### Bring in the Beavers!
1. B
2. D
3. A
4. D
5. C
6. B
7. A
8. The first idea shared at the Mayor’s meeting is to build a concrete dam upstream to block the river’s path.
9. Anna’s mother says that one concrete dam will be less useful than several dams built by beavers. She also says that concrete dams are not nearly as beautiful as beaver dams.
10. Answers will vary

### Brothers
1. C
2. B
3. B
4. D
5. B
6. D
7. A
8. Philip asks if Joseph will say goodbye before he leaves.
9. Answers will vary
10. Answers will vary

### Casey at the Bat
1. D
2. D
3. B
4. A
5. D
6. D
7. A
8. There is no joy in Mudville because Casey Struck out, and their baseball team lost the game.
9. Answers will vary
10. Answers will vary

### Cats Can Save the Day
1. B
2. D
3. A
4. C
5. D
6. C
7. A
8. Answers will vary
9. Answers will vary
10. Answers will vary

### Cicadas: No Ordinary Bugs
1. C
2. B
3. A
4. D
5. C
6. D
7. A
8. The life cycle of Brood X is 17 years.
9. Answers will vary
10. Answers will vary
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| 1. 18 and 17.48  
2. 32 and 32.6  
3. No. 9 would be a much better estimate because 17.98 is very close to 18 and if you subtract 9.2, the difference is slightly under 9. | 1. 0.405; 4 tenths is greater than 0 tenths, so 0.405 has a greater value  
2. 231.23, 7.465, 1.23 | 1. Answers may vary. Possibilities are 2.84, 2.76, 2.81  
2. Answers may vary but should include place value thinking  
3. 17.34, 17.254, 17.28, 17.318, 17.309, 17.25 | 1. 16 and 16.13  
2. 53 and 53.11  
3. 45 and 45.12  
4. 37 and 37.51 | 1. 3000 x 6 + 400 x 6 + 50 x 6  
2. Check explanation. |