

Math Skills with the Newspaper

CCSS Math Practice Standard 1. Make sense of problems and persevere in solving them.

Problem Maker

Use numbers from the newspaper to make up a math problem.

You could use sports, weather, the stock market, prices, even the TV listings.

Any part of the newspaper that has numbers can be part of your problem.

Then give your problem to another student to solve.

1. News Item _____
2. Make it challenging—Include at least two steps:
add multiply subtract divide estimate round calculate percentage interpret a graph

Problem

Write it as a word problem.

Answers:

- a. _____ b. _____
c. _____ d. _____

Problem Solver

Solve the problem and circle the answer.

Write your reason for choosing that answer.
