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Math Words

equal Equal means the same amount.

equals sign An equals sign means
"is the same amount as."

We write: =

Starter Problem

Complete the number sentence.

$$3 + \underline{\quad\quad} = 5$$

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Student Thinking**Theo**

Both sides of the equals sign have to be the same amount. So 2 must be hiding. Both sides have 5. It checks.



$$3 + \underline{2} = 5$$

**Bridget**

It says to add. 3 plus 5 is 8.

Oops!

$$3 + \underline{8} = 5$$

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Things to Remember



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Our Turn

Complete each number sentence.

1. $4 + \underline{\quad} = 5$

2. $4 + \underline{\quad} = 7$

3. $6 = 2 + \underline{\quad}$

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My Turn

Complete each number sentence.

1. $2 + \underline{\quad\quad} = 7$

2. $1 + \underline{\quad\quad} = 4$

3. $8 = 2 + \underline{\quad\quad}$

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Mini Lesson

Fill in the circle next to the answer you choose.

1. $4 + \underline{\hspace{2cm}} = 6$

☐ 10☐ 2☐ 3

2. $9 = 1 + \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

☐ 9☐ 8☐ 10