## Maths Mastery

 Solve Problems Challenge Cards
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1. Baked beans are sold individually (75c), in packs of 4 (\$2.69) and packs of 6 (\$3.85). What is the cheapest way to buy 12 tins of baked beans?

The 4-pack is on offer at $\$ 2$.
How much can be saved in buying 12 tins in packs of 4?

With the offer price, how much is saved per tin buying a 4-pack rather than 4 individual tins?


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2. A large box of pencils costs $\$ 360$. In each box there

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3. Write the missing numbers. are 100 packets of pencils, each with 12 pencils.

How much does each pencil cost?
What cost would be found by calculating $\$ 360 \div 12$ ?


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4. A teaching assistant makes some biscuits to sell at a school bake sale. The recipe uses 300 g flour, 125 g butter, 200 ml milk to make 12 biscuits.
1.5 kg flour costs $80 \mathrm{c}, 250 \mathrm{~g}$ butter costs 85c, 2 litres of milk costs $\$ 1.90$.

What is the cost of ingredients to make 120 biscuits?


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5. Janek had some money. He bought a drink for $85 c$ and $a$ sandwich for $\$ 1.40$.

He has two-thirds of his money left. Explain why he started with \$6.75.


## Maths Mastery - Solve Problems Answers

1. Two packs of 6 (\$7.70). 4 packs $\$ 8.07$ or individually \$9.
\$2.07
25c
2. 30c, The cost of 1 pencil from each packet. (If the pencils were different colours, it could be the cost of all the red pencils in the large box.)
3. $90 \div 20=4.5$
$35 \times 30=1050$
$970+630=1600$
$243-83=160$
$1600 \div 40=40$
$28 \times 100=2800$
$19800+3400=23200$
$17-35=-18$
4. $\$ 7.75$
5. He spent $\$ 2.25$. If 2 thirds is left he spent 1 third. He started with $\$ 2.25 \times 3$ = \$6.75.
