Year 1 Worksheet 5

Maths Task: Making simple Arrays.

What is an array? An array in maths is an arrangement of objects, numbers or pictures in columns or rows. The purpose of an array is to help children understand multiplication and division.

There are 2 buns in each row.

There are 4 rows.

This is the same as:

2 + 2 + 2 + 2 = _____

Or

2 x 4 = _____

There are _____ apples in each row.

There are _____ rows.

This is the same as:

____ + _____ + _____ = _____

Or

_____ x _____ = _____

Now try these ones:

____ + ____ +____ + ____ +____ = _____

Or

_____ x _____ = _____

____ + ____ +____ + ____ = _____

Or

_____ x _____ = _____

Challenge: draw your own array for these number sentences:

1. 5 + 5 + 5 = 15
2. 2 + 2 + 2 + 2 = 8
3. 10 + 10 + 10 + 10 = ?