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Eggs & Apples

Read each problem and estimate the answer. Think about familiar strategies that will help you solve the problems. Show your work using numbers, labeled sketches, and/or words.

- 1** Maggie has 15 chickens. Each chicken lays about 24 eggs a month. How many eggs do Maggie's chickens lay in a month in all?

a My estimate: _____

b My work:

Maggie's chickens lay _____ eggs in a month altogether.

c What strategy did you use? Why did you choose this strategy?

- 2** Maggie is picking apples for her chickens. She has 12 baskets. She puts 30 apples in each basket. How many apples does Maggie pick in all?

a My estimate: _____

b My work:

Maggie picks _____ apples in all.

c What strategy did you use? Why did you choose this strategy?