

The Yum-Yum House

Grade 1

4 skill lessons · 4 math-through-reading

Skill lessons

4 lessons on the mathematics the book carries. Printable workbook pages and teacher keys are not available for this book yet.

1. How Many More To Make 83?

Concept · Finding a missing addend by counting on to a fixed target

2. Two Sentences, One Missing Number

Reasoning · Writing an addition sentence and a subtraction sentence for one situation

3. How Far Behind Is Maggie?

Representation · Comparing a growing amount against a fixed amount and naming the gap

4. Counting On To Eighty-Three

Fluency · Counting on to a two-digit target across a decade

Math through the reading

The mathematics is reached through a sentence the book prints: change one word in the reading and the numbers change with it. These carry their own standards, matched against these lessons rather than inherited from the skill ones.

5. The Word That Decides What You Count

Integrated · Students find the one word in each of the book's questions that decides whether they answer with the pile or with the gap, and say aloud what the question would mean without it.

6. What Was In Miss Belinda's Bags?

Integrated · Students find a number the book never prints, the candies two bags added to the pile, and must read out the two sentences that fix it before they are allowed to say it.

7. Did Maggie Need All Eighty-Three?

Integrated · Students take a side on whether the day's counting was necessary and say it to Grace Ann with at least two of the book's numbers inside the answer.

8. Eight Fewer, Eight More, Same Eight

Integrated · Students say the gap between two counted piles both ways round and prove with the counters that the number does not change when the words swap.

Reading and language lessons

5 lessons on the reading and language the book carries - what a word means in its sentence, how a character is shown, how a text is built. No mathematics: these are matched against the English language arts curricula, which are a different and smaller set than the mathematics ones.

9. Rolling Her Eyes

Comprehension · Telling how a narrator feels from what she says and does

10. The Plan Is Not a Bad Idea

Comprehension · Naming a character's problem and the plan she makes

11. House to House, In Order

Application · Retelling the events of a story in the order they happen

12. Who Says This?

Reading · Working out who is speaking when the tag is unclear

13. Prettier and Yummier

Comprehension · Saying what a character learns by the end of a story