Unit 5 builds on the concepts learned in previous units. There is continued emphasis on making connections to children’s lives by using addition and subtraction story problems.

**Teen Numbers** Children will draw real-life objects in several teen drawings that involve grouping the numbers into a ten and some extra ones. They will make a Teen Number Book that shows drawings they made of each teen number.

**Story Problems** Children will continue to invent story problems and solve them by making drawings, writing equations, and using fingers. Some children will solve at the board while others solve at their seats. Children will also solve equations and then tell story problems about the equations, thereby reversing the process.

**Partners**

**Math Mountains** In this unit, children will continue the practice games with partners that were begun earlier and the written practice with Math Mountains. By the end of the unit, many children will know the partners of numbers 2 through 10. There is special emphasis on the partners of numbers 6 through 10 in this unit because the lesser numbers were emphasized in previous units.