



Grade 1 Maths

Money

Fun • Practical • Everyday Learning

What you'll practise

Coins • Dollar and cent values • Counting money • Making amounts • Comparing prices • Simple shopping

Name: _____

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Teacher Answer Key included

Know Your Money

Learn the names and values of common US coins.

Coin	Value	Name
Penny	1¢	_____
Nickel	5¢	_____
Dime	10¢	_____
Quarter	25¢	_____

2. Complete the sentences.

a	A penny is worth _____ cent.
b	A nickel is worth _____ cents.
c	A dime is worth _____ cents.
d	A quarter is worth _____ cents.

Count the Coins

Add the values of the coins.

Coins	Total
1 penny + 1 penny	_____ ¢
1 nickel + 1 penny	_____ ¢
1 dime + 2 pennies	_____ ¢
1 nickel + 1 nickel	_____ ¢
1 quarter + 1 nickel	_____ ¢

2. Count carefully.

a) 3 pennies = _____ ¢ b) 2 nickels = _____ ¢ c) 2 dimes = _____ ¢

d) 1 quarter + 2 dimes = _____ ¢

Make the Amount

Use coins to make each amount. There may be more than one answer.

Amount	One way to make it
6¢	_____
10¢	_____
15¢	_____
20¢	_____
25¢	_____

2. Can you make 10¢ in two different ways?

Way 1: _____ Way 2: _____

3. Which coin is worth the most: penny, nickel, dime or quarter? _____

Compare Prices

Use the price signs to decide which costs more or less.

Item A	Item B	Answer
Pencil: \$1	Eraser: 50¢	_____
Book: \$4	Crayon: \$2	_____
Juice: \$2	Water: \$2	_____
Toy: \$5	Ball: \$3	_____

2. Write **more**, **less** or **equal**.

a	\$3 is _____ than \$2.
b	\$1 is _____ than \$5.
c	\$4 is _____ to \$4.

Mini Shop

Imagine you are shopping. Read each price carefully.

Item	Price
Apple	\$1
Juice	\$2
Pencil	50¢
Book	\$4
Ball	\$3

1. What would you buy if you had \$2?

2. Which item costs the most? _____

3. Which item costs the least? _____

4. Can you buy an apple and a juice with \$3? Yes / No

5. Can you buy a book with \$3? Yes / No

Add the Money

Find the total cost of the items.

Items	Total
Apple \$1 + juice \$2	\$ _____
Pencil 50¢ + apple \$1	\$ _____
Ball \$3 + pencil 50¢	\$ _____
Juice \$2 + apple \$1 + pencil 50¢	\$ _____
Book \$4 + ball \$3	\$ _____

2. Write the total in dollars and cents.

$$50¢ + 25¢ = \underline{\hspace{2cm}} ¢$$

$$\$1 + 50¢ = \$\underline{\hspace{2cm}}$$

Find the Change

Change is the money you get back after paying.

Price	You pay	Change
\$1	\$2	\$ _____
\$2	\$5	\$ _____
\$3	\$5	\$ _____
\$4	\$5	\$ _____

2. Complete:

If a pencil costs 50¢ and you pay \$1, your change is _____¢.

If an apple costs \$1 and you pay \$2, your change is \$_____.

Money in Real Life

Use money to solve everyday problems.

1. You have \$5. You buy a book for \$4. How much money is left? _____
2. You have \$3. You buy an apple for \$1 and a juice for \$2. How much is left? _____
3. A pencil costs 50¢. You have \$1. Can you buy it? _____
4. A toy costs \$6. You have \$5. Do you have enough? _____
5. You have \$10. You buy a ball for \$3. How much change do you get? _____
6. Draw or write something you would like to buy and give it a price.
Item: _____ Price: _____

Super Money Challenge

Show what you know!

1	Which is worth more: 1 dime or 1 nickel? _____
2	Make 20¢ using two or more coins: _____
3	You have \$5. You buy a \$2 book. How much is left? _____
4	A ball costs \$3 and a pencil costs 50¢. What is the total? _____
5	You pay \$5 for a \$4 toy. What is your change? _____
6	Put in order from least to greatest: 25¢, 5¢, 10¢, 1¢.
7	Can you make 25¢ in two different ways? _____

■ Confidence Check

I can identify common coins.	■ Yes ■ Almost ■ I need more practice
I can count and make simple amounts.	■ Yes ■ Almost ■ I need more practice
I can solve simple shopping problems.	■ Yes ■ Almost ■ I need more practice

Teacher Answer Key

Answers for Pages 2–10.

Page 2 – Know Your Money

Penny=1¢, nickel=5¢, dime=10¢, quarter=25¢. 2: 1, 5, 10, 25.

Page 3 – Count the Coins

1: 2¢, 6¢, 12¢, 10¢, 30¢. 2: a) 3¢ b) 10¢ c) 20¢ d) 45¢.

Page 4 – Make the Amount

Possible: 6¢=5¢+1¢; 10¢=10¢; 15¢=10¢+5¢; 20¢=10¢+10¢; 25¢=25¢. 2: examples 5¢+5¢ and 10¢. 3: quarter.

Page 5 – Compare Prices

1: pencil, book, equal, toy. 2: a) more b) less c) equal.

Page 6 – Mini Shop

1: answers vary; 2) book; 3) pencil; 4) Yes; 5) No.

Page 7 – Add the Money

\$3; \$1.50; \$3.50; \$3.50; \$7. 2: 75¢; \$1.50.

Page 8 – Find the Change

\$1; \$3; \$2; \$1. 2: 50¢; \$1.

Page 9 – Real Life

1) \$1 2) \$0 3) Yes 4) No 5) \$7. 6) answers vary.

Page 10 – Super Challenge

1) dime 2) possible: 10¢+5¢+5¢ 3) \$3 4) \$3.50 5) \$1 6) 1¢, 5¢, 10¢, 25¢ 7) possible: 25¢ or 10¢+10¢+5¢.