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Estimate Sums

TAKS Objective 1
TEKS 3.50, 3.5B

Use the table to solve.

- About how many pounds of peanuts and sunflower seeds combined are used each week?

- About how many pounds of bananas and barley combined are used each week?

- Dogs and cats do not live in the zoo. But many animals in the zoo eat dog or cat food. About how many pounds of dry dog and cat food combined do the zookeepers feed the animals each week?

- The zookeepers bought double the number of ears of corn one week, knowing it was the end of the growing season. About how many ears did they buy?

- Erica says that the zookeepers need about 100 bushels of apples to feed their animals for 2 weeks. What's wrong with her estimate?

- An adult's ticket to the San Diego Zoo costs \$19.50. A child's ticket costs \$11.75. About how much will it cost Mr. Jackson to buy a ticket for his daughter and himself?

SAN DIEGO ZOO WEEKLY GROCERY LIST
33 pounds of dry cat food
43 bushels of apples
54 pounds of peanuts
66 pounds of sunflower seeds
112 dozen eggs
208 pounds of barley
259 pounds of dry dog food
279 ears of corn
471 papayas
875 pounds of bananas
948 heads of lettuce