

Borrow to Solve Answer Key

- 1) 2.45
- 2) 5.417
- 3) 4.42
- 4) 3.474
- 5) 5.18
- 6) 3.542
- 7) 7.45
- 8) 6.263
- 9) 5.14
- 10) 1.732

Teacher's Guide

- Model one example that requires regrouping across decimal places before independent practice.
- Remind students to line up decimal points and add trailing zeros when needed.
- Encourage students to record every regrouping step instead of doing it mentally.
- Use place value charts to help students visualize regrouping between ones, tenths, hundredths, and thousandths.
- Pair students to check each other's regrouping steps before comparing final answers.
- Challenge advanced students to explain why regrouping works using place value language.
- Have students identify which problem required the most regrouping and describe the steps they used.
- Extend the lesson by asking students to create a decimal subtraction problem that requires regrouping in all three decimal places.