

Expense Detectives Answer Key

1. Correct.
2. Incorrect. Correct total: \$50.00.
3. Correct.
4. Correct.
5. Incorrect. Correct total: \$4,540.
6. Correct.
7. Incorrect. Correct total: \$1,600.
8. Incorrect. Correct total: \$224.00.

Teacher's Guide

- Quick implementation: Have students recalculate each expense independently before comparing their answer with the employee's result.
- Differentiation: Allow students who need support to rewrite each calculation vertically. Challenge advanced students to state the amount of each error.
- Engagement: Assign students the role of expense auditors checking employee records before the company's monthly accounts are finalized.
- Extension: Have students create one accurate and one inaccurate expense calculation for a partner to audit.