Fair Money Clues

Read a bar chart to gather sales data

3.P.2.4.A "Gather basic economic data from various types of graphs and charts."

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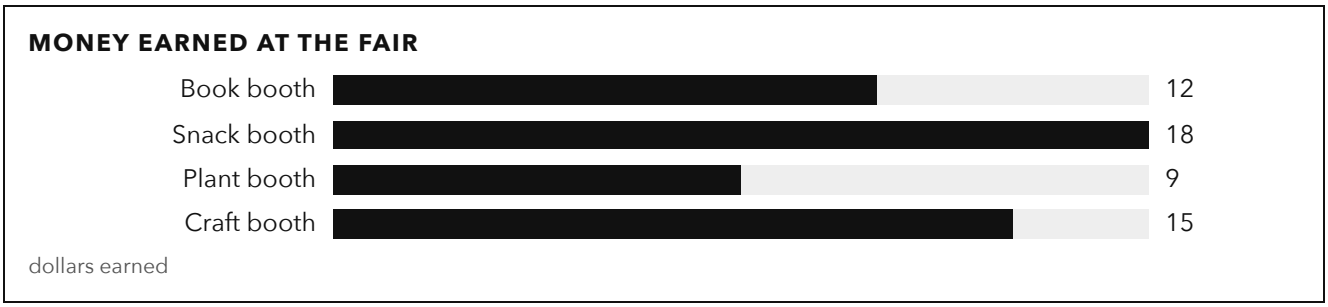
1 READ AND MARK

Read it twice

YOUR JOB Underline the words in the passage that tell what each bar measures, and circle the largest number on the chart.

Sales at the School Fair

1 On Saturday, four booths at the school fair sold goods to raise money for the library. Each booth counted the dollars it earned from sales. The bar chart shows those amounts. Each bar stands for one booth, and the number beside it tells how many dollars that booth earned.



2 The fair helpers used the chart to plan for next year. They could see which kinds of goods brought in more money. Earning more dollars does not always mean selling more things. One booth might sell a few costly things, while another sells many things for a lower price.

3 The helpers also kept each booth's total separate. They did not count money donated at the door as sales. This made the chart useful for looking at money earned by selling goods. If the helpers want to know how many items sold, they will need a different chart.

2 ANSWER WITH EVIDENCE

Use the passage

1. How many dollars did the book booth earn?

2. Which booth earned $18?

3. How much did the snack booth and the plant booth earn altogether?

4. How many more dollars did the craft booth earn than the plant booth?

3 YOUR TURN

Your own words

Choose two booths from the chart for your table, then add a new booth with a name and a dollar amount you choose. Write one sentence comparing your new booth's amount with one amount from the chart.

BOOTH	DOLLARS EARNED

ANSWER KEY

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GRADE 3 · 3.P.2.4.A

PART 1 · READ AND MARK

Underline the words in the passage that tell what each bar measures, and circle the largest number on the chart. Accept any marking that follows this job and points at the right text.

PART 2 · ANSWERS

#	QUESTION	ANSWER
1	How many dollars did the book booth earn?	**$12**
2	Which booth earned $18?	**The snack booth.**
3	How much did the snack booth and the plant booth earn altogether?	**$27**
4	How many more dollars did the craft booth earn than the plant booth?	**$6**

PART 3 · YOUR TURN (SAMPLE ANSWER)

Book booth | $12
Craft booth | $15
Sticker booth | $14
The sticker booth earned $2 more than the book booth.

For the marking job, accept any passage words that identify the bars as dollars earned from sales, and look for 18 circled on the chart. For the table, check that both chosen chart amounts and the written comparison are accurate.