# Cryptograms and Lateral Thinking Puzzles 

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## Secret Spy Messages

These messages are in code with a number for each letter. Figure out each code to find the secret messages.


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Ms. Graham had a full cup of pencils on her desk. She was going to let her class use the pencils after recess to complete puzzles. Now the pencils are missing, and she intends to find the thief! Ms. Graham says that whoever solves the mystery will get an extra puzzle to complete. Whoever stole the pencils will have to clean out the rat's cage instead. Who stole the pencils? Write your answer on the blank line below.

Here are some facts that may help you:

- Ms. Graham and Mr. Burn share one large classroom.
- Mr. Burn is out sick today.

When the pencils disappeared:

- Ms. Graham was in the nurse's office with Leanna.
- Angie and Ericka were talking outside under the oak tree.

- Cooper was helping Mr. Burn clean up his room.
- Taz was with his tutor in the library.
- Marco was in the library pestering Taz.
- Lyn, Marie, and Zac were playing hopscotch outside.


Notes:
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## Slippery Snake

This poor snake lost some scales. Can you find the pattern hidden in his scales? Look carefully at each section of the snake to find your answer. Fill in the blank section with the correct number of missing scales. You will need to use some of your math skill to solve this reptile riddle!


