

Mystery Number Review

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Understanding the Equal Sign

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Answer the questions about finding mystery numbers.

1. The equal sign means both sides must be ____.

2. What is a mystery number?

- A. A number we see
- B. A number we don't know
- C. A number we add

3. We can use counting to help find mystery numbers.

- True False

4. Draw a line from each strategy to how it helps us find numbers.

Counting

Helps us see how many

Using cubes

Shows us the number's position

5. God provides us with ____ to understand problems.

6. Why is it important that both sides of an equation are equal?

7. The mystery number can be found by using different strategies.

- True False

8. What do we use to help find missing addends?

- A. Cubes
- B. Toys
- C. Books

9. What strategy can help you find a mystery number? Circle the correct answer.

Ignoring the numbers

Counting or using cubes

Guessing the number

10. Sometimes we don't know all the ____ in an equation.

Answer Key

1. the same 2. A number we don't know 3. True 4. 0,1 5. wisdom 6. Because it shows the equation is correct. 7. True 8. Cubes 9. Counting or using cubes 10. numbers