



QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

Take a guess! What are these numbers? What are they possibly talking about?

1. *First, write the words in numbers.*
2. *Next, in pairs, guess what they are talking about and see who has the best/ closest answer.*

1. Five hours forty-five minutes.	<u>5.45</u>	<u>Flight duration</u>
2. Nine hundred eleven.	_____	_____
3. Three hundred sixty-five.	_____	_____
4. Five liters.	_____	_____
5. Three point five kilograms.	_____	_____
6. Twelve	_____	_____
7. Seven on the dot.	_____	_____
8. Eight thousand eight hundred and forty-nine.	_____	_____
9. One hundred	_____	_____
10. Fifty-nine and a half kilograms.	_____	_____
11. Two thousand.	_____	_____
12. Thirty centimeters.	_____	_____
13. Fifty-two	_____	_____
14. Seventy-nine percent.	_____	_____
15. Eleven twenty.	_____	_____

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Number and time-themed riddles

1. I have 4 sides, all equal in length. My angles add up to 360 degrees. What am I?
2. I have hands but cannot clap. What am I?
3. I am twice as old as my sister was when I was her age. If my sister is 10 years old now, how old am I?
4. I have a face and two hands, but I am not alive. What am I?
5. I am less than ten, but more than five. I am the number of lives a cat has if you believe the jive. What am I?

Teacher's Key

Suggested answers only. There are various other possibilities.

Five hours forty-five minutes.	<u>5.45</u>	<u>Flight duration</u>
Nine hundred eleven.	<u>911</u>	<u>Emergency number in the USA</u>
Three hundred sixty-five.	<u>365</u>	<u>Days in a year</u>
Five liters.	<u>5L</u>	<u>A can of paint. 5L</u>
Three point five kilograms.	<u>3.5 kg's</u>	<u>A newborn baby</u>
Twelve	<u>12</u>	<u>A dozen eggs</u>
Seven on the dot.	<u>7.00 pm</u>	<u>The 7.00 pm news on TV</u>
Eight thousand eight hundred and forty-nine.	<u>8849m</u>	<u>Mount Everest</u>
One hundred	<u>100</u>	<u>Cm in a meter</u>
Fifty-nine and a half kilograms.	<u>59.5 kgs</u>	<u>A young lady's weight</u>
Two thousand.	<u>2000</u>	<u>The year, New Millennium</u>
Thirty centimeters.	<u>30 cm</u>	<u>A ruler lenght</u>
Fifty-two	<u>52</u>	<u>Weeks in a year</u>
Seventy-nine percent.	<u>79%</u>	<u>School grades</u>
Eleven twenty.	<u>11.20</u>	<u>Exact time</u>

Number and time-themed riddles

1. I have 4 sides, all equal in length. My angles add up to 360 degrees. What am I?
A square (4 sides, 90-degree angles)
2. I have hands but cannot clap. What am I?
A clock
3. I am twice as old as my sister was when I was her age. If my sister is 10 years old now, how old am I?
20 years old
4. I have a face and two hands, but I am not alive. What am I?
A clock
5. I am less than ten, but more than five. I am the number of lives a cat has if you believe the jive. What am I?
Nine - nine lives