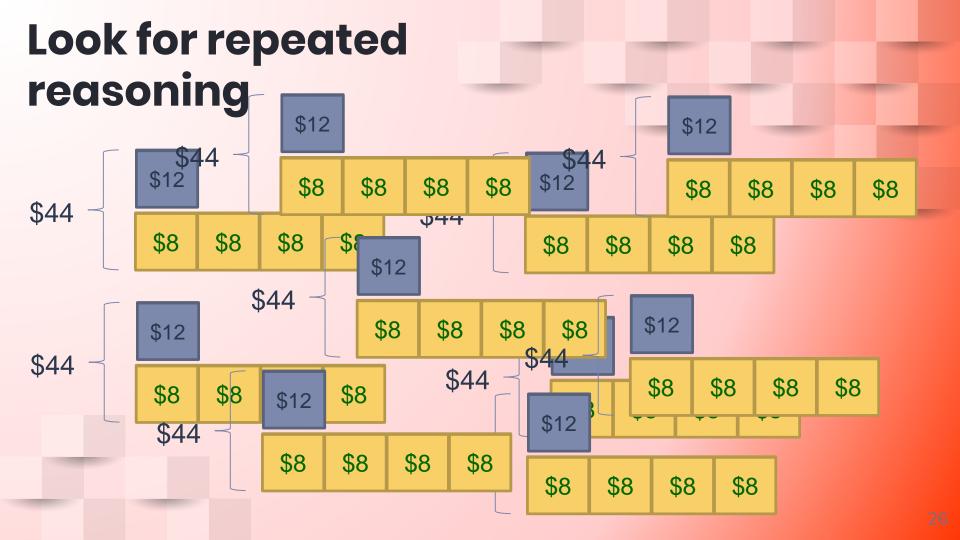
Catherine has 7 fewer cookies than Sara Jim ran  $\frac{1}{2}$  as far as Jeff.

#### Understand the Structure of a problem (SMP7) Have I seen a problem that acts like this before... What is happening in this problem.

### Understand the Structure of a problem



#### Look for regularity and repeated reasoning (SMP 8) Think about what you are doing over and over to establish procedure



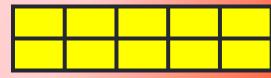
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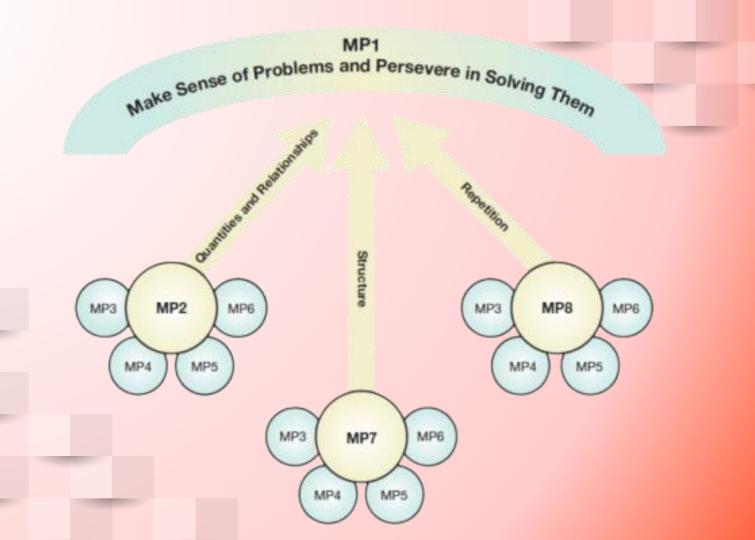
$$\frac{3}{8} + \frac{2}{4} = ?$$

$$\frac{3}{8} = \frac{1}{8} + \frac{1}{8} + \frac{1}{8}$$

$$2+2+2+2=10$$



$$\frac{3}{8} + \frac{2}{4} = ? \qquad \frac{3}{8} = \frac{1}{8} + \frac{1}{8} + \frac{1}{8} \qquad \frac{1}{8} + \frac{21}{8} \times \frac{1}{8} = \frac{3}{24}$$



#### **Growth Mindset and Identity**

How can we help young people see themselves as capable mathematicians?

Take one minutes to write down what you know or have heard about the idea of "growth mindset."

#### Fostering a Growth Mindset

#### Fixed Mindset

intelligence is static

- Challenges ... avoid
- Obstacles ... give up
- Effort ... no point
- Criticism ... deflect
- Success of others ...
  feel threatened











#### Growth Mindset

intelligence is developing

- Challenges... embraces
- Obstacles ... fortitude
- Effort ... work hard
- Criticism ... learns
- Success of others ... celebrates

# **Growth Mindset for Mentors**

#### 60 minute online module

www.mindsetkit.org

**Topic 1: What is a Growth Mindset?** 

**Topic 2: How Mentors Support Growth Mindset** 

**Topic 3: Key Strategy: Using Growth Mindset Language** 

Topic 4: Key Strategy: Reframing Challenges, Failures, and Mistakes

**Topic 5: Additional Tips and strategies** 

# Changing Mindset: Questions & Feedback

- Questions support students in sense-making
- Feedback prompts to support students when they
  - Struggle
    - Are making progress
    - Succeed

# Using Growth Mindset Language and Fostering Math Practices

You and a partner will work on a math problem. One partner plays the student, and the other plays the tutor.

Use the last three pages to determine the situation and develop a response

Students have not yet developed a growth mindset, so the tutor will help the student reframe things in growth mindset language. Use your handouts to help you!

The driver of the 48 bus drives for 8 hours each day. They drive a route that is 18 miles long and ends at the same place it starts - the intersection of MLK and Rainer Avenue. 2 times each hour, how many miles did they drive in one day?

#### **Questions?**

Thank you for coming!

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# **BIG CONCEPT**

Bring the attention of your audience over a key concept using icons or illustrations

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# TRANSITION HEADLINE

Let's start with the first set of slides

"Quotations are commonly printed as a means of inspiration and to invoke philosophical thoughts from the reader"

#### THIS IS A SLIDE TITLE

- Here you have a list of items
- And some text
- But remember not to overload your slides with content

Your audience will listen to you or read the content, but won't do both.

### YOU CAN ALSO SPLIT YOUR CONTENT

### White

Is the color of milk and fresh snow, the color produced by the combination of all the colors of the visible spectrum.

### **Black**

Is the color of coal, ebony, and of outer space. It is the darkest color, the result of the absence of or complete absorption of light.

#### IN TWO OR THREE COLUMNS

#### Yellow

Is the color of gold, butter and ripe lemons. In the spectrum of visible light, yellow is found between green and orange.

#### Blue

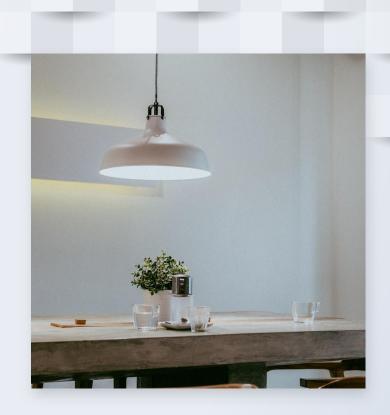
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#### Red

Is the color of blood, and because of this it has historically been associated with sacrifice, danger and courage.

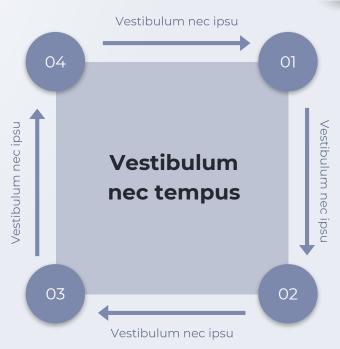
### A PICTURE IS WORTH A THOUSAND WORDS

A complex idea can be conveyed with just a single still image, namely making it possible to absorb large amounts of data quickly.





## USE DIAGRAMS TO EXPLAIN YOUR IDEAS



# AND TABLES TO COMPARE DATA

	А	В	С
Yellow	10	20	7
Blue	30	15	10
Orange	5	24	16



# 89,526,124

Whoa! That's a big number, aren't you proud?

## 89,526,124\$

That's a lot of money

### 185,244 users

And a lot of users

100%

Total success!

## OUR PROCESS IS EASY

#### Vestibulum congue tempus

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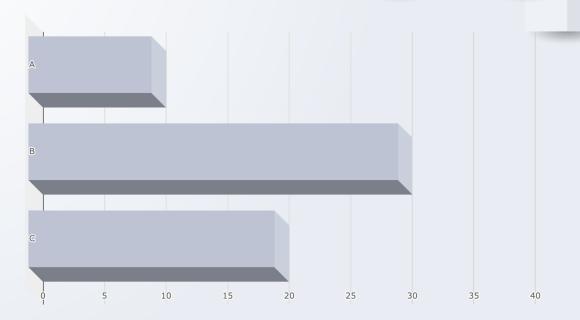
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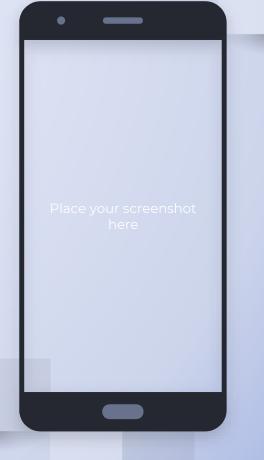
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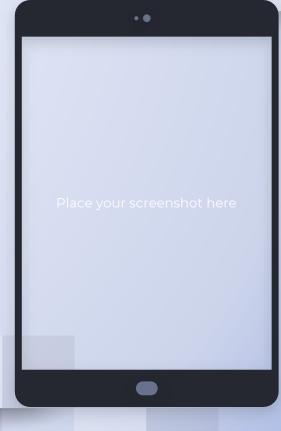


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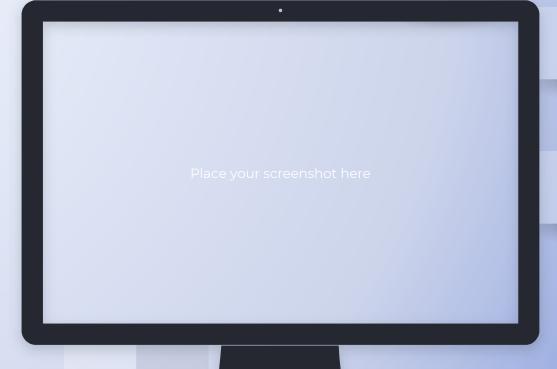


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