

MVPS Maths Problem Solving Challenge



NAME:

CLASS:

WEEK:

1. READ THE QUESTION 2. WHAT IS THE PROBLEM?

3. WHAT IS THE QUESTION ASKING YOU TO DO?

4. WHAT DO YOU NEED TO KNOW? 5. SHOW YOUR WORKING OUT 6. CHECK YOUR ANSWER

7. FULL SOLUTION:

Use the back if you need more space.

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WHAT IS THE PROBLEM?
WRITE DOWN THE IMPORTANT INFORMATION

HOW COULD I WORK THIS OUT?

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| ☐ draw a picture/diagram | ☐ work backwards |
| ☐ use a number sentence | ☐ find a pattern |
| ☐ act it out | ☐ use tally marks |
| ☐ make a table or chart | ☐ guess, check and redo |
| ☐ use logical reasoning | ☐ compile an organised list |
| ☐ manipulate | ☐ another way not listed here |

WORK IT OUT!

MY ANSWER

Use the back if you need more space.

Solve the problem!

Demonstrate how you solved it

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Remember:

- Read the question (colour in the number of stars below to match your chosen problem).
- What is the problem?
- What is the question asking you to solve?
- What do you need to know?
- What strategy will you use?
- Show your working out
- Check your answer
- Write down your solution clearly!

