

# SUPERMARKET SPREE

## Project Based Learning

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Salt	

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Sugar in 1 loaf	Sugar in 3 loaves	Butter in 1 loaf	Butter in 3 loaves	Flour in 1 loaf	Flour in 3 loaves
- There are 3 teaspoons in a tablespoon. There are 16 tablespoons in a cup. Express 1 teaspoon of salt as a fraction of a cup.
 

$\frac{1}{48}$
- A medium-sized banana weighs about 118 grams. Assuming you need medium-sized bananas for Grandma's recipe, and Grandma wants to make 3 loaves of banana bread, how many grams of bananas will you need to buy? How many kilograms is that?
 

1,062 grams or 1.062 kilograms

**Magi CORE**



## BUDGET CHECK #4

Answer the following questions based on the table on the previous page.

1. Based on your estimate, explain.

2. Compare the estimated cost from the budget.

Mom's  
estimated cost

Grandma's  
estimated cost

3. Which person's shopping was more expensive?

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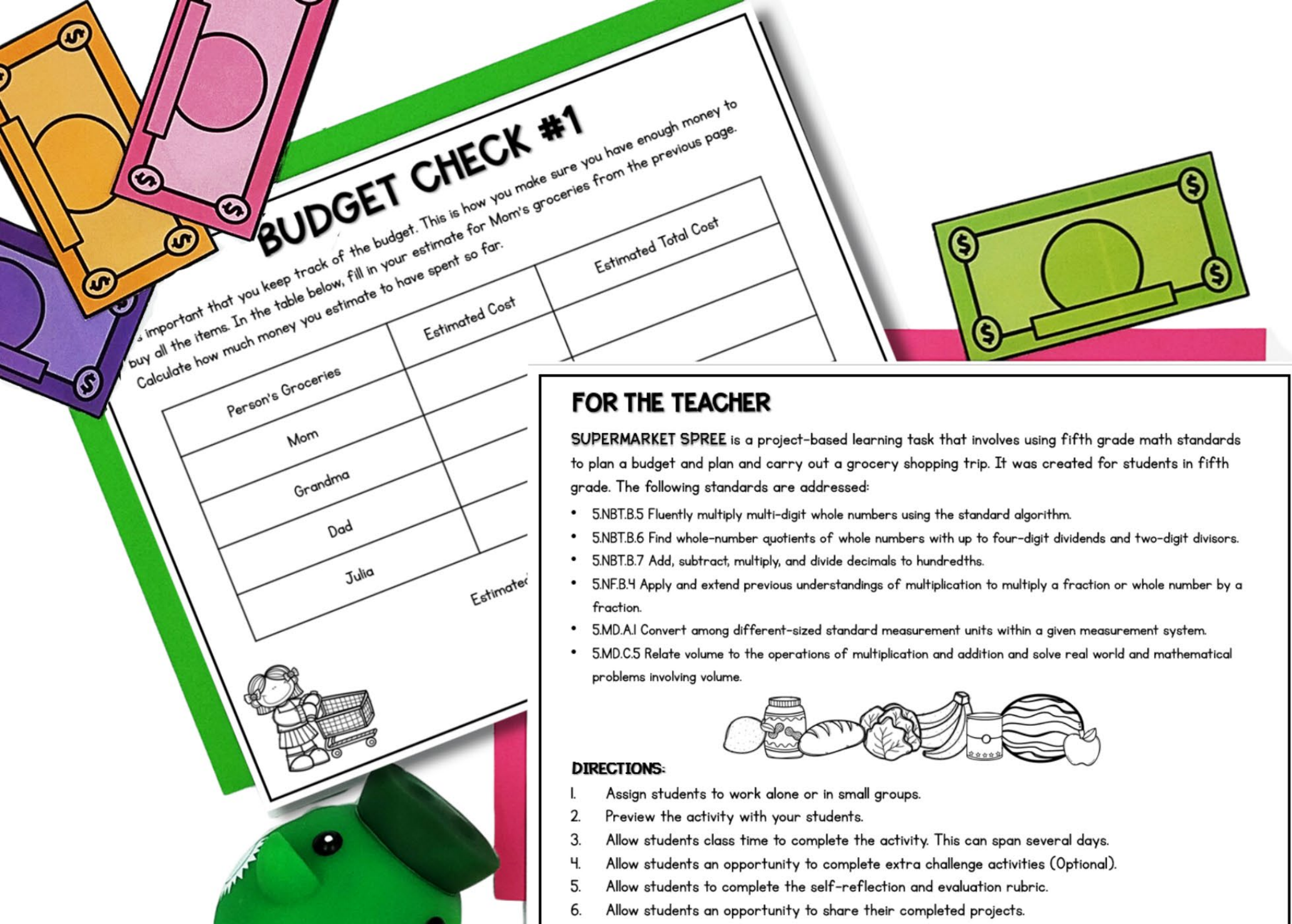
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- Solve one- and two-step word problems about item prices.
- Keep track of how much money you are spending to ensure you don't go over budget.
- Complete the challenge pages. (Optional)
- Complete the self-reflection and evaluation rubric.



Engaging story to get kids immersed in learning!  
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## BUDGET CHECK #1

It is important that you keep track of the budget. This is how you make sure you have enough money to buy all the items. In the table below, fill in your estimate for Mom's groceries from the previous page. Calculate how much money you estimate to have spent so far.

Person's Groceries	Estimated Cost	Estimated Total Cost
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Grandma		
Dad		
Julia		



### FOR THE TEACHER

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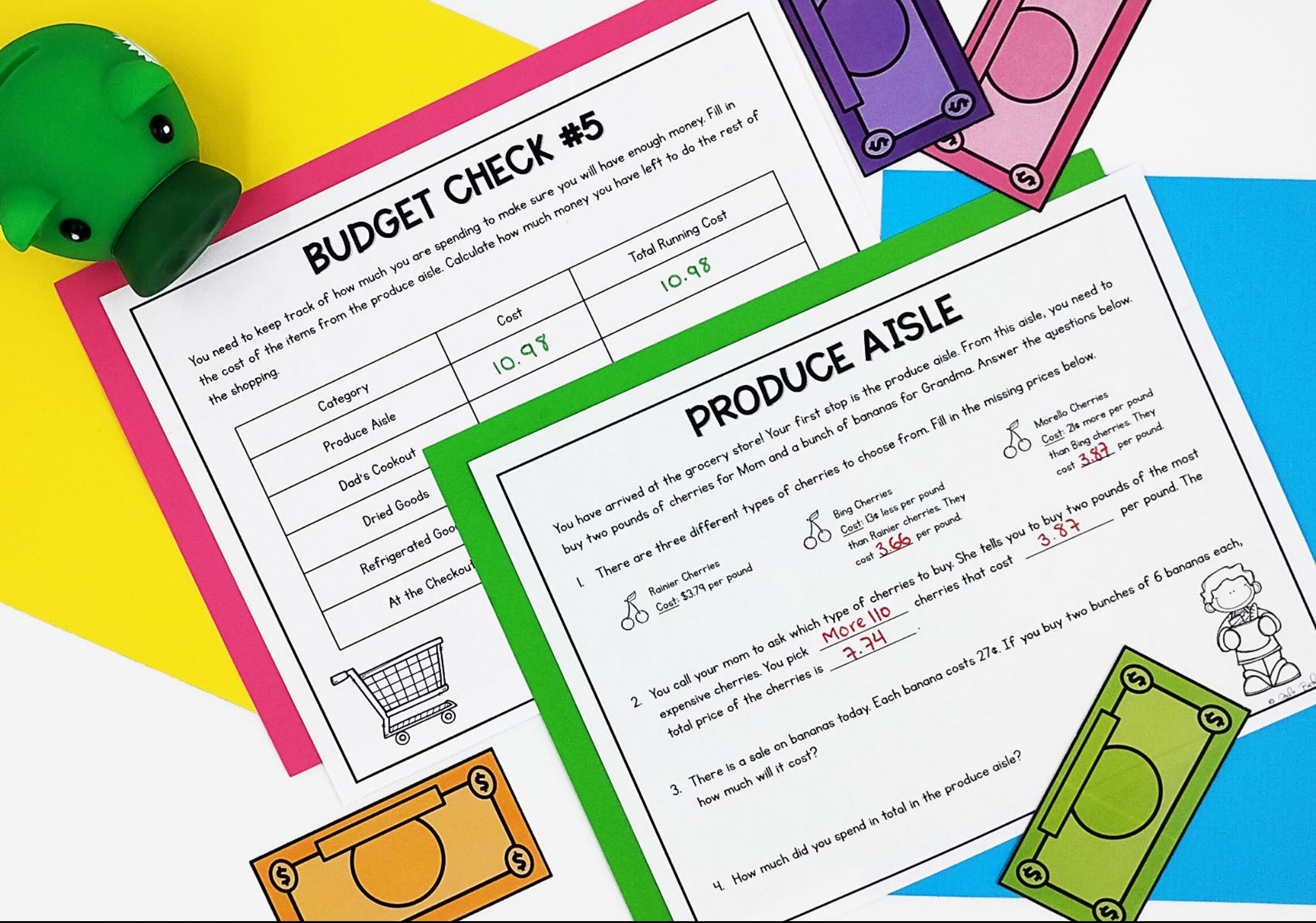


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Covers a range of 5th-grade math standards including Adding, subtracting, multiplying, and dividing decimals to hundredths.





## BUDGET CHECK #5

You need to keep track of how much you are spending to make sure you will have enough money. Fill in the cost of the items from the produce aisle. Calculate how much money you have left to do the rest of the shopping.


Category	Cost	Total Running Cost
Produce Aisle	10.98	10.98
Dad's Cookout		
Dried Goods		
Refrigerated Goods		
At the Checkout		




## PRODUCE AISLE

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- There is a sale on bananas today. Each banana costs 27¢. If you buy two bunches of 6 bananas each, how much will it cost?

- How much did you spend in total in the produce aisle?



Meaningful and realistic word problems.



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$$2$$

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$$\frac{3}{4}$$

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$$4\frac{1}{2}$$

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- Three loaves of Grandma's banana bread weigh approximately 1,968 grams. If Grandma slices all the loaves and ends up with 24 equal slices, how much does each slice weigh?

Plan groceries by practicing fractions, decimals, and measurement conversions.



## CHALLENGE #3: BAGGING ITEMS

4. The weight of each of your filled grocery bags is shown below. Write each weight in standard notation in the first space under each bag.



$5.443 \times 10^3$  g



$8.906 \times 10^3$  g



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## CHALLENGE #2: PICKING TREATS

In the checkout line, you find an extra \$5 bill in your pocket that you had forgotten about! You decide to use this money to buy yourself a treat for a job well done. The table below shows the prices of some goodies in the checkout aisle.

Treat	Chips	Candy Bar	Gummy Bears	Jerky	Mints	Fruit Snacks
Price	\$1.45	\$1.30	\$2.05	95¢	\$1.05	\$1.55

1. If you bought gummy bears and a candy bar, how much would it cost? Express this amount as a mixed number.

$3 \frac{35}{100}$

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5. Convert the weight of each bag into kilograms.

6. If you had a \$5 bill, how many bags could you purchase that would cost exactly \$5 all together?



Three challenge activities: Adding, subtracting, multiplying, and dividing fractions and decimals and volume.



## SELF-EVALUATION

Circle or shade one box per row on the rubric that expresses how you rate yourself on this Project Based Learning Activity.

<b>+</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>-</b>
I felt very confident about the math in this project.	I felt pretty good about my ability to complete the math in this project.	
I understood all of the math and did not need help to complete the problems.	I understood most of the math but needed a little help with some of the problems.	
I easily used many strategies to solve the math problems efficiently.	I needed some help with the best strategies for solving the problems.	
I feel I am ready for a harder math project.	I feel I am ready for a harder math project.	

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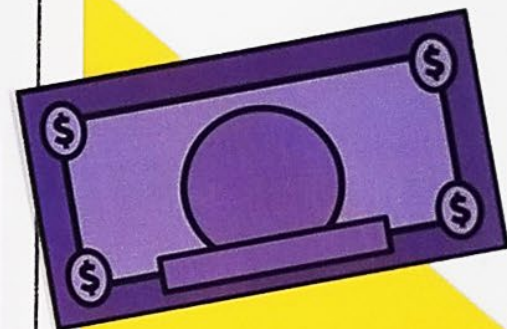
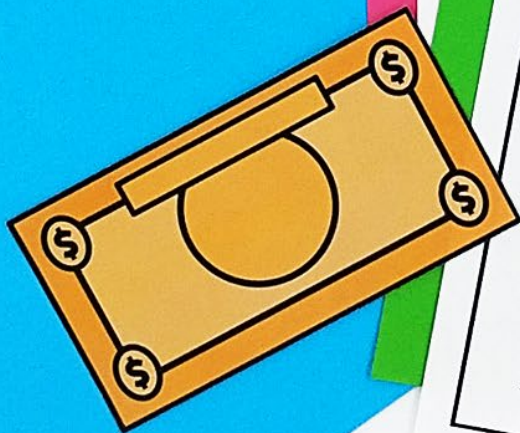
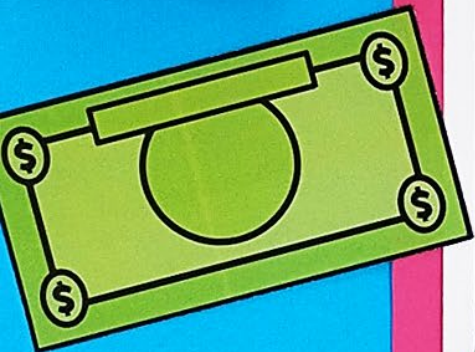
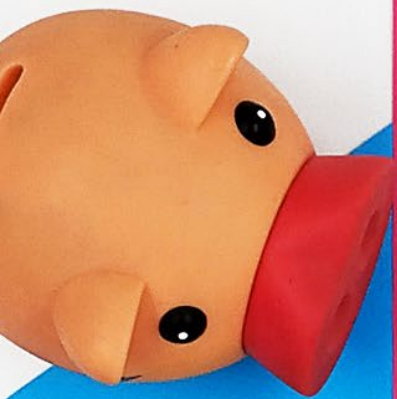


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Rubric and Reflection Self-Evaluation.



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# SETTING THE BUDGET

Before you leave for the store, your mom gives you the money to buy the groceries. She shows you the type and number of bills and coins, below. Calculate how much money you have to spend at the supermarket. Write the amount under each bill and coin type.



2 - \$20 bills

\_\_\_\_\_



3 - \$10 bills

\_\_\_\_\_



4 - \$5 bills

\_\_\_\_\_



4 - \$1 bills

\_\_\_\_\_



3 quarters

\_\_\_\_\_



4 dimes

\_\_\_\_\_



3 nickels

\_\_\_\_\_

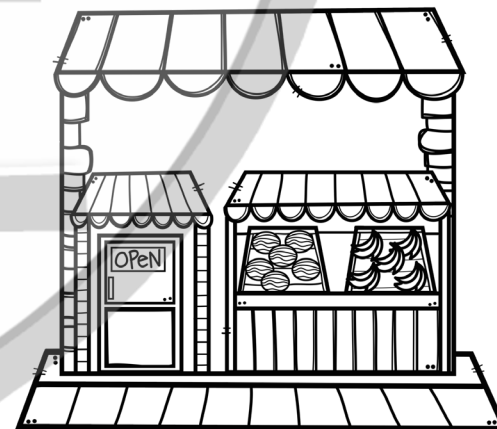


6 pennies

\_\_\_\_\_






1. Find the total amount of money you have. Show your work below.

2. The total budget for my supermarket shopping trip is \_\_\_\_\_



# MOM'S GROCERY LIST

Different people in your family have given you lists of things they need from the store. Below is the list of items Mom wants. Estimate what you think the cost of each item may be. Then, find the total estimate.

Item	My Estimate
 1 gallon of milk	\$ _____ . _____
 1 loaf of bread	\$ _____ . _____
 1 fish	\$ _____ . _____
 1 jar of peanut butter	\$ _____ . _____
 2 pounds of cherries	\$ _____ . _____
TOTAL	\$ _____ . _____





# BUDGET CHECK #1

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Person's Groceries	Estimated Cost	Estimated Total Cost
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Grandma		
Dad		
Julia		

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\$95.36	-		=	
Starting Budget		Estimated Total Cost		Money Remaining



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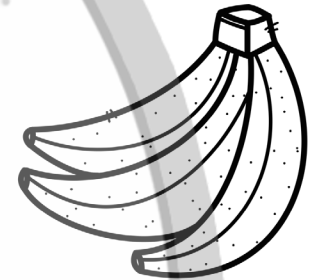
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### Directions

- Preheat oven to 325 degrees.
- Put all ingredients into a large bowl. Mix well.
- Pour batter into greased loaf pan.
- Bake 1 hour.



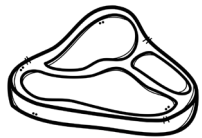
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	\$ _____ . _____
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	\$ _____ . _____
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	\$ _____ . _____
TOTAL	\$ _____ . _____



# DAD'S COOKOUT

Your dad is having your Uncle Ricky over tomorrow for a cookout. He needs you to pick up some items for him to barbecue, but he doesn't want to spend more than \$25 on all the ingredients. Below is a list of some items Dad could use for his cookout and what you estimate they might cost. Circle the items you are going to get for Dad. Remember: you need enough food for Dad and Uncle Ricky to have for dinner, but you can't spend more than \$25.



2 steaks  
\$18.45



1 chicken  
\$8.95



2 ears of corn  
\$3.10



Sausage links  
\$5.85



Quart of  
lemonade  
\$1.99



1 pound shrimp  
\$13.89



4 turkey legs  
\$16.15

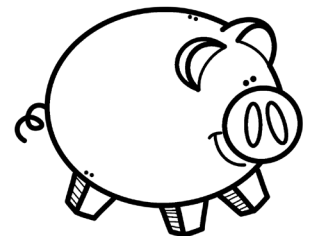
Now, complete the table with the items you will purchase for Dad and the estimated prices from above. You might not use all spaces in the table. Calculate the total estimated cost.

Item	My Estimate
	\$ _____ . _____
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	\$ _____ . _____
	\$ _____ . _____
	\$ _____ . _____
TOTAL	\$ _____ . _____

# JULIA'S PIGGY BANK

Your sister, Julia, has been doing odd jobs for the neighbors after school, and she has been saving up the money she has earned in her piggy bank. Answer the questions below.

1. Julia has walked your neighbor's dog every day for the past 3 days. Each day, she is paid \$5.15. How much has Julia earned dog walking?
2. Julia earned \$12 by weeding Mrs. Morrison's garden. She spent \$6.26 on a new book and \$3.47 on some snacks one day at the store. How much money from weeding does Julia have left?
3. Your parents give Julia a quarter each day she makes her bed. She has made her bed 7 times in the last two weeks. How much money does Julia have from making her bed? Write a multiplication equation and solve.
4. How much money does Julia have in total?
5. Julia gives you a shopping list that she estimates will cost \$18.60. How much money will she have left over after?





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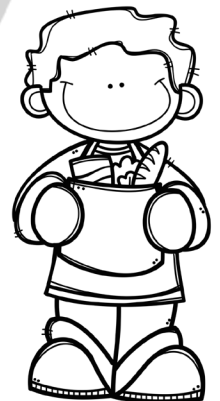
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4. How much did you spend in total in the produce aisle?



# BUDGET CHECK #8

In the table below, copy the data for how much you spent so far from Budget Check #7. Next, fill in the cost of the items you purchased in the refrigerated section. Calculate how much money you have left to do the rest of the shopping.

Category	Cost	Total Running Cost
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At the Checkout		



Final Amount Remaining

\$95.36

Starting  
Budget

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Total Running  
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Money  
Remaining



# CHALLENGE #1: CHECKING OUT

You are waiting in the checkout line to pay for your groceries. Answer the questions.

1. The total of the customer in front of you is  $34\frac{2}{5}$  dollars, plus  $3\frac{17}{20}$  dollars in tax. The customer gives the cashier two \$20 bills. How much change does the cashier owe the customer?
2. Four kids in the next line over are discussing how they can evenly split the price of their purchase. Their total was \$27.52. They each want to pay an equal amount. How much should each kid pay?
3. Cash register 1 has \$89.30 in its cash drawer. This is 10 times as much as in the cash drawer of register 2, and  $\frac{1}{10}$  as much as in the cash drawer of register 3. How much cash is in registers 2 and 3 in all?
4. As a customer is leaving, he puts some change in a donation jar. When you look in the donation jar, you see the following coins. Calculate how much money is in the donation jar.

Type of Coin	 Quarter	 Dime	 Nickel	 Penny
Number in Jar	26	39	42	59

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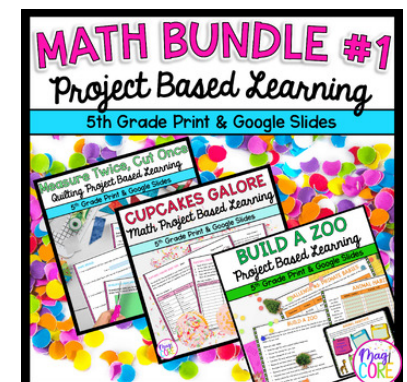
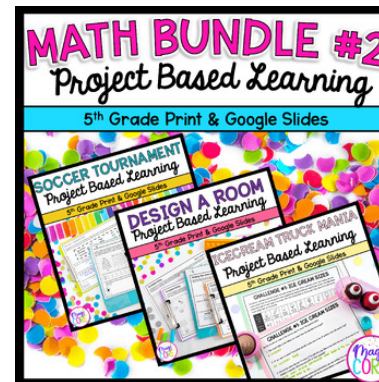
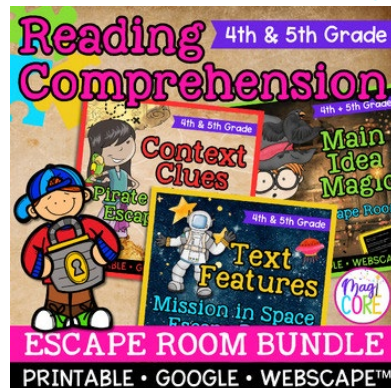


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