

Puzzle time

Calculator - words

Did you know that you can read words on your calculator?
You can if you turn it upside down!

Find a calculator. Got it? Good.

Now type in 0.7734 Turn the display upside down.

Hello!

Try these sums on your calculator. Turn the answer upside down and you should get a word.

We have given you some clues so you may be able to guess the word before you start.

1. $39459 \div 7 =$
(Spiders have 8 but millipedes do not have millions)
2. $15469 \times 5 =$
(Put it to your ear and you may hear the sea.)
3. The square root of 59876644
(It sounds like he invented the telephone.)
4. $10\ 000 - 9\ 393$
(It's easy to fall off this)
5. $1792202 \times 3 =$
(Put these on to see underwater)

The answer to
No. 5 is not
pyjamas!



There are loads more words you can make up. Try them for yourself. Can you make a five letter word?
Can anyone make up a whole sentence?
Can anyone find another 7 letter word, or even more?



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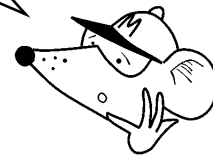
Calculator - words answers



The answers to the upside down sums are:

1. legs
2. shell
3. bell
4. log
5. goggles

Have you seen
my goggles
anywhere?



Quite a few other words can be made on the upside down calculator. Here are a few of my favourites:

hills bills hogs begs
bogless

giggles lobes globe

igloos holes high
biggles

.....but I'm sure that there are plenty more!