

Math Learning Center: High Flyin' Math Facts

Make 8 copies of the kites and bows. Write an "answer" to a math problem on each kite. Write various combinations of math problems (that match up with each answer) on the bows. (See examples below) There should be 3 combinations of math problems that match up with each individual kite. Attach a piece of yarn to the end of each kite.

This game has two players. Have students divide the "kites" into 2 piles. Each player takes a pile and lays the kites in front of him. Taking turns, each student pulls out a "bow" that has a math problem written on it. If the answer to the problem matches the student's kite, he keeps it and puts it on the yarn. If it doesn't match, then the student places it back in the container. The first player to complete all of his kites wins.

Finish by having the students fill out the matching worksheet to be handed into the teacher. Students simply fill out the kites on the worksheet as it looks in front of them.

The problems can be adapted to student level.

Examples of answers on a kite, with its possible matching answers on the bows:

Answer:18

Possible Matching Problems: 9×2 , $15 + 3$, 6×3

Answer:6

Possible Matching Problems: $6 + 0$, $4 + 2$, $8 - 2$

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2. Lay kites down on table in front of you.
3. Take turns pulling out a "bow". If the answer to the problem matches your kite, keep it. Lay it down on the string of the matching kite.

If it does not match, put back into pile.

Note: There are 3 bows that will match with each kite.

4. The first player to complete all of his kites, wins!
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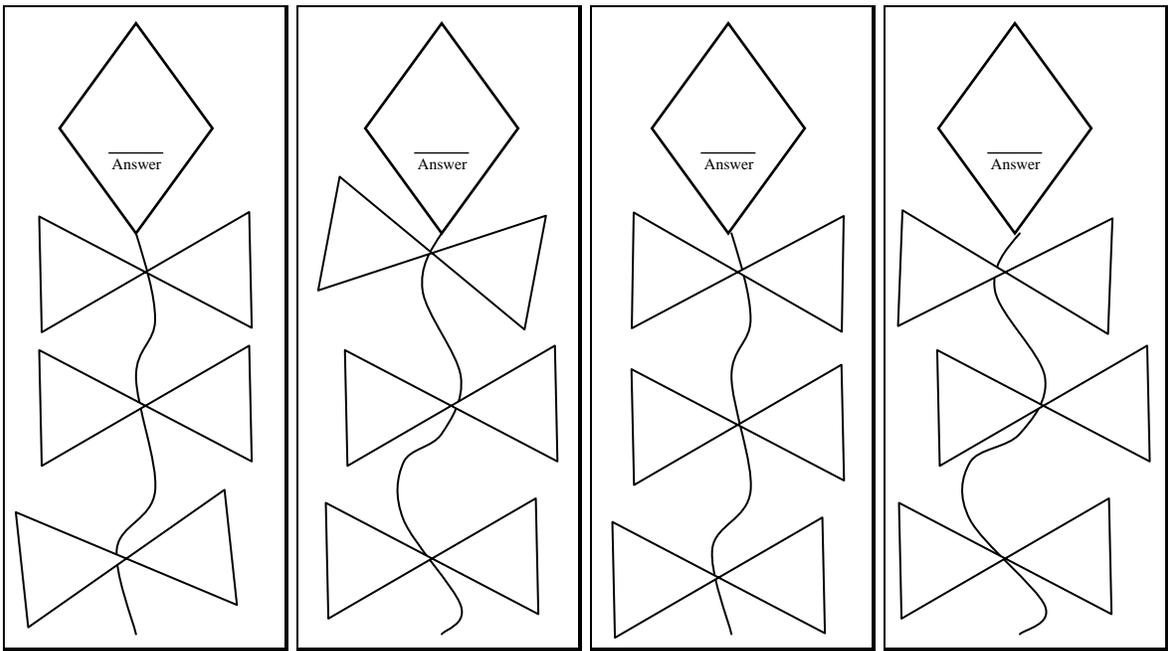
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