Task Title: Compare Store Prices

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Learner Name: _____

Date Started: _____

Date Completed: _____

Successful Completion: Yes ☐   No ☐

Goal Path: Employment ☐   Apprenticeship ☐

Secondary School ☐   Post Secondary ☐   Independence ☐

Task Description: The learner will compare item costs in two grocery store flyers.

Main Competency/Task Group/Level Indicator:

- Understand and Use Numbers/Manage money/C1.1

Materials Required:

- Pen/pencil and paper and/or digital device

Learner Information

Shoppers often compare the cost of grocery items at different stores. This can help people decide where they can get the best deals.

Scan the grocery store flyers for "Bargain Barnie's" and "Fab Foods".

BARGAIN BARNIE'S
Sale Prices—September 18-25
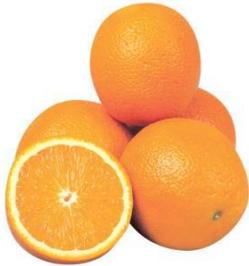
Oranges - $5.99/5 lb. bag

Dish soap - $2.79/bottle

Whole wheat bread $2.39/loaf

Toilet paper - $5.79/24 rolls

Carrots - $2.79 /5 lb. bag

Eggs - $2.39/dozen

FAB FOODS
Sale Prices—September 18-27

Whole wheat bread - $2.85/loaf

Grapes - 89¢/lb.

Chicken breasts - $4.88 /lb

Oranges - $6.49/5 lb. bag

Apples - $4.99 /5 lb. bag

Eggs - $2.85 /dozen

Work Sheet

Task 1: How much would it cost to buy a bag of oranges and a loaf of whole wheat bread at Bargain Barnie's?

Answer:

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Task 2: How much would it cost to buy a bag of oranges and a loaf of whole wheat bread at Fab Foods?

Answer:

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Task 3: At which store could a shopper buy the oranges and bread at the lowest cost?

Answer:

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Task 4: Calculate the price difference between a carton of eggs purchased at Fab Foods, and one purchased at Bargain Barnie's.

Answer:

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Answers

Task 1: How much would it cost to buy a bag of oranges and a loaf of whole wheat bread at Bargain Barnie's?

Answer: $5.99 + $2.39 = $8.38

Task 2: How much would it cost to buy a bag of oranges and a loaf of whole wheat bread at Fab Foods?

Answer: $6.49 + $2.85 = $9.34

Task 3: At which store could a shopper buy the oranges and bread at the lowest cost?

Answer: Bargain Barnie's

Task 4: Calculate the price difference between a carton of eggs purchased at Fab Foods, and one purchased at Bargain Barnie's.

Answer: $2.85 - $2.39 = $0.46

Performance Descriptors

Levels	Performance Descriptors	Needs Work	Completes task with support from practitioner	Completes task independently
C1.1	adds, subtracts, multiplies and divides whole numbers and decimals			
	recognizes values in number and word format			
	understands numerical order			
	identifies and performs required operation			
	follows apparent steps to reach solutions			
	interprets and represents costs using monetary symbols and decimals			
	uses strategies to check accuracy (e.g. estimating, using a calculator, repeating a calculation, using the reverse operation)			

This task: Was successfully completed ☐ Needs to be tried again ☐

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Learner Comments:

Instructor (print):   Learner (print):

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