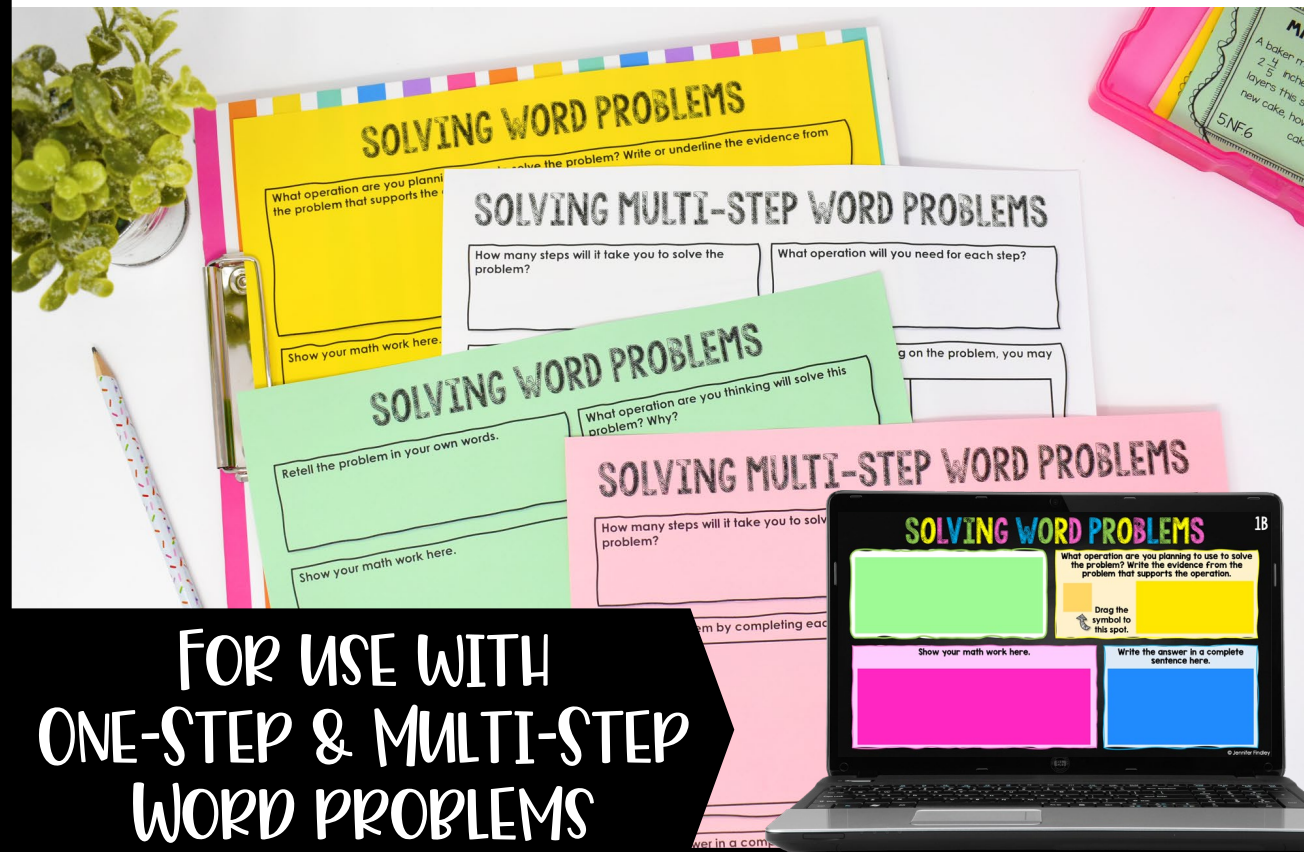


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Word Problem ORGANIZERS / MATS



FOR USE WITH
ONE-STEP & MULTI-STEP
WORD PROBLEMS

About the Resource

These word problem graphic organizers/mats help walk students through the thinking and analyzing process that is automatic for us. Through this analysis, the students have a better chance of comprehending the word problem, choosing the correct operation to solve it, and determining if their answers make sense.

You have a ton of variety in how you choose to use these organizers, however I recommend following this sequence:

1. Introduce the organizer/mat by going over the steps and how they help the student comprehend the word problem and/or organize their work. Understanding the purpose behind the organizer is huge with students because you don't want them to view it as busy work.
2. Model how to complete the organizer/mat whole group with at least one word problem (and more if the students need it and depending on the complexity of the organizer you choose).
3. Allow the students to work in pairs or triads to complete the organizer as a form of guided practice before they are required to do so independently.

Also, placing the word problem organizers/mats in page protectors and letting the students use dry erase markers instantly makes it more engaging.

Here are some ways you can use these word problem mats to help your students practice analyzing word problems:

- Math centers
- Small group teaching
- Independent work
- Homework – send home a page protector and expo marker and let the students use the mats at home or they can use the mats as a guide as they work through word problems. These organizers will also help parents support students if they struggle with a word problem.

[Click here to read more about how to use these organizers.](#)

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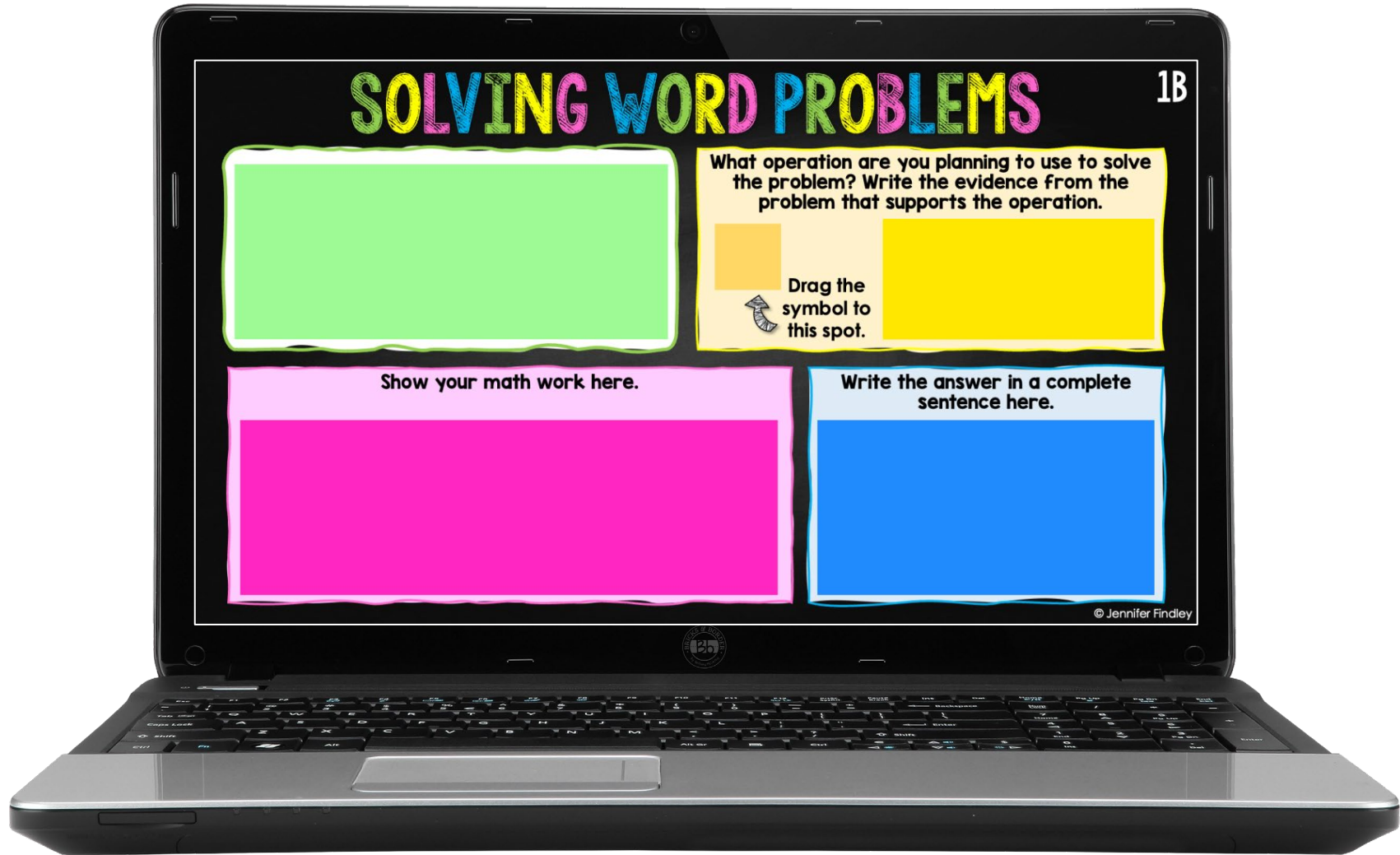
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SOLVING WORD PROBLEMS

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Show your math work here.

Write the answer in a complete sentence here.

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Does your answer make sense?
How do you know?

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Retell the problem in your own words.

What operation are you thinking will solve this problem? Why?

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Write the answer to the problem in a complete sentence.

Does your answer make sense? How do you know?

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Show your math work here.

Write the answer in a complete sentence here.

SOLVING WORD PROBLEMS

What do you know? List the important details and numbers.

What do you need to find out? Explain what you are looking to determine in your own words.

Solve the problem and include the answer in a complete sentence.

Explain your answer. Explain the steps you took and justify your answer.

SOLVING MULTI-STEP WORD PROBLEMS

What operations are you planning to use to solve the problem? Write or underline the evidence from the problem that supports the operations.

Show your math work here.

Write the answer in a complete sentence here.

SOLVING MULTI-STEP WORD PROBLEMS

How many steps will it take you to solve the problem?

What operation will you need for each step?

Solve the problem by completing each step in a separate box.

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