

CHRISTmaths: A Creative Problem Solving Math Book

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Kow Cheong Yan : CHRISTmaths: A Creative Problem Solving Math Book before purchasing it in order to gauge whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised CHRISTmaths: A Creative Problem Solving Math Book:

CHRISTmaths is a creative math problem solving book with a recreational flavor, by leveraging on the Christmas theme to posing and solving nonroutine math problems. The 196-page fun book would appeal to: * readers wishing to brush up their mathematical problem-solving skills in a fun and recreational manner; * problem solvers wanting to

experience some aha! moments while solving some fertile questions; * students and mathletes longing for some creative mathematics as they flee from drill-and-kill assessment books. CHRISTmaths answers questions such as these: What day of the week is Christmas in 2025? How many zeros are there in $1 \times 2 \times 3 \times \dots \times 24 \times 25$? Was Pythagoras a pre-Christian Christian? 12 Challenges @ Christmastime ... 25 Mathematical Quickies Trickies Xmas Philamath The 12 Puzzles of Christmas ... Christmas Tangrams CHRISTMAS Alphabetics The Twelve Days of Christmas and many more.

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