# Mystery numbers

Name: ...... Date: .....

Learning objective: To use symbols to stand for known numbers

Which numbers do these symbols represent?

Œ	Δ	Ω	€	Σ	¥	<b>♦</b>	œ	+	¶	R	¤

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1)	5	X	Œ	=	40
2)	56	-	Δ	=	49
3)	Ω	Х	4	=	16
4)	€	+	75	=	100
5)	40	÷	Σ	=	4
6)	57	-	21	=	¥
7)	41	+	<b>\$</b>	=	72
8)	24	÷	$\infty$	=	4
9)	+	Х	3	=	15
10)	170	-	<b>¶</b>	=	60
11)	6	Х	®	=	18
12)	45	÷	¤	=	5

### **Extension**

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- **b)** Mark is thirteen. His Mum is three times his age. How old is she?
- **c)** Helen has bought lots of games as Christmas presents. She can wrap three games with each piece of wrapping paper. How many games can she wrap with nine pieces?

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#### **Answers**

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8	7	4	25	10	36	31	6	5	110	3	9

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a) Molly cuts her rectangular cake into pieces. She cuts it into six pieces across and three pieces down. How many pieces are there?  $6 \times 3 = 18$ 

- b) Mark is thirteen. His Mum is three times his age. How old is she? 13 x 3 = 39
- c) Helen has bought lots of games as Christmas presents. She can wrap three games with each piece of wrapping paper. How many games can she wrap with nine pieces? 9 ÷ 3 = 3