# Team Plickers Showdown

### Materials Needed

- Plickers Review questions
- dry erase boards, markers and erasers for each student
- 1 Plickers response card for each team

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## Advanced Prep

- Form heterogeneous teams of four who will sit together for the lesson. Assign a name or number to each team.
- Print one Plickers card per team, preferably using card numbers that are not assigned to individual students. Tip: Print on pastel card stock or mark the cards to show that they are the team Plickers cards.
- Log on to your Plickers account and create a new class. Title it something
  different from your other classes, like Plickers Fun Class. If you wish, you can
  add individual student names first. Then enter the names or numbers of the
  teams and assign one of the card numbers to each team. (Drag and drop feature
  allows you to assign any available number to any team.)
- Click the Library tab and create a new folder with the title of your review topic. Enter your review questions and assign them to the class queue for your Plickers Fun Class.

## Activity Directions

- 1. Seat students with their teammates and have them number off from 1 to 4. Place the team's Plickers response card in the middle of the team.
- 2. Distribute dry erase boards, markers, and erasers to all students.
- 3. Select the first Plickers review question on your mobile device, and switch to Live View on the computer to display the question for your students.
- 4. Before allowing team members to talk, provide time for them to think about the answer to the question or to solve the problem on their own. Ask your students to record their own answers on their dry erase boards and place their boards face down in front of them.
- 5. When students have finished, ask everyone to show their answers to their teammates, quietly discuss their responses, and agree on the correct answer.
- 6. Announce a student number from 1 to 4. Say "Showdown," and ask that person on each team to use the team's Plickers card to show the correct answer.
- 7. Scan the team cards and reveal which teams had the correct answer. Discuss the answers or solutions as a class to clear up any misunderstandings.
- 8. Repeat steps 3 7 with remaining review questions.