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## Overview

Attainment's Millie's Math House Workbook is a companion to the Millie's Math House software program. It is assumed that the teacher probably will not use the workbook starting from the first chapter and progressing to the last; instead, the worksheets and activities are designed to give individual students additional practice on a specific math skill found in the software program.

Millie's Math House curriculum includes:

1. A software program (sold separately).
2. A reproducible workbook, with dice, spinner, clock, and cutouts to go with each chapter.
3. Disc containing a comprehensive Teacher Guide in PDF form, detailing vocabulary, learning objectives, and teaching suggestions for each chapter, and worksheets that can be printed out from a computer.

It is strongly recommended that the teacher read the chapter notes on the PDF Teacher Guide file before assigning the worksheets. Each chapter has teacher suggestions as well as the important math words, that are specific to that part of the software program. After they have been introduced, important math words are highlighted on the worksheets. These words will help to enhance a student's reading and math vocabulary.

## Standards

The workbook pages in Millie's Math House Workbook address the standards established by National Council of Teachers of Mathematics. See Teacher Guide PDF file on CD.

## Objectives

Each of the nine chapters includes a read-aloud story, a character page and/or vocabulary page, worksheets, and bonus or challenge activities. There is at least one worksheet for every math skill found in the computer programs. Worksheets vary from matching activities to pages that challenge students to use what they have learned to generalize a skill beyond those presented in Millie's Math House.

The cutouts at the end of each chapter can be laminated if the teacher chooses. It is suggested that the teacher preview each chapter before assigning any pages.

Note: When students are required to cut out objects to complete the page, the teacher may prefer to photocopy or print out those pages.

## Key to Icons

It is assumed that the teacher will read the directions to the student. Many of the directions have the icons (point to) or (circle) to indicate what the student must do to find the correct answer.

Icons at the bottom of the page denote that additional materials will be needed to complete it.


The clock, dice, spinner, or cutout from a chapter are needed for the activity. See "Manipulatives" section, next.


The page must be colored by the student.

Student should use a calculator to check the answer in a word problem.

As individual students become more familiar with the workbook format, the icons will allow them to become more independent in completing a workbook page.

## About Millie's Math House Manipulatives

A pair of number dice, a die with shapes, a spinner and a clock are included with the workbook Millie's Math House. These hands-on materials are used to complete various games and activities found in the workbook. Teachers can also design their own activities using the manipulatives. A picture of Millie at the bottom of the page indicates one of the manipulatives is needed to complete the activity on that page.

## The Number Dice:



The pair of number dice has the numerals $0-10$ printed on them. Depending upon the activity the dice are used one at a time or as a pair. Activities found in the workbook include matching numerals to numerals, matching a numeral to a set of objects, or using dice to create a word problem.

## The Shape Die:



The shape die has geometric shapes printed on it. The die is used to complete activities found in the Mouse House software program and workbook. Additional activities for the die can include a scavenger hunt where the student tosses the die and has to find a shape in the classroom that matches. To make the hunt more challenging the student can throw a number die and the shape die to find, for example, 4 rectangles.


## The Spinner:

The spinner has numerals $0-5$ printed on it. For some of the activities the spinner can be used in place of the number dice to complete the various game-like activities or word problems found in the workbook (e.g., page 87).

## The Practice Clock:



Use the practice clock to complete some of the activities found in the Paint by Number software program. A student learns to use the counting strategies found in this program for time-telling skills. The practice clock can further enhance the counting skills by encouraging the student to create his own word problem using time.

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## Millie Accepts an Invitation



Note to teacher: Use this story to introduce vocabulary words.
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## Millie and Some Friends

Directions: to each character as your teacher says the name. Tell one thing about the character.


Directions: Give spider and cat names.
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## Vocabulary Words

Here are the words you will need to learn in this chapter.雨 to the words as your teacher reads them.
Read the words again with your teacher.

## big

## large

## middle

## medium

## little

## small

Note to teacher: The vocabulary words are arranged according to the picture in the software program. Introduce a word(s) and ask the student to find something in the computer program or classroom that matches the word.
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$\qquad$

## Big



$\qquad$
$\qquad$


## Big Numbers

Use what you know.
Othe big number of objects in each box.
Hint: There are more things in a big set.

1. $O$ the set with the big number of objects.

2. $\bigcirc$ the set with the big number of objects.
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3. the set with the big number of objects.

$\qquad$

## Large



Directions: to Big wearing large shoes.


Directions: to the shoes that are not large.


Bonus: Read these words.
big
large
$\qquad$
$\qquad$

## Help Big



Directions: $\bigcirc$ My Friend with large arms.

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$\qquad$

## Size, Number, or Amount


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## Little


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$\qquad$
$\qquad$


## A Little Amount

 Use what you know.$\bigcirc$ the hand in each row that has the little amount of money.
Hint: There are fewer things in a set that is little.


Directions: $\bigcirc$ the little number.
$\qquad$

## Small


Directions: A store clerk dropped the small shoes out of the shoebox.
to the shoes that go in the box.

