

PRINARY NATHENATICS Teacher's Guide



PRIMARY MATHEMATICS

From the original creators of the Math program that propelled a nation to world-class ranking

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Robust fundamentals strengthened and refined

A program with a respected track record, updated with the latest mathematical thinking and best practices.

PRIMARY MATHEMATICS program – the premier instructional package that launched the Singapore Math® approach

Singapore students have consistently led in international rankings in Math. But four decades ago, this was not the case.

Singapore's past weakness in Math

A survey by the Ministry of Education Singapore in 1975 revealed that primary school students had not mastered basic math skills such as division.

Resolution

Dr. Kho Tek Hong was tasked to solve this problem with a team of nine curriculum specialists. Their challenge: to make an abstract subject easily understandable at a time when English proficiency was quite low.

Their studies and deep research led to the creation of the **Singapore Math**[®] approach, and the carefully formulated **PRIMARY MATHEMATICS** series. This series played a key role in raising Singapore's math standards.

Completely New and Updated in 2022

The meteoric rise of Singapore students' Math performance caught the attention of U.S. educators.

In 1999, the original **PRIMARY MATHEMATICS** program was introduced to schools and homeschools in the U.S., leading to a marked improvement in student performance.

Over the years, the **PRIMARY MATHEMATICS** program has been regularly adapted and updated to fully align with U.S. State Standards. The program has always remained true to the original **Singapore Math**[®] approach.

Today, a new, updated **PRIMARY MATHEMATICS** program has been created, completely aligned to U.S. Standards, and incorporating the latest thinking in the teaching and learning of mathematics.

THE PRIMARY MATHEMATICS PROGRAM IN THE U.S. OVER THE YEARS

1999 PRIMARY MATHEMATICS

(3rd Edition) Singapore edition used in the U.S.



2003 PRIMARY MATHEMATICS

(U.S. Edition) created for U.S. market



PRIMARY MATHEMATICS

The NEW PRIMARY MATHEMATICS program -

a Grades K to 5 program, providing a robust math learning journey from Kindergarten to elementary school.

Engaging a new generation of teachers and students, the fundamentals of the original **PRIMARY MATHEMATICS** program have been strengthened with the following:

Learning Experiences

Carefully constructed activities give students opportunities to develop mathematical thinking, metacognition, and 21st century competencies such as critical and inventive thinking, collaboration and communication skills.

Growth Mindset

Activities are designed to instill in students a belief that most abilities can be developed through dedication and hard work. This belief encourages students to maintain a positive learning mindset and to persevere in problem solving.

Assessment & Data-driven Reports

Online formative and summative assessment reports help students track their own progress and become self-directed learners. The reports also inform differentiated instruction.

Heuristics

Dedicated problems teach students math problem-solving strategies, developing their ability to think mathematically and extending their problem-solving skills.

Productive Struggle

Students apply prior knowledge and work hard to solve problems slightly above their current level of learning. This productive struggle instill in students perseverance, and develops critical thinking and problem-solving skills.

Digital Resources

Closely integrated print and digital resources enhance the teaching and learning processes. Digital tools help students to visualize and master concepts.

STEAM Project Work

Interdisciplinary projects provide opportunities for collaboration and creative thinking in real-world contexts.

Write-in Student Book

The new **PRIMARY MATHEMATICS** Student Book is now a consumable, write-in book, allowing students to work in the book as they learn.

2007

Aligned to California State Standards. Approved for schools in California by California State Board of Education



2008

Approved for the Instructional Materials List by Oregon State Board of Education

2013

Aligned to the Common Core State Standards



2022

Completely new and updated edition



Comprehensive and Integrated Student and Teacher Resources for a Blended Experience

A program packed with learning experiences facilitated by print and digital resources that encourage a growth mindset and confidence in problem solving.

Teaching and Learning

Teachers will facilitate discussions using **Interactive Class Presentations** and refer to the **Teacher's Guides** for more strategies to support varied learners.

Teachers will plan how to conduct each lesson using the **Teacher's Guides***, **Transition Guide**, and **Interactive Class Presentations**.

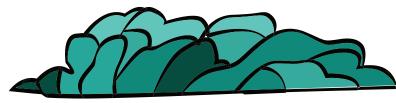
Lesson Preparation Teachers will address students' learning gaps with the **Transition Guide** and selected **Key Concept Interactives** for challenging concepts.

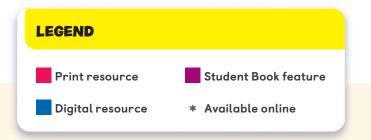
READINESS

Students will be engaged in discussions through the **Student Books** or **eBooks** Chapter Opener. They will attempt the questions in Recall* which will help them recall their prior knowledge that serves as a springboard for the new lesson.

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Note: Product offerings may differ from country to country. Refer to the online platform for more details.

Teachers will facilitate the concrete experiences using concrete manipulatives or **digital manipulatives** to help students visualize the math. Teacher may use the **reports** from Practice On Your Own* to monitor students' mastery at a lesson level and kickstart Differentiated Instruction found in the **Teacher's Guides**. Differentiated resources include Additional **Practice***, **Reteach**, and **Extension**.

ENGAGEMENT

Students will explore in pairs or groups to examine a problem in the **Student Books** or eBooks Task, using concrete manipulatives or digital **manipulatives** where applicable. Next, in Learn, students will be introduced to the fundamental aspect of a concept following a Concrete-Pictorial-Abstract approach. Finally, in Learn Together, students will do questions that are carefully varied. With each question, they will gain understanding of a different aspect of the concept.

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MASTERY

Students will achieve mastery of the concepts and skills in a chapter through the **Student Books** or **eBooks** Practice On Your Own*, Performance Task, STEAM Project Work, and Chapter Practice. They may play the selected **digital games** to practice what they have learned in a fun manner.

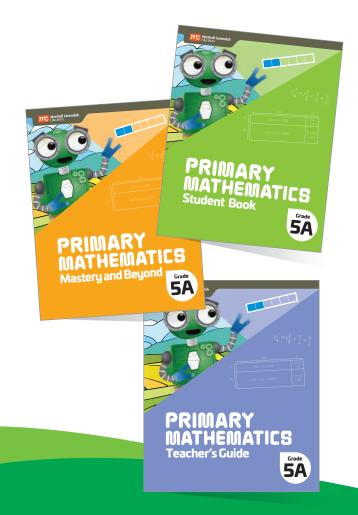
For homework, students will consolidate, deepen, and extend their learning through a variety of practices found in Additional Practice, Mastery and Beyond*, and Extension. Teachers will check and monitor students' performance through the Assessment Guide Teacher Edition or Digital Assessments and the reports.

Assessment



Components

Core Components



As a core component of **PRIMARY MATHEMATICS**, the **Student Book** aims to equip students with strong conceptual understanding, critical thinking, and problem-solving skills. Mathematical concepts are developed in a clear and sequential way to facilitate understanding.

Student Books are also available as **eBooks** for students to access during home-based learning.

The **Teacher's Guide** is designed to accompany the **Student Book**. The guide provides teachers with teaching ideas and arms them with a repertoire of strategies to facilitate exploration, classroom discussions, and student-centric learning. Provided in the **Teacher's Guide** are ideas for differentiation at appropriate junctures in a lesson, including concept development. Differentiated resources are provided to help with small group learning.

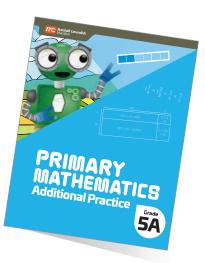
Mastery and Beyond provides consolidated homework across sections in a chapter. Practices in **Mastery and Beyond** guide students to apply essential mathematical concepts in unfamiliar contexts. This provides continued support to sustain learning and foster a strong foundation for future learning. Together, the **Student Book**, **Additional Practice**, and **Mastery and Beyond** are designed to develop fluency and flexibility in math.

Resources For Differentiated Instruction

Reteach exercises are written to help students who need additional support gain required conceptual understanding and skills. Each exercise directly correlates to a lesson in each section of a chapter. Greater scaffolding is provided for each teaching point to guide students to acquire the required knowledge. Parallel questions are provided to give students more opportunities to apply the knowledge learned. Tips to help students are provided in the **Teacher's Guide** at point-of-use.

Additional Practice supplements the **Student Book** and is targeted at providing students with on-level practice of concepts and skills learned in each chapter.

Extension exercises are written to develop creative problem-solving skills in students. Each exercise directly correlates to a lesson in each section of a chapter. The problems in each practice provide additional challenges and hone critical and creative thinking.



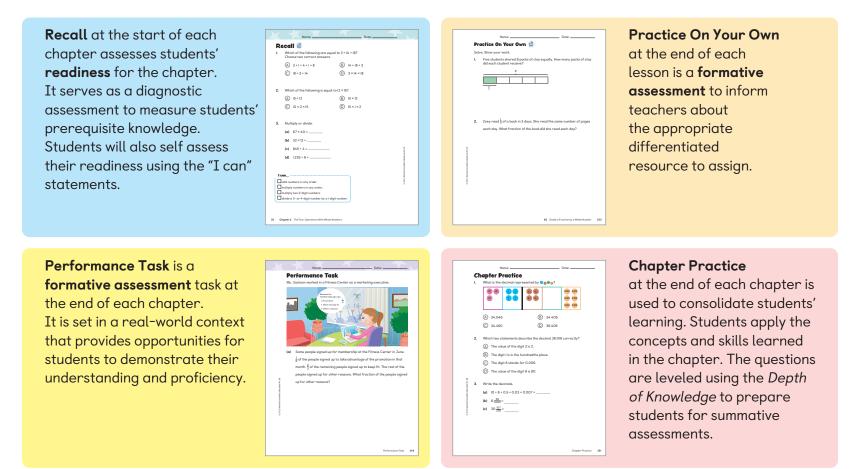
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Assessment Opportunities

Assessment is an integral part of the teaching and learning process. The assessment opportunities in **PRIMARY MATHEMATICS** offer a complete picture of students' progress.

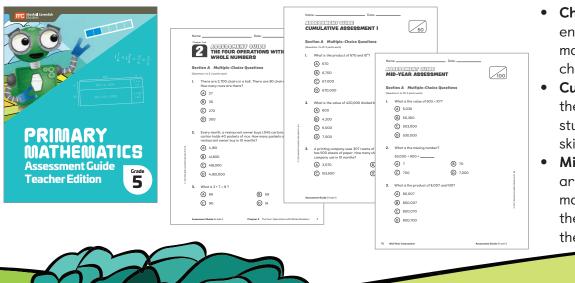
In the **Student Book**:

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While the assessments in the **Student Book** are formative in nature, assessments that are available digitally and in the corresponding **Assessment Guide Teacher Edition** are **summative**. These assessments serve as a reporting tool for teachers to assess students' learning as well as gather feedback on their teaching.

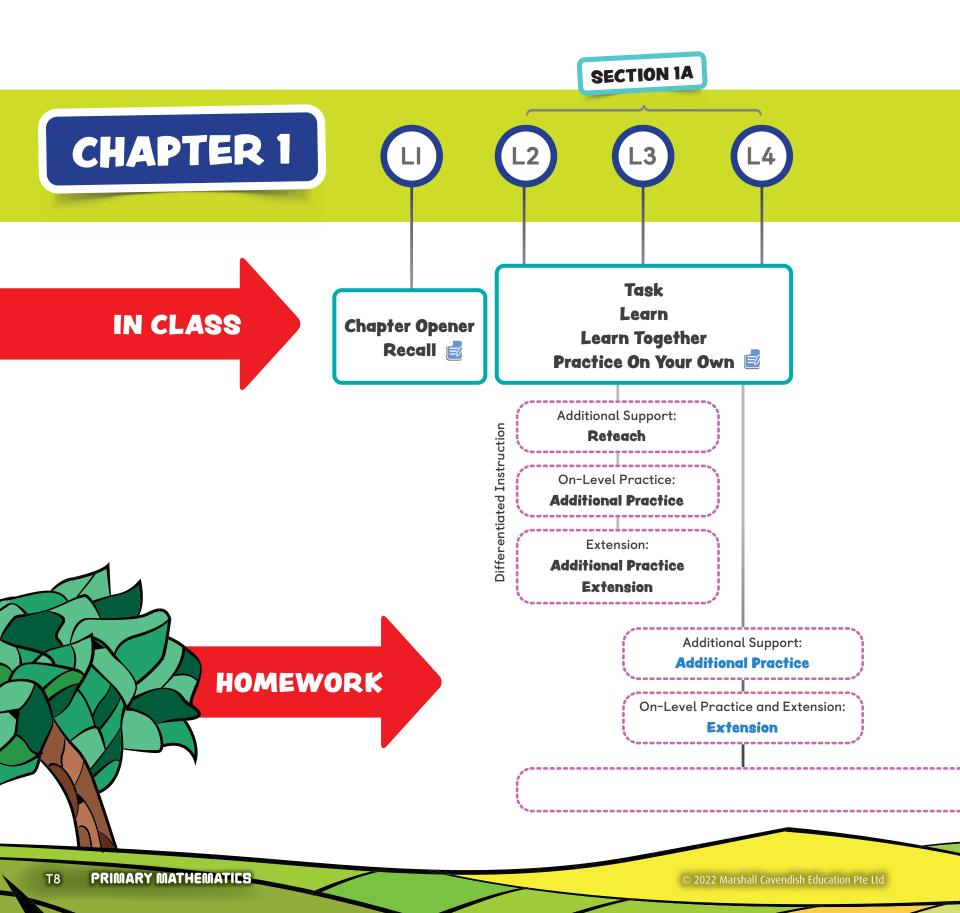
In the digital assessments and **Assessment Guide Teacher Edition**, Chapter Tests, Cumulative Assessments, Mid-Year and End-of-Year Assessments are provided to assess students' mastery of concepts and skills. Reports for these assessments are provided to give feedback on students' learning.

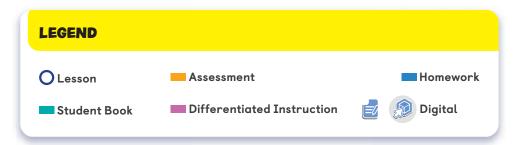


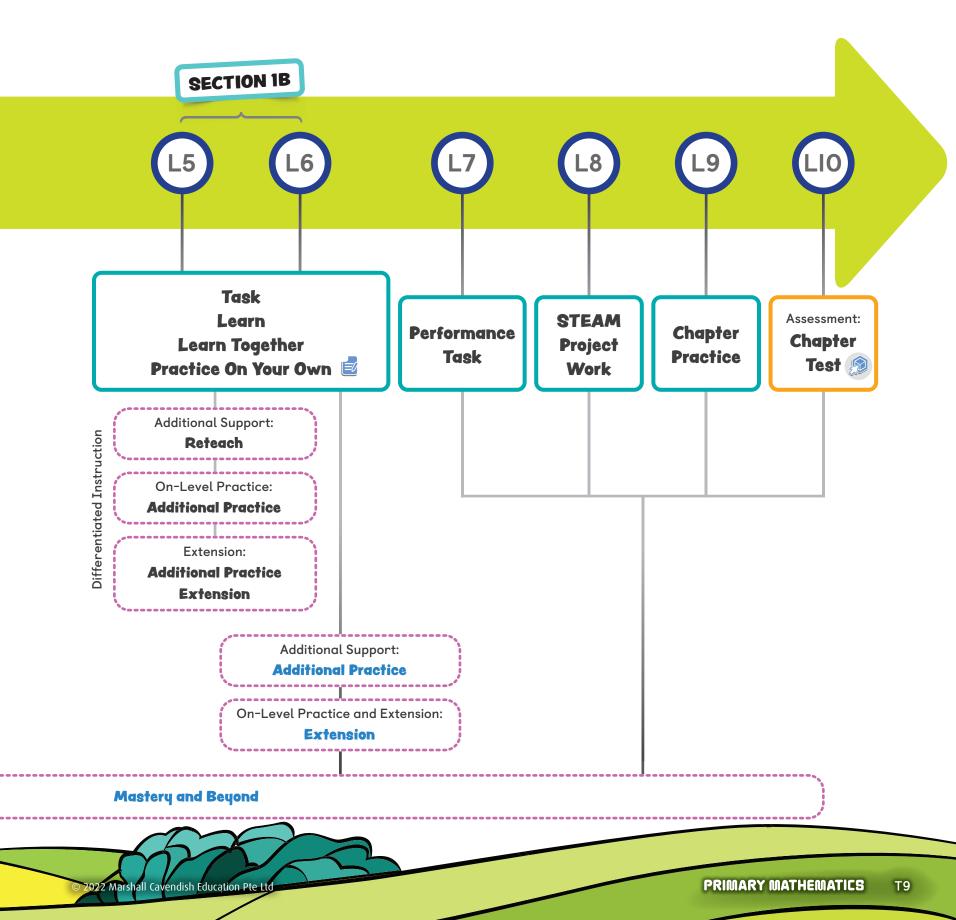
- **Chapter Test** is administered at the end of each chapter to assess students' mastery of the concepts and skills in the chapter.
- **Cumulative Assessment** occurs at the end of a few chapters to assess students' mastery of the concepts and skills across the chapters.
- **Mid-Year** and **End-of Year Assessments** are given to students to assess their mastery levels and provide feedback on their learning midway and at the end of the year.

Chapter Pathway

The instructional pathway across a chapter provides an effective learning experience for small-group and whole-class implementations. The different sections and features in each chapter help students build conceptual understanding through a range of practice and fluency-building activities as well as frequent opportunities for classroom discussions, timely differentiated instruction, and problem-solving opportunities.







Strong fundamentals based on proven Singapore Math® approach

PRIMARY MATHEMATICS is centered on the approach developed and used in Singapore since the early 1980s. This approach is still used in Singapore schools today.

What is the SINGAPORE MATH® APPROACH?

The **Singapore Math**[®] approach emphasizes developing conceptual understanding, mathematical skills and processes, metacognition, and right attitudes. At the heart of this approach is mathematical problem solving.

Enabling **Problem Solving**

This is done with a consistent problem-solving process and the use of heuristics. Students are encouraged to persevere to discover mathematical results for varied situations and contexts.

Belief, appreciation, Attitudes confidence, motivation, interest, and perseverance

Proficiency in carrying out operations and algorithms, visualizing space, handling data, and using mathematical tools

Metocognition Awareness, monitoring, and regulation of thought processes

MATHEMATICAL Processes **PROBLEM SOLVING**

Competencies in abstracting and reasoning, representing and communicating, applying and modeling

Concepts

Understanding of the properties and relationships, operations and algorithms

Referred from Singapore Ministry of Education Math Curriculum

All data is taken directly from TIMSS reports, 2019 and PISA reports, 2018.

TIMSS 2019* Grade 4		PISA Mathema
Singapore	625	Scale 2018**
United States	535	Singapore
TIMSS Scale	500	OECD average
Centerpoint	500	United States

*https://timss2019.org/reports/ achievement/

**https://www.oecd.org/pisa/ Combined_Executive_Summaries_ PISA_2018.pdf

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SINGAPORE STUDENTS CONSISTENTLY **RANK TOP IN INTERNATIONAL** BENCHMARK ASSESSMENTS

Singapore's consistently outstanding achievements in international Mathematical benchmark assessments such as **TIMSS** and **PISA** are well-documented.

Because of its proven effectiveness, the Singapore Math[®] approach has been adapted successfully in over 50 countries.

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Key characteristics of the SINGAPORE MATH® APPROACH



CONCRETE- PICTORIAL- ABSTRACT	Students engage with mathematical concepts by first handling physical objects , then representing mathematical ideas using diagrams , and finally using abstract representations . Through the use of concrete materials and visual representations, students are able to "see" and make sense of the math and the abstract representations.
VISUAL MODELS	Visual models such as number bonds, bar models, and fraction models are hallmarks of the Singapore Math® approach. These models help students visualize and understand abstract mathematical concepts.
PROBLEM SOLVING	Heuristics are introduced at each grade level to equip students with strategies to solve increasingly complex problems. Students apply these heuristics to solve real-world problems through a consistent problem-solving process .
MATHEMATICAL & PERCEPTUAL VARIATIONS	Mathematical variation presents opportunities for students to experience the same mathematical concept through various applications. Perceptual variation showcases a mathematical concept using different representations. Variation deepens understanding as students apply mathematical concepts in different ways.
LEARNING PROGRESSION	Math is learned incrementally , with one concept building on the next. More depth is added, linking new concepts to the learning that has already taken place. Learning math this way leads to deeper conceptual understanding .
DIFFERENTIATION & ASSESSMENT	Students' learning is supported through differentiated activities and practices . Students receive timely feedback on their learning through formative and summative assessments .

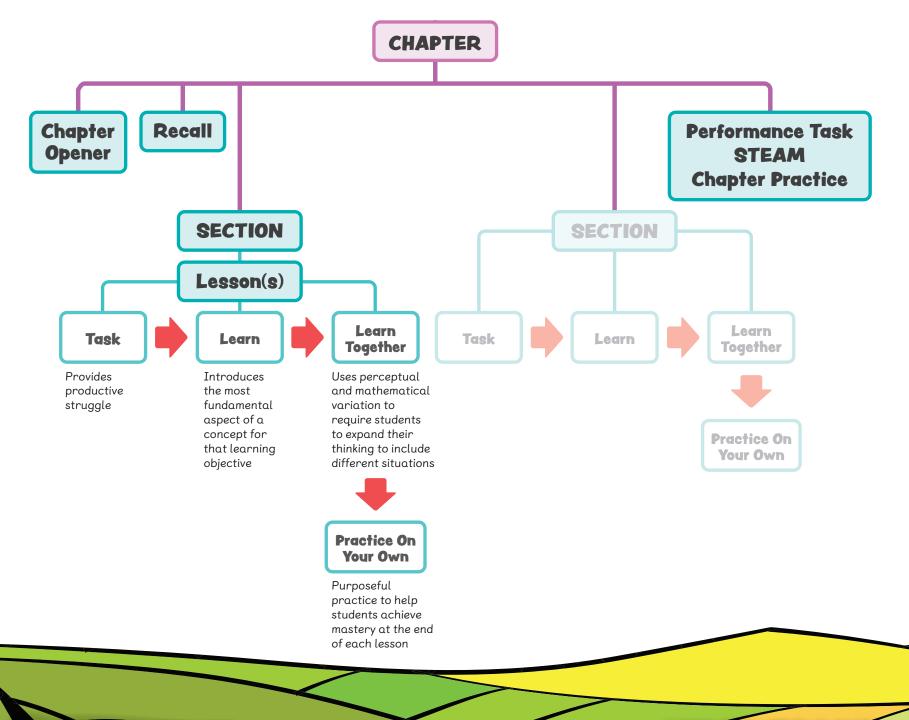
Rich learning delivered effectively and simply

Progression to **MASTERY**

In every lesson, mathematical concepts are presented from the simplest and most basic aspect to the most complex aspect for that grade. This is done to build a strong foundation that ensures successful progression to mastery.

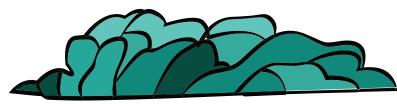
With simple language and captivating visuals that support learning, all students can achieve mastery.

Students construct knowledge and build skills through a deliberate set of tasks/questions. Each is carefully designed to expose students to a different aspect of a concept. This process of learning helps students make new connections and progress to the next level of understanding.



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CULTIVATING Mathematical Practices

The successful learning of mathematics involves applying the following mathematical practices. These mathematical practices are built into the activities, explorations, practices, and discussions.

- MP.I PERSEVERE
- MP.2 REASON
- MP.3 CONSTRUCT VIABLE ARGUMENTS
- MP.4 MODEL
- MP.5 USE TOOLS
- MP.6 USE MATH LANGUAGE
- MP.7 USE STRUCTURE

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MP.8 LOOK FOR PATTERNS

CONSOLIDATING Through "STEAM" Project Work

The ability to synthesize and apply knowledge across disciplines develops important, transferable skills, and engages students' varied interests. Project work combines Science, Technology, Engineering, and the Arts with Mathematics in realistic and relatable contexts. This gives students opportunities to collaborate, and to think creatively and critically.

Structured for effective instruction

PRIMARY MATHEMATICS is based on the Readiness-Engagement-Mastery instructional design.

Phases of LEARNING

Readiness–Engagement–Mastery is the instructional model advocated for in the Singapore mathematics curriculum.



READINESS

In this phase, teachers engage students, capturing their attention through interesting and relatable scenarios. Teachers ascertain readiness to learn by helping students make connections to previously-learned concepts and skills.

ENGAGEMENT

Students learn by doing, and are challenged to construct new knowledge through engaging activities and guided inquiry.

MASTERY

Students gain fluency and confidence through leveled practice. They gain mastery through review and reflection in oral and written forms. They also tackle problems in unique and effective ways.



For the "**Readiness**" phase of learning, students engage in learning through:

• Student Book

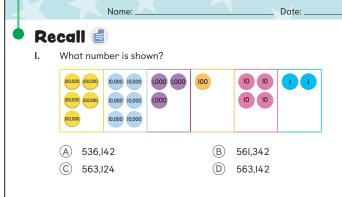
- Transition Guide
- Chapter Opener
- Recall

CHAPTER OPENER stimulates curiosity and interest through a context that connects Math to real life, taps into prior knowledge, and encourages discussion.

DECIMALS

How do you compare the lap times?

RECALL assesses students' readiness for the chapter so that teachers can allocate appropriate resources during lessons. This is also available online in auto-graded format, with data-driven reports that illustrate students performance levels.



- **2.** Write the numbers in standard form.
 - (a) three hundred fifty-one thousand, two hundred nineteen
 - (b) six hundred twenty-three thousand, eighty-five
- **3.** Write the numbers in word form.
 - **(a)** 708,402
 - **(b)** 890,006

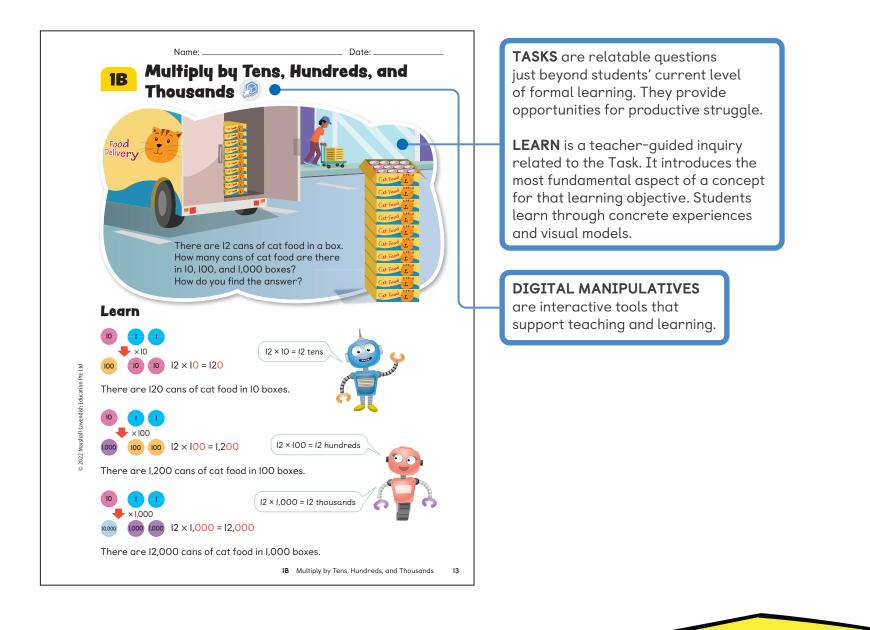
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TRANSITION GUIDE is a detailed guide for teachers to transition students into the Singapore math[®] program. The guide provides teachers with essential background information on important concepts and highlights potential challenges that students might face. It also helps teachers understand the strategies and methodology used in Singapore math[®].



For the **"Engagement**" phase of learning, students engage in learning through:

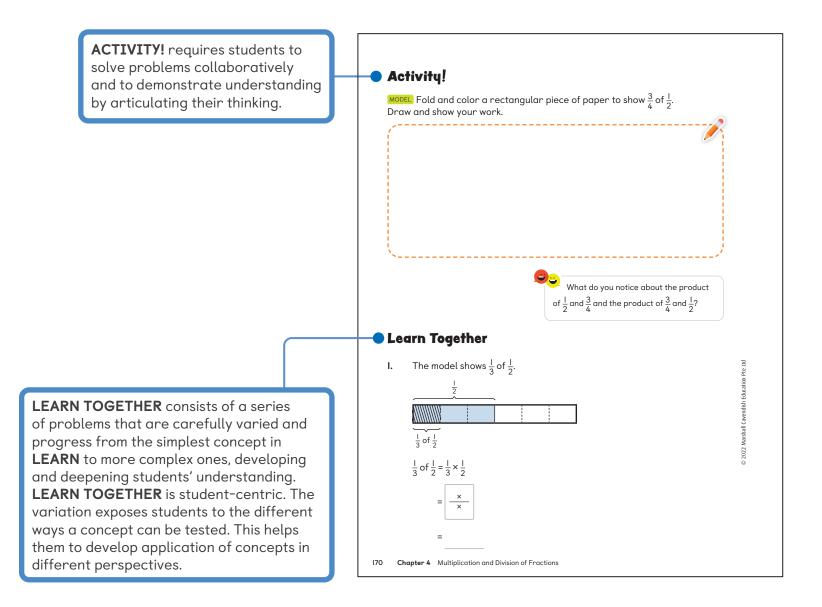
- Student Book
 - Task
 - Learn
 - Learn Together
 - Activity!

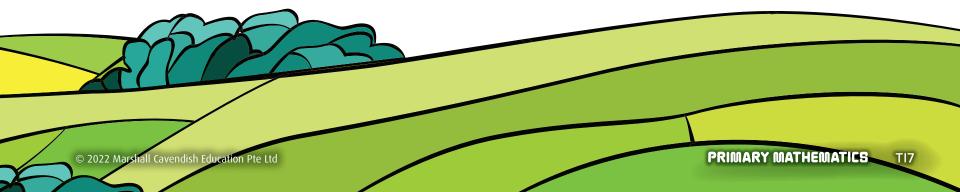


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For the "**Mastery**" phase of learning, students gain mastery through these resources:

- Student Book
 - Practice On Your Own
 - Think!
 - Chapter Practice
 - Performance Task
 - STEAM Project Work
 - Heuristics

- Reteach
- **Additional Practice**
- Extension
- Mastery and Beyond

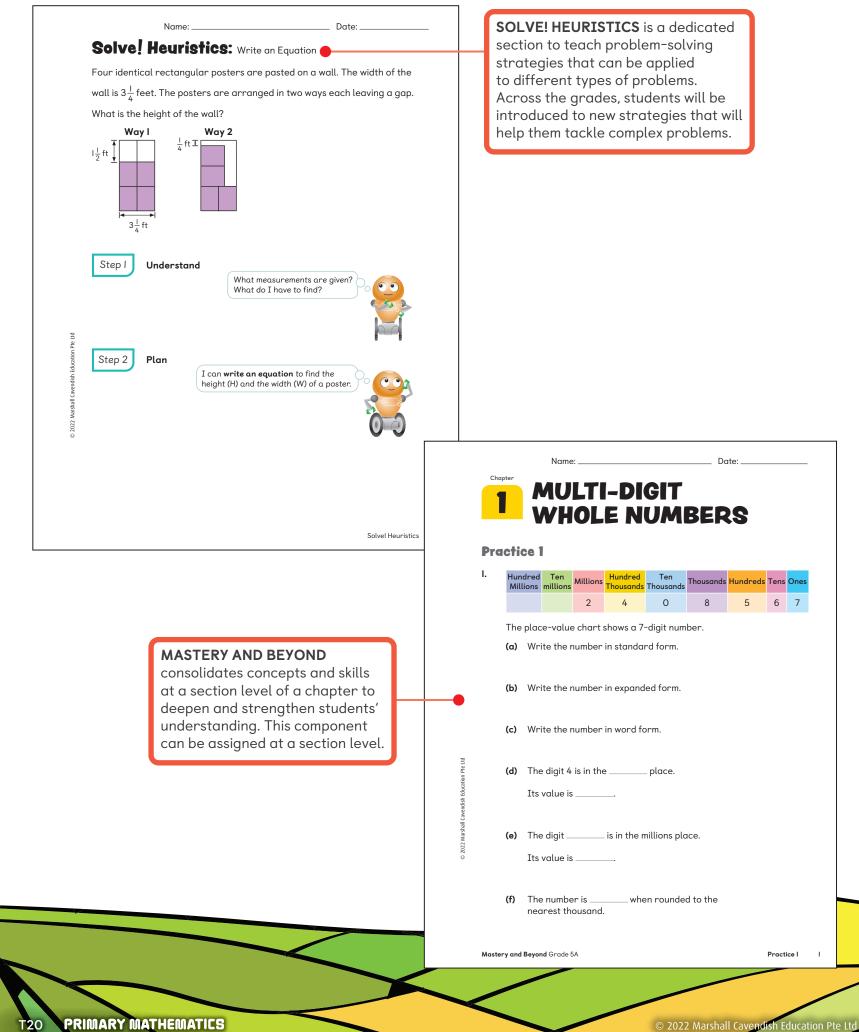
PRACTICE ON YOUR OWN is an independent practice at the end of a lesson. It serves as 🕨 Practice On Your Own 🛃 a formative assessment, informing teachers I. Multiply. Express your answers in simplest form. which differentiated resources they should (a) $|\frac{1}{5} \times |\frac{1}{2}|$ assign to their students. This is also available online in auto-graded format, with datadriven reports that illustrate students' I performance levels. THINK! leads students to reflect on mathematical concepts and challenges them to use different strategies to solve a novel problem. $I\frac{5}{6}$ yd **(b)** $|\frac{5}{6} \times |\frac{1}{3}|$ $\left|\frac{1}{3}\right|$ yd Think! 4. REASON Brooke, Isaac, and Hannah compared the heights of the rose plants they grew for a Science experiment. Brooke's rose plant was 6 inches tall. Isaac's rose plant was $\frac{5}{6}$ the height of Brooke's rose plant. Hannah's rose plant was $\frac{4}{3}$ the height of Brooke's rose plant. Without multiplying, identify which rose plant belongs to which student. Explain your thinking. Chapter 4 Multiplication and Division of Fractions 186 Pot X: Pot Y: Pot Z: _

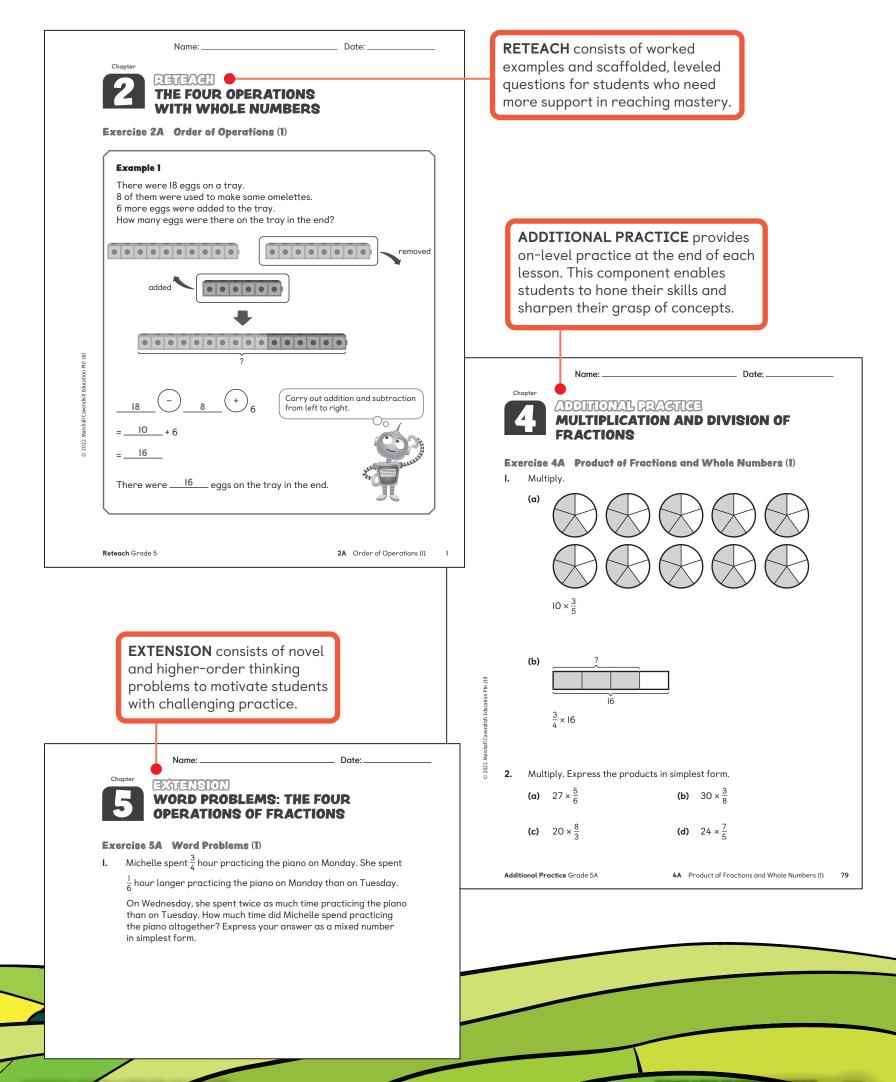
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PERFORMANCE TASKS are formative assessment tasks, set in real-world contexts, with accompanying STEAM PROJECT WORK is an rubrics. The questions require application of interdisciplinary task that spans multiple concepts and skills learned or they may be chapters and shows the relevance and open-ended but with limited possible answers. importance of mathematics. It promotes critical and creative thinking. Name: Date: **Performance Task** Camila is planning a trip to Sweden, Sri Lanka, and Columbia. She exchanges some foreign currencies using the exchange rates shown. C **Project Work** ŚTĖÁM Exchange I U.S. Dollar (USD) fo Sweden Krona SEK 10 **Perfect Slime Recipe** Do you know that slime is neither liquid nor solid? What makes Sri Lankan Rupee LKR 200 slime sticky and stretchy so that you can pull and play with it? One of the ingredients used in making slime is glue. What other Columbian Peso COP 3,000 ingredients do you think you would need to make slime? How much of each currency will Camila receive if she exchanges I. Task 390 USD each time? Show your work. I. Use the internet to learn about the science behind making slime and find some homemade slime recipes. 2. Create your own slime recipe using fractions and mixed numbers. Make the slime using your recipe. You may need to experiment 3. with the amount of ingredients and/or the type of ingredients to perfect your recipe. 4. Write the instructions by including addition, subtraction, multiplication, 2. DDEL Camila bought some souvenirs when she was in and division of fractions and mixed numbers. Sri Lanka. She spent a total of 36 USD on four souvenirs 5. Compare your slime with your classmates. How does the slime flow differently? Share your recipe 6. with your classmates and have them convert the fractions and mixed numbers to decimals Using a table, make a list of the four souvenirs that Name Date have bought. **Chapter Practice** Fill in the blank. 6,000,000 + 50,000 + 300 + 4 = (A) 6,050,304 B 6,050,340 C 6,053,004 (D) 6,534,000 CHAPTER PRACTICE The value of the digit 4 in the number 5,243,876 is 10 times the value of 2. the digit 4 in which of the following number? consolidates (B) 6,428,697 (A) 5,295,142 concepts and skills across a chapter (D) 8,982,431 C 7,3I4,950 through leveled and Write 3.845.712 in word form. 3. independent practice. This is also available online in auto-graded format, with data-Fill in the blanks. driven reports that illustrate students' $\times 1000 = 3079000$ (a) performance levels. (b) 248 × 10² = ____ (c) 5,204 × _____ ____ = 5,204,000 (d) 20 × 9,000 = 18 × Chapter Practice 33

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About this Teacher's Guide

Quality resources, ideas, and strategies make your planning seamless and your lessons coherent.

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Across-Grades Progression

Looking Back	Looking Here	Looking Ahead
Grade 4 Chapter 1 Section 1A Numbers to 1,000,000 • Place Value Section 1B Compare and Order Numbers • Compare and Order Numbers Within 1,000,000 • Number and Shape Patterns Grade 4 Chapter 3 Section 3D Multiply by Tens, Hundreds, and Thousands • Multiply a number by multiples of 10, 100, and 1,000	Grade 5 Chapter 1 Section IA Numbers to 10 Million • Numbers to 10 Million and Place Value Section IB Multiply by Tens, Hundreds, and Thousands • Multiply by Tens, Hundreds, and Thousands • Multiply by Powers of 10 Section IC Divide by Tens, Hundreds, and Thousands	 Grade 6 Exponential Notation and Prime Factorization Express a composite number as a product of its prime factors. Find the common factor of two whole numbers. Find the common multiples and the least common multiple of two whole numbers. Write and evaluate numerical expressions involving whole number exponents.

Across-Chapters STEAM Project Work

Chapter I Multi-Digit Whole Numbers

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This project spans **Chapters I** and **2**. Students are given an opportunity to make connections between science and mathematics as they learn the science behind myopia or amblyopia, the reasons for the rise in these conditions, how myopia or amblyopia offset children, and what can be done to prevent myopia or amblyopia. This task requires students to apply their knowledge of numbers to 10 million to find the estimated population with myopia or amblyopia on how many children are myopia or have amblyopia. In Chapter I, students will work in small groups to choose one of the topics to research, then design a brochure to share amblyopia. In Chapter I, students will think of a slogn for the brochure and make a "Secret Mesage Puzzle". To help their classmets solve the secret mesage, they will provide clues that will require them to solve questions involving multiplication and division of 3-digit by 2-digit numbers. **ACROSS-GRADES PROGRESSION** shows a longitudinal progression providing an overview of prior knowledge in Looking Back, current grade learning objectives in Looking Here, and future learning in Looking Ahead.

ACROSS-CHAPTERS STEAM PROJECT WORK

provides a brief background of the project work and how it relates to Math and other disciplines. The write-up also explains how the skills involved are related to the chapters the project work spans, and breaks down the tasks to be distributed over the chapters.

CHAPTER OVERVIEW provides

embedded professional development by providing insights into the Key ideas of the chapter. Concrete-Pictorial-Abstract Progression provides an overview of the concrete materials used, pictorial and abstract representations students will encounter in the chapter.

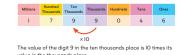
Key Ideas 4. Sulti-digit numbers of up to 10 million can be expressed in standard, expanded, and word forms. 5. Sundard forms 3.5.647 Expanded forms 3.50.000 + 300.000 + 50.000 +

Chapter Overview

In this chapter, students' knowledge from Grade 4 of numbers to 1,000,000 is extended to understanding numbers to 10 million Students will also learn to multiply and divide by tens, hundreds, thousands, and powers of 10.

Standard form: 8,355,647 Expanded form: 8,300,000 + 300,000 + 50,000 + 5,000 + 600 - 40 + 7 Word form: eight million, three hundred fifty-five thousand, six hundred forty-seven

- The value of each place is 10 times the value of the place to its right and $\frac{l}{10}$ the value of the place to its left.



value in the thousands place.
Strategies based on place value can be generalized to multiply and divide numbers by tens, hundreds, thousands, and powers of IO.



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Concrete-Pictorial-Abstract Progression

Throughout the chapter, students will have multiple experiences working with concrete materials such as place-value chips and place-value strips. The use of concrete materials provides hands-on opportunities for students to build and extend their understanding of numbers to IO million.

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Place-value strips

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Place-value chips

Pictorial representations are also used to help students visualize numbers to IO million in various ways.



 Headers
 These place-value chips show the value of each digit in a 7-digit number.

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 These places
 Headerst These places
 Headerst These places
 Mean places
 Mean places
 Test places
 Ones

 3
 4
 5
 8
 8
 1
 9

This place-value chart shows the digit in each place.



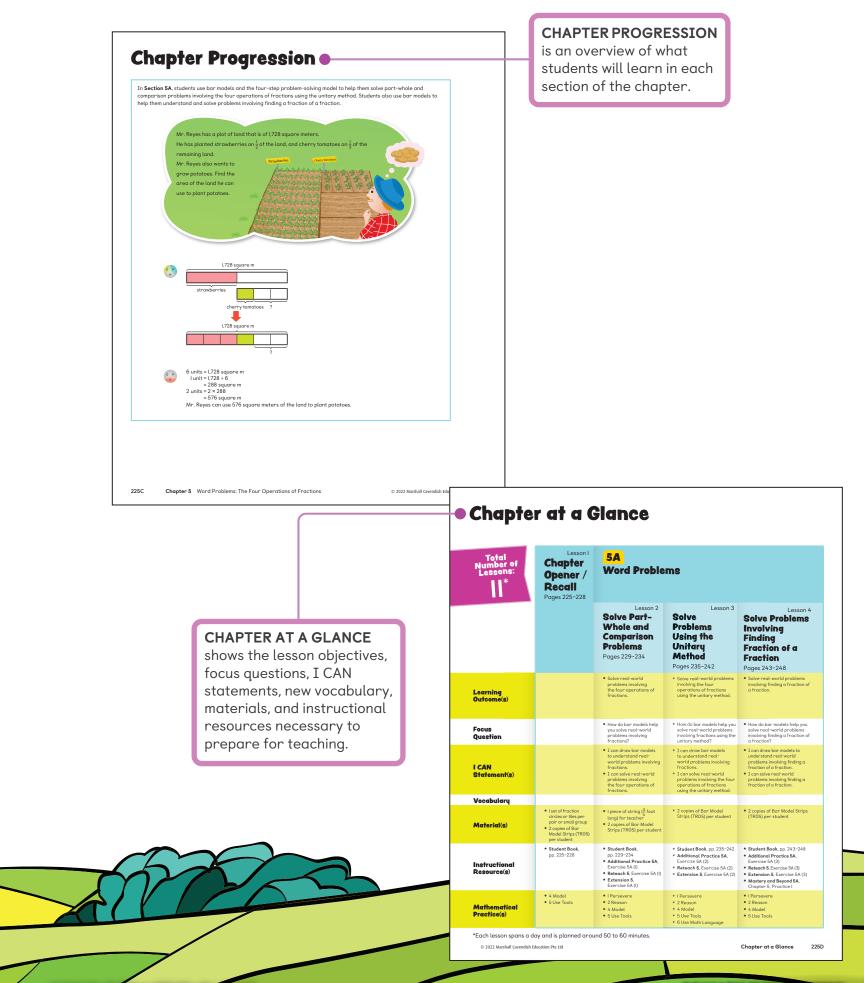
After students have built their understanding through concrete and pictorial representations, they will move to the abstract stage where they apply the understanding of place-value concepts to generalize patterns in multiplying and dividing by tens, hundreds, thousands, and powers of ten.

Chapter I Multi-Digit Whole Numbers



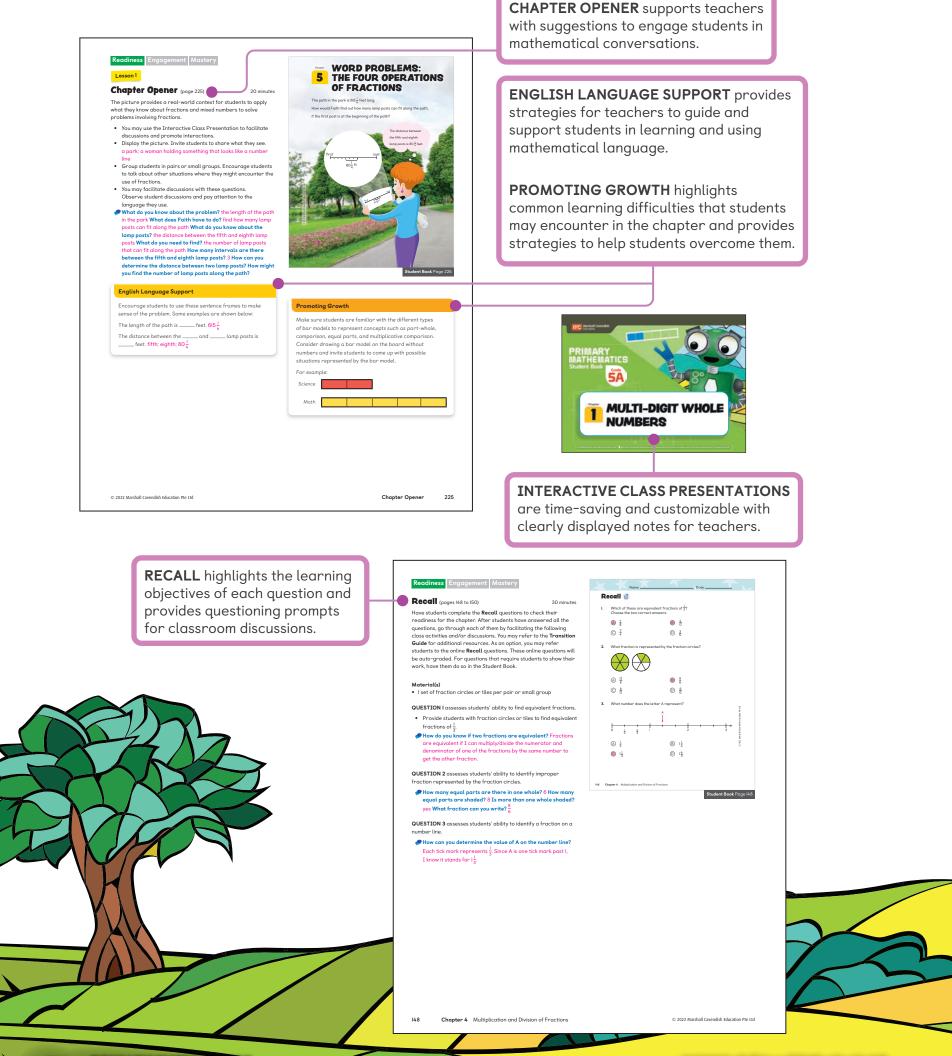
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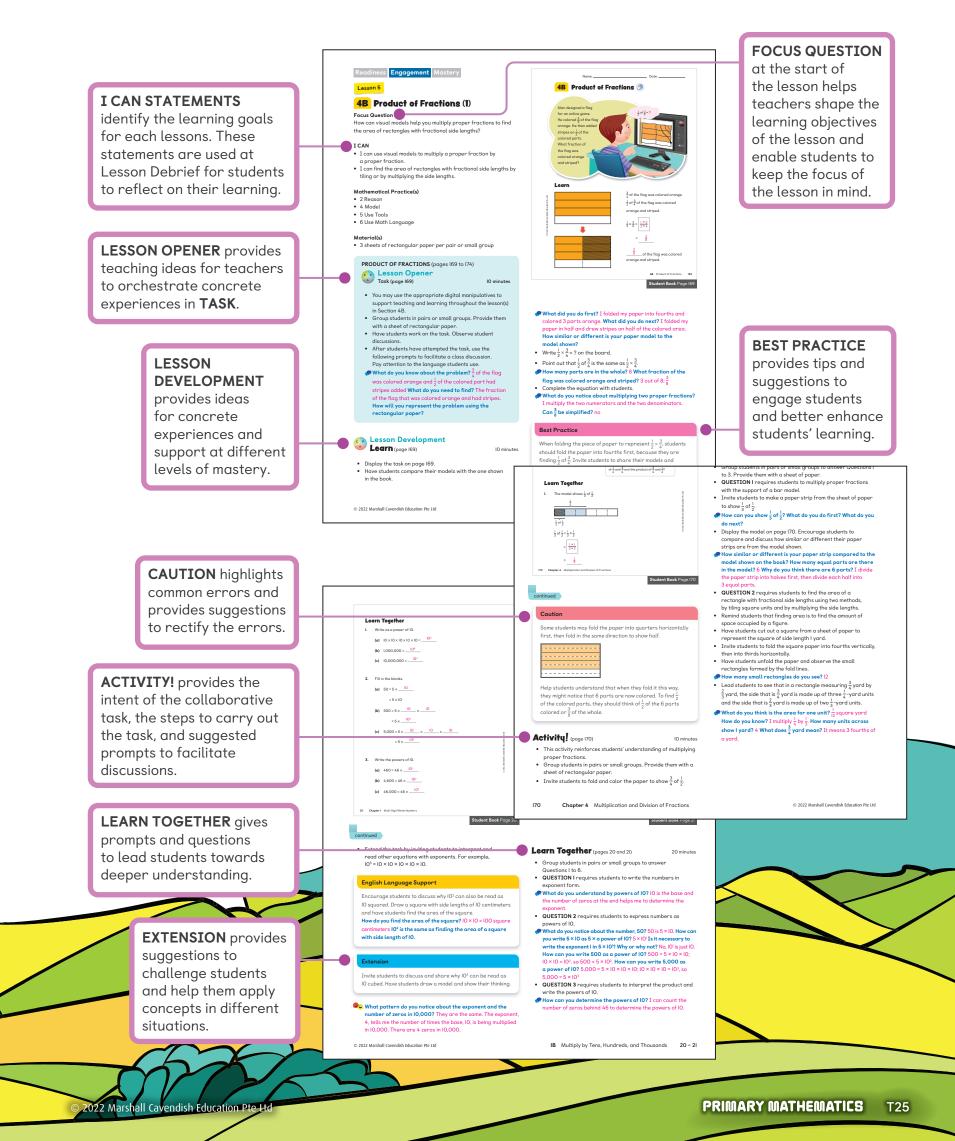


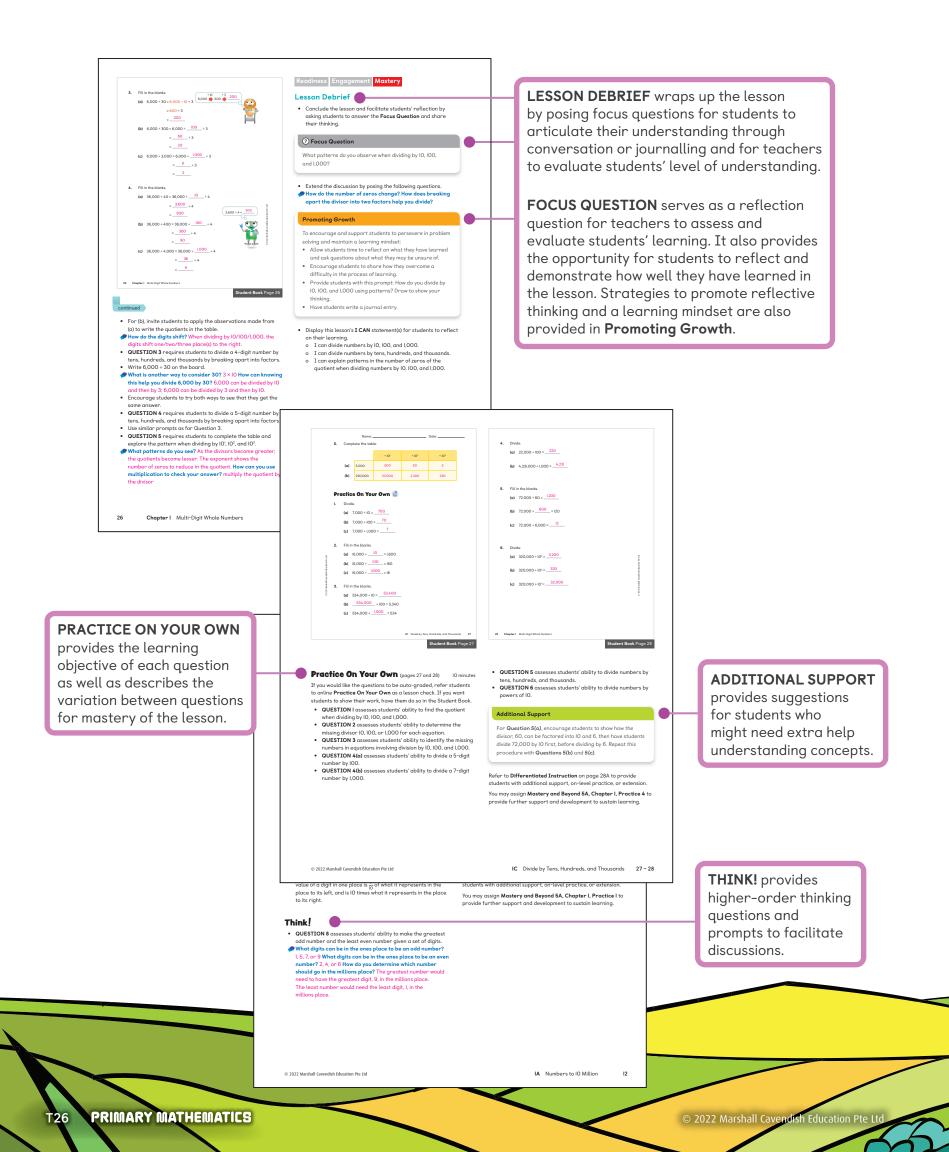
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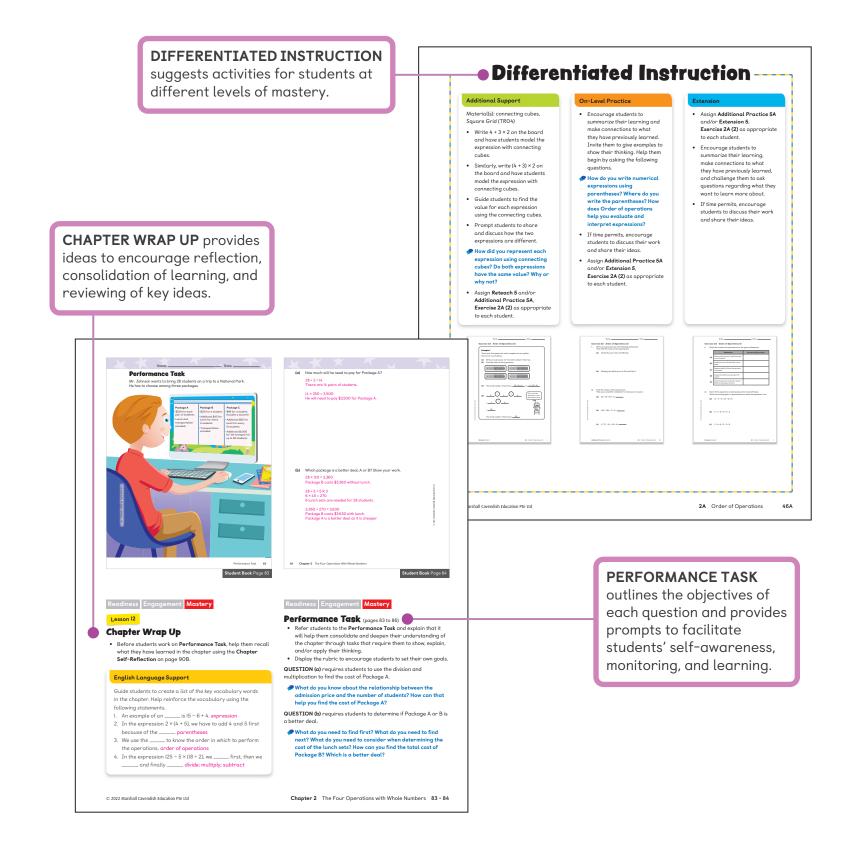
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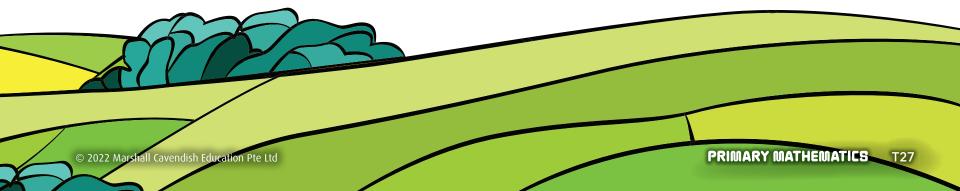


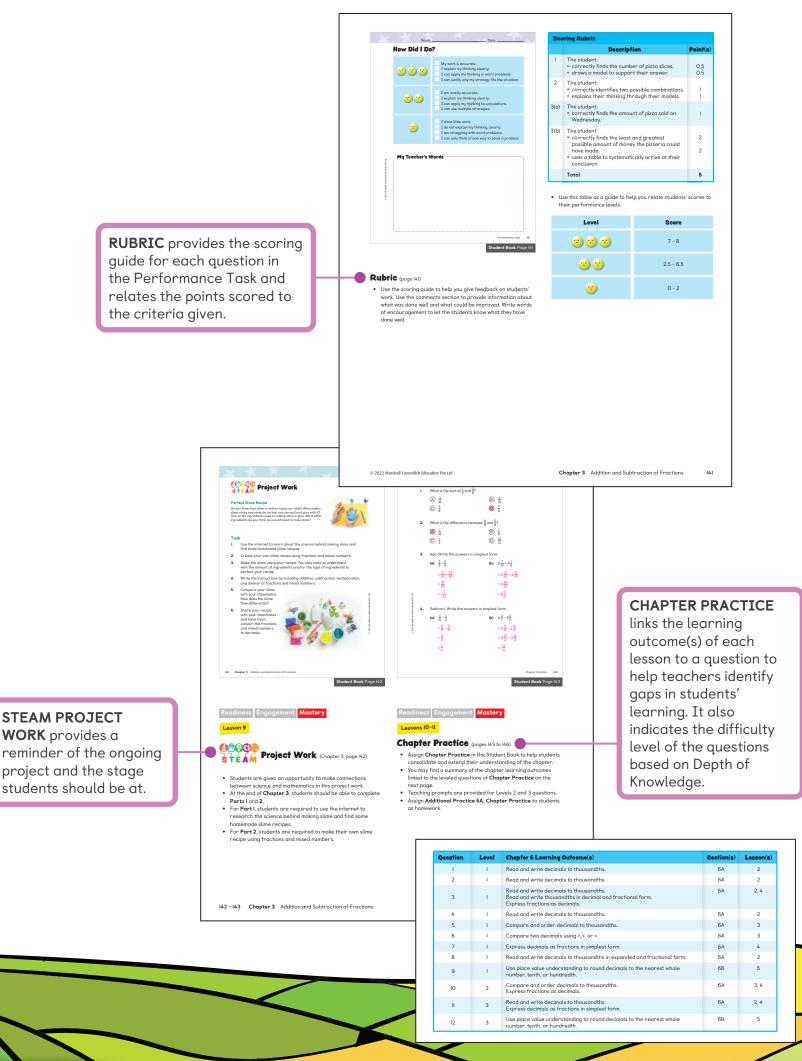
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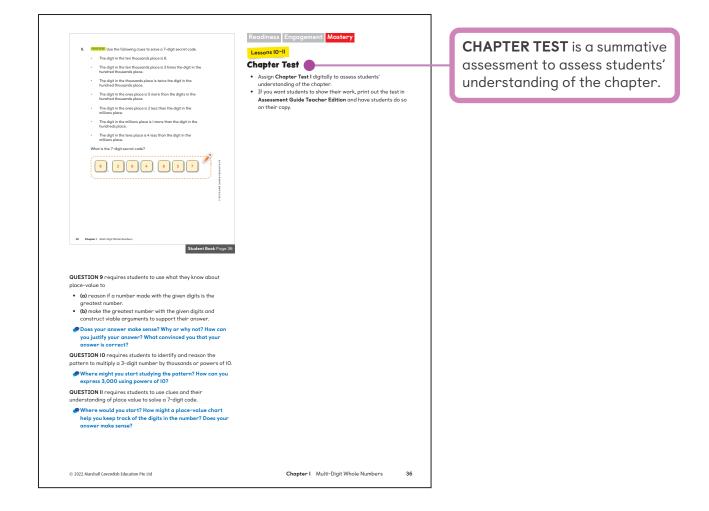








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CHAPTER SELF-REFLECTION

provides students the opportunity to reflect on their learning.

Chapter Self-Reflection Check (🗸) to show what I can do. ooooo Yes 22 I Can Not Sure No read and write numbers to 10 million. state the value of each diait in multi-diait numbers. recognize that the value of a digit in one place is 10 times what it represents in the place to its right. recognize that the value of a digit in one place is $\frac{1}{10}$ of what it represents in the place to its left. multiply numbers by 10, 100, and 1,000. multiply numbers by tens, hundreds, and thousands explain patterns in the number of zeros of the product when multiplying numbers by 10, 100, and 1,000. use whole number exponents to write powers of IO. multiply numbers by powers of IO. explain patterns in the number of zeros of the product when multiplying a number by powers of 10. $\,$ divide numbers by 10, 100, and 1,000. divide numbers by tens, hundreds, and thousands. explain patterns in the number of zeros of the quotient when dividing numbers by 10, 100, and 1,000. MY JOURNAL I can show... l still wonder...



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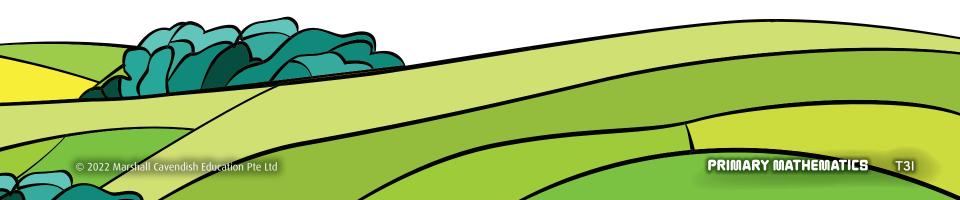
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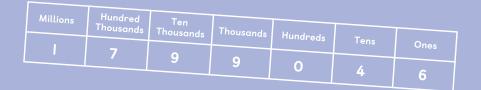
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