Multiplication or Division?

Pay attention to clue words.

1. My teacher wanted to give her students a special gift. She decided to buy pencils for each of her students. She gave 20 students 3 pencils each. How many pencils did she give away?

Clues: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Equation: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. My neighborhood has 15 houses. Each house has 2 cars. How many cars are there in the neighborhood?

Clues: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Equation: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. Mrs. Sol volunteers at a school for 3 hours each day. He’s there 18 days a month. How many hours does Mr. Sol volunteer altogether?

Clues: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Equation: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. Five boys went on a camping trip. They were very hungry the first night. They caught 25 fish that they shared equally. How many fish did each boy get?

Clues: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Equation: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. My mom donates money four times each month. She donates $10 each time. How much money does my mom donate each month?

Clues: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Equation: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. Write a multiplication or division word problem of your own. Write the equation and solve it!