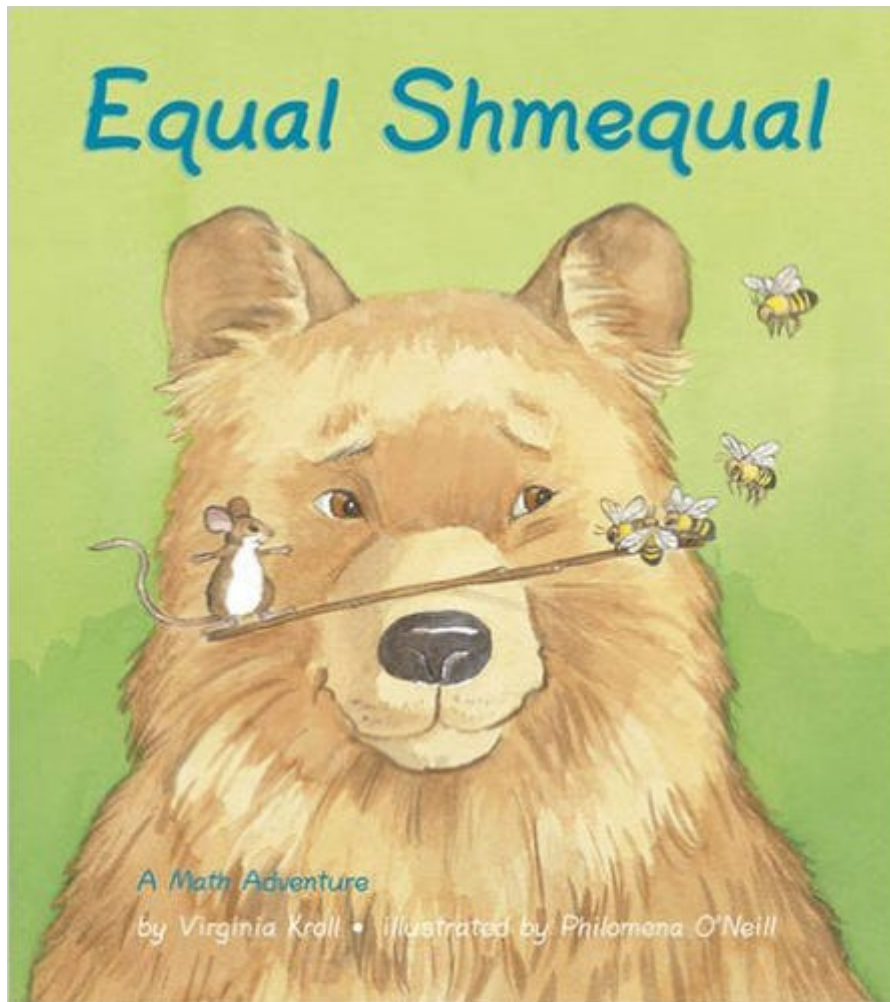


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Equal Shmequal



Synopsis

What does it mean to be equal? Mouse and her friends want to play tug-of-war but they can't figure out how to make teams that are equal. Nothing works until Mouse starts thinking mathematically. Wonderful illustrations capture Mouse and her animal friends from whiskers to tails.

Book Information

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Age Range: 5 - 8 years

Grade Level: [Preschool](#) - [3](#)

Customer Reviews

This book treats the word "equal" from four different directions -- in English, we use the same word to describe similar but separate concepts. The last page of the book gets specific: "In math, to be equal means to have parts that are the same in weight, size, quantity, or other measure." In art, equal can mean symmetrical, which means you can draw a line through the middle of a picture and one half will look just like the other half. "In law, equal means having the same opportunities, rights, and privileges." In team sports, the teams have equal numbers. All the players must give their best effort in order to have the best chance of winning. "The illustrations in this book add a lot to the text, and the animals balancing on the seesaw is a good visual. Good book for teaching math concepts.

As a first grade teacher, we have been teaching the students the meaning of the equal sign. Next year, I will introduce the equal sign with this book. This year, I used it to review the concept of the

equal sign. We had a lot of great classroom discussion about it.

This is a terrific book! The 3rd grade math teacher at our private school uses this book in her class. Well worth the money.

This is a great way to explain the concept of equality to young children. It is entertaining and informative. It should be part of the library in all K-3 classes.

A little wordy but still an excellent book for teaching the true meaning of "equal" to students. Can't wait to read other books by this author.

Our 6 yr old likes math stories and we enjoy the creative, fun way of sharing things we want him to know.

This was a great book to read for math class about prediction and estimation before revealing the answer.

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