

# 3.NBT.A.3 Word Problems Involving Estimation

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Give what is asked in each item and then write your answers on the space provided.			
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a. 1920	b. 2000	c. 1600	d. 2100
2. A 3-story school building has 5 rooms in each story. Each room can accommodate 66 students. About how many students can each story accommodate?			
3. The school canteen or pounds of rice did the ca		h sack has 110 pounds of 1	rice. About how many
4. Lesly usually eats snac	cks twice a day. About ho	w many snacks will Lesly	eat in half a year?
(Hint: 1 year = 365	5 days)		
Challenge: Jessie bought 73 packs o buy?	f stickers. Each pack has {	37 stickers. About how ma	nny stickers did Jessie
Answers:			
1.			
2.			
3.			
4.			
Challenge:			

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Answer Key

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- 1. An encoder was tasked to encode 8 pages document each with 243 words. About how many words does the encoder need to encode?
  - b. 1920

b. 2000

- c. 1600
- d. 2100
- 2. A 3-story school building has 5 rooms in each story. Each room can accommodate 66 students. About how many students can each story accommodate?
- 3. The school canteen ordered 5 sacks of rice. Each sack has 110 pounds of rice. About how many pounds of rice did the canteen order in all?
- 4. Lesly usually eats snacks twice a day. About how many snacks will Lesly eat in half a year?

(Hint: 1 year = 365 days)

### **Challenge:**

Jessie bought 73 packs of stickers. Each pack has 87 stickers. About how many stickers did Jessie buy?

#### **Answers:**

- $1.200 \times 8 = 1600 \text{ words}$
- 2.  $70 \times 5 = 350$  students
- 3.  $100 \times 5 = 500$  pounds
- $4.200 \times 2 = 400 \text{ snacks}$

### **Challenge:**

 $70 \times 90 = 6300$  stickers