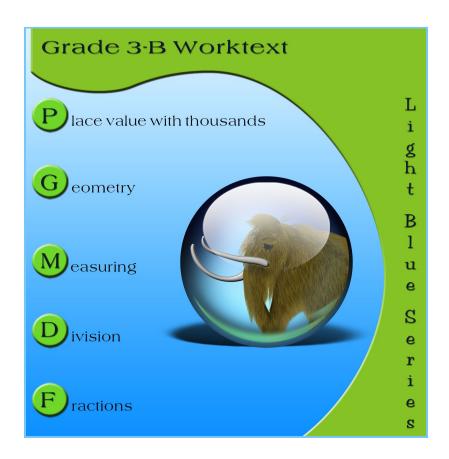
Math Mammoth Grade 3-B Worktext



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Foreword

Math Mammoth Grade 3 comprises a complete math curriculum for the third grade mathematics studies. The curriculum meets and exceeds the Common Core standards.

The main areas of study in Math Mammoth Grade 3 are:

- 1. Students develop an understanding of multiplication and division of whole numbers through problems involving equal-sized groups, arrays, and area models. They learn the relationship between multiplication and division, and solve many word problems involving multiplication and division (chapters 2, 3, and 9).
- 2. Students develop an understanding of fractions, beginning with unit fractions. They compare fractions by using visual models and strategies based on noticing equal numerators or denominators (chapter 10).
- 3. Students learn the concepts of area and perimeter. They relate area to multiplication and to addition, recognize perimeter as a linear measure (in contrast with area), and solve problems involving area and perimeter (chapter 7).
- 4. Students fluently add and subtract within 1,000, both mentally and in columns. They also learn to add and subtract 4-digit numbers, and use addition and subtraction in problem solving in many contexts, such as with money, time, and geometry.

Additional topics we study are time, money, measuring, and bar graphs and picture graphs.

This book, 3-B, covers place value and 4-digit numbers (chapter 6), geometry (chapter 7), measuring (chapter 8), division (chapter 9), and fractions (chapter 10). The rest of the topics are covered in the 3-A student worktext.

Some important points to keep in mind when using the curriculum:

- The two books (parts A and B) are like a "framework", but you still have a lot of liberty in planning your child's studies. While addition and subtraction topics are best studied in the order they are presented, feel free to go through the sections on shapes, measurement, clock, and money in any order you like.
 - This is especially advisable if your child is either "stuck" or is perhaps getting bored with some particular topic. Sometimes the concept the child was stuck on can become clear after a break from the topic.
- Math Mammoth is mastery-based, which means it concentrates on a few major topics at a time, in order to study them in depth. However, you can still use it in a *spiral* manner, if you prefer. Simply have your child study in 2-3 chapters simultaneously. This type of flexible use of the curriculum enables you to truly individualize the instruction for your child.
- Don't automatically assign all the exercises. Use your judgment, trying to assign just enough for your child's needs. You can use the skipped exercises later for review. For most children, I recommend to start out by assigning about half of the available exercises. Adjust as necessary.
- For review, the curriculum includes a worksheet maker (Internet access required), mixed review lessons, additional cumulative review lessons, and the word problems continually require usage of past concepts. Please see more information about review (and other topics) in the FAQ at https://www.mathmammoth.com/faq-lightblue.php

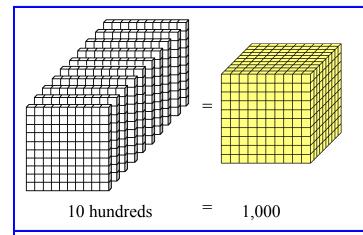
I heartily recommend that you view the full user guide for your grade level, available at https://www.mathmammoth.com/userguides/

And lastly, you can find free videos matched to the curriculum at https://www.mathmammoth.com/videos/

I wish you success in teaching math!

Maria Miller, the author

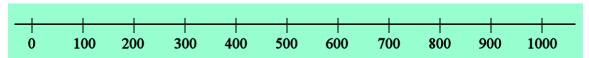
Thousands



When we take ten hundred-flats and stack them end-to-end, we get *one thousand*.

Ten hundreds = One thousand.

We write a *thousand* as 1000 or 1,000. The comma , is used to separate the "1" of the thousands from the three other digits. It just makes it easier to read.

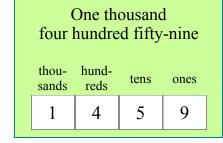


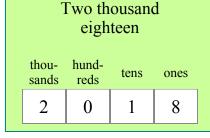
On this number line, you see only whole hundreds marked. In between each two marks are 99 numbers. Imagine those 99 little lines between 300 and 400!

After nine hundred, the next whole hundred is "ten hundreds" or A THOUSAND, 1,000. Remember: *Ten hundreds make a thousand*.

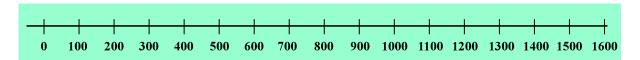
Numbers with four digits are very easy to read. The first of the four digits is in the thousands place. Just read it as "one thousand", "two thousand", "five thousand", and so on.

The rest of the three digits you can read just like you are used to reading three-digit numbers.



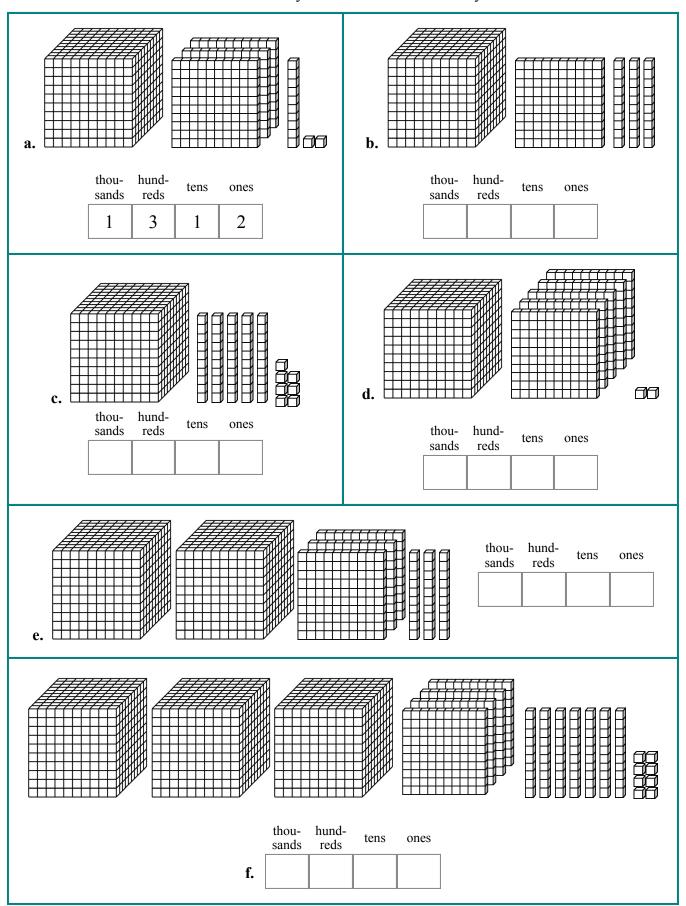


Four thousand seven hundred six					
	thou- sands	hund- reds	tens	ones	
	4	7	0	6	



The whole hundreds after one thousand continue as: *one thousand*, *one thousand one hundred*, *one thousand two hundred*, etc. Many times, people also read these numbers this way: *a thousand*, *eleven hundred*, *twelve hundred*, *thirteen hundred*, etc.

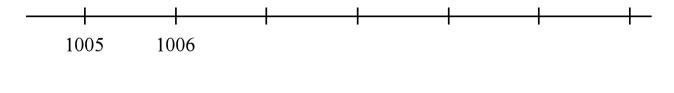
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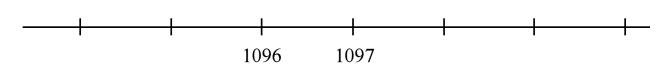


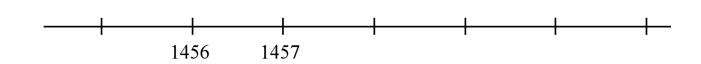
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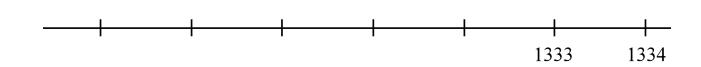
a. One thousand two hundred fifty-six thou- hund- tens ones 1 2 5 6	b. Three thousand five hundred ninety-four thou- hund- tens ones	c. Four thousand six hundred seventeen thou- hund- tens ones	
d. Nine thousand eight hundred twenty-two	e. Six thousand two hundred eleven	f. Five thousand seven hundred ninety-nine	
thou- hund- sands reds tens ones	thou- hund- sands reds tens ones	thou- hund- sands reds tens ones	
3. Fill in the table. Now you will	l need to use a zero or zeros, so	be careful!	
a. One thousand one	b. Two thousand five	c. Four thousand sixty-one	
thou- hund- tens ones 1 0 0 1	thou- hund- sands reds tens ones	thou- hund- sands reds tens ones	
d. Three thousand twelve	e. Six thousand two hundred	f. Five thousand ninety	
thou- hund- sands reds tens ones	thou- hund- sands reds tens ones	thou- hund- sands reds tens ones	
g. One thousand one hundred three hundred six		i. Five thousand eight hundred	
thou- hund- sands reds tens ones	thou- hund- sands reds tens ones	thou- hund- sands reds tens ones	
j. Two thousand eleven k. Two thousand three hundred twenty		1. Nine thousand thirty-two	
thou- hund- sands reds tens ones	thou- hund- sands reds tens ones	thou- hund- sands reds tens ones	

4. Fill in the numbers for these number lines.









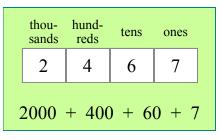
5. Fill in the number chart and count by whole tens.

1010	1 0 2 0		
1060	1070		

Four-Digit Numbers and Place Value

Here the numbers 2467, 1090, and 5602 are written as a sum of their different place values.

It is like writing each part of the number out in full: the thousands, the hundreds, the tens, and the ones. **Notice the zeros!** When there are *no* hundreds, or tens, or ones, we write a zero.



thou- sands	hund- reds	tens	ones	
1	0	9	0	
1000	+ 0	+ 90	+ 0	

	thou- sands	hund- reds	tens	ones	
	5	6	0	2	
5000 + 600 + 0 + 2					

1. Fill in the blanks, and write the numbers <u>as a sum</u> of the different place values.

a. 1,034 = ____ thousand ____ hundreds ____ tens ____ ones

b. 5,670 = thousand hundreds tens ones

c. 3,508 = ____ thousand ____ hundreds ____ tens ____ ones

d. 8,389 = ____ thousand ____ hundreds ____ tens ____ ones

e. 9,007 = thousand hundreds tens ones

f. 7,214 = thousand hundreds tens ones

Chapter 10: Fractions Introduction

The last chapter of *Math Mammoth Grade 3* deals with a few elementary fraction topics: the concepts of a fraction and of a mixed number, fractions on a number line, equivalent fractions, and comparing fractions.

First, the student learns to identify fractions in visual models, and to draw "pie models" for some common fractions. You can also use manipulatives or the fraction cutouts provided. In the digital version, they are found in their separate folder, and in the printed version, they are appended to the answer key.

Next, students represent fractions on a number-line diagram by partitioning the interval from 0 to 1 into equal parts. They also study fractions on number lines that go up to 3 and learn to write whole numbers as fractions.

The lesson about mixed numbers relies on visual models and number lines. I strongly feel that students first need to understand fraction operations and concepts with the help of visual models or manipulatives, and that the various rules for calculations should not be introduced too soon. Students match fractions and mixed numbers, and even convert mixed numbers back into fractions, using visual models. The actual rule for the conversion is not included on this level.

Next, we study equivalent fractions. Students recognize and generate simple equivalent fractions using visual models and number lines.

Lastly, students compare fractions in special cases, such as when they have the same numerator or the same denominator, or when the comparison can be made from visual models. They also learn that comparisons are valid only when the two fractions refer to the same whole.

The Lessons

	page	span
Understanding Fractions	155	4 pages
Fractions on a Number Line	159	4 pages
Mixed Numbers	163	4 pages
Equivalent Fractions	167	3 pages
Comparing Fractions 1	170	3 pages
Comparing Fractions 2	173	2 pages
Mixed Review Chapter 10	175	2 pages
Fractions Review	177	3 pages

Understanding Fractions

Fractions are formed when we have a WHOLE that is divided into so many <u>EQUAL</u> parts.

A whole is divided into *two* equal parts.

A whole is divided into six equal parts.

One part is one sixth.



One part is one half.

A whole is divided into ten equal parts.

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Four parts are colored, and the whole has four equal parts.



One part is one tenth.

Three parts are colored. There are seven equal parts.

Two parts are colored, and the whole has five equal parts.



Three sevenths.

Two fifths.

Four fourths.



"three eighths"

The number ABOVE the line tells how many parts we have (the colored parts).

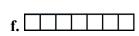
The number BELOW the line tells how many equal parts the **whole** is **divided** into.

After halves, we use ordinal numbers to name the fractional parts (thirds, fourths, fifths, sixths, sevenths, and so on).

1. Color the parts to illustrate the fraction.





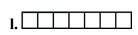




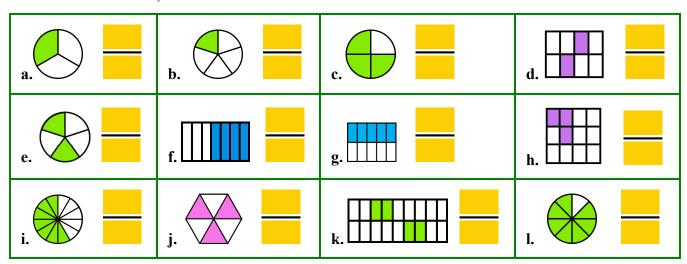








2. Write the fractions, and read them aloud.



How many parts is this "whole" divided into? Count. You should get 8 parts.

Don't count the little lines. Count the "units" or the parts. One of them is like this:

How many of them are colored?

You should get 3 colored parts out of 8 in total. So, the fraction is $\frac{3}{8}$.

3. Write the fractions, and read them aloud.

