

# Solving word problems (7)

Solve word problems and reason mathematically



Challenge 1

Write in the missing sign.

a  $4 \star 6 = 24$

b  $32 \star 8 = 4$

c  $30 = 6 \star 5$

d  $6 \star 8 = 14$

e  $72 = 9 \star 8$

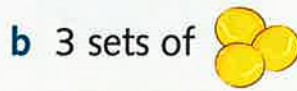
f  $29 \star 8 = 21$

g  $15 \star 3 = 12$

h  $88 \star 11 = 8$

Challenge 2

Write how much it would cost to buy:



Challenge 3

Answer these questions about the sports equipment in Challenge 2.

1 The school buys 30 hockey sticks. How much do they spend?

2 What is the difference in cost between a football and a basketball?

3 What is the cost of 5 sets of tennis balls?

4 Tennis balls are sold in packs of 3. How much would 1 tennis ball cost?

5 The sports shop has sold out of tennis racquets. Tennis racquets cost 4 times more than a set of tennis balls. What is the cost of a tennis racquet?

6 How much do 8 basketballs cost?

7 Jay has £100 to spend. Can he buy 3 basketballs? Explain why or why not.

