

Mr Brain Printable Puzzles

Teacher Resource #1

A small collection of printable puzzles designed for classroom use, early finishers, brain breaks, or quiet independent work. This resource includes a mix of visual, number, and logic puzzles with simple instructions and a range of difficulty.

What's Inside:

- 1. Word Search** - Find and cross out all the hidden words. Words may go across, down, diagonally, or backwards. Then read the remaining letters from left to right, top to bottom, to discover the secret message.
- 2. Missing Operations** - Fill in the missing math symbols to make each equation correct. Use only + and -
- 3. 6×6 Sudoku** - Fill the grid with the numbers 1 to 6. Each number can appear only once in every row, column, and outlined box.
- 4. Find the Differences** - Compare the two pictures and find all the things that are different.

Suggested use: Individual work, early finisher activity, brain break, homework, or small-group practice.

Designed for elementary-age puzzle solvers. Teachers can choose activities based on their students' experience and ability.

Difficulty may vary between individual puzzles.

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1. Word Search

Find and cross out all the hidden words. Words may go across, down, diagonally, or backwards. Then read the remaining letters from left to right, top to bottom, to discover the secret message.

12	S	F	M	A	R	C	H	M	J
R	E	A	E	O	N	T	H	E	A
E	P	P	S	B	J	O	F	N	N
B	T	R	T	H	R	U	E	U	U
M	E	I	M	A	Y	U	L	J	A
E	M	L	Y	E	A	R	A	Y	R
V	B	A	U	G	U	S	T	R	Y
O	E	O	C	T	O	B	E	R	Y
N	R	R	E	B	M	E	C	E	D

January

February

March

April

May

June

July

August

September

October

November

December

2. Missing Operations

Fill in the missing math symbols to make each equation correct. Use only + and -

30

9

12

=

27

9

3

6

=

6

7

12

14

=

5

=

=

=

14

24

20

3. 6x6 Sudoku

Fill the grid with the numbers 1 to 6. Each number can appear only once in every row, column, and outlined box.

3		2	5		6
6					3
	2	3	6	5	
	6	4	3	1	
2					5
1		5	2		4

4. Find the Differences

Compare the two pictures and find 6 things that are different.



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Solutions

1. Word Search

12	S	F	M	A	R	C	H	M	J
R	E	A	E	O	N	T	H	E	A
E	P	P	S	B	J	O	F	N	N
B	T	R	T	H	R	U	E	U	U
M	E	I	M	A	Y	U	L	J	A
E	M	L	Y	E	A	R	A	Y	R
V	B	A	U	G	U	S	T	R	Y
O	E	O	C	T	O	B	E	R	Y
N	R	R	E	B	M	E	C	E	D

2. Missing Operations

$$\begin{array}{rclclcl}
 30 & + & 9 & - & 12 & = & 27 \\
 - & & + & & - & & \\
 9 & + & 3 & - & 6 & = & 6 \\
 - & & + & & + & & \\
 7 & + & 12 & - & 14 & = & 5 \\
 = & & = & & = & & \\
 14 & & 24 & & 20 & &
 \end{array}$$

3. 6×6 Sudoku

3	1	2	5	4	6
6	5	1	4	2	3
4	2	3	6	5	1
5	6	4	3	1	2
2	4	6	1	3	5
1	3	5	2	6	4

4. Find the Differences



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