

THE RENAISSANCE ESCAPE ROOM

RENAISSANCE
...n in the 1300s in Florence, Italy and ended sometime during the ...
...olars began taking an interest in ancient Greece and Roman ...
...meaning rebirth in French, inspired many new ideas, as well as ...
...eries in the world of science, art, education, and literature. M ...
...thy and willing spend their money. Business owners and merch ...
...y giving financial support to artists and craftsmen. This inspir ...
...tion.
...was controlled by the Holy Roman Empire and the Roman Cath ...
...d politics, religion, how people thought and wrote, and more ...
...ss in science, government, and art were lost during this time ...
...ndemics such as Black Death ravaged (devastated) cities. ...
...of the Middle Ages as the Dark Ages. The start of the Re

LEVEL 1 DECODER

A	B	C	J	K	L
D	E	F	M	N	O
G	H	I	P	Q	R
T	S	U	X	W	Y
			Z		

L=2	J=q	F=1
R=0	W=4	A=6
T=8	G=3	Z=5
Q=7	D=q	P=0
H=1	Y=8	B=3
N=4	C=6	K=1

LEVEL 2 DECODER

FIND THE VALUE OF EACH LETTER

A =

o	x	o
x		o
o	x	o

QUESTION 2
How many plays did Shakespeare write during his lifetime?

<	22	>	45
<	37	>	52

QUESTION 4
The start of the Renaissance brought the --- to an end.

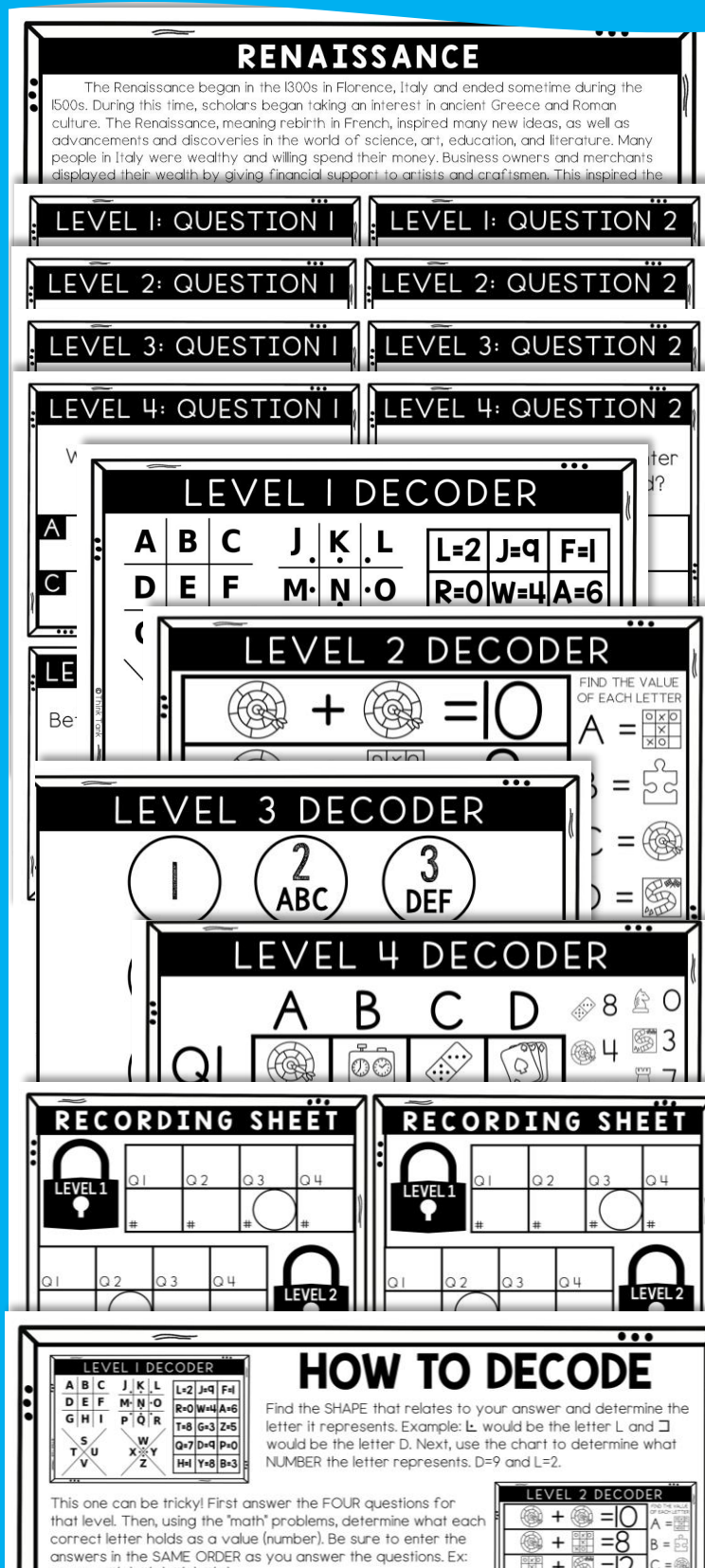
Middle Ages

RECORDING SHEET

LEVEL 1	Q1	Q2	Q3
#	#	#	#

THINK TANK

WHAT'S INCLUDED?



- ✓ READING PASSAGE
- ✓ 4 PUZZLE DECODERS
- ✓ 16 MULTIPLE CHOICE Q'S
- ✓ TEACHER GUIDE
- ✓ ANSWER KEY
- ✓ STUDENT DIRECTIONS
- ✓ HINT CARDS



16 QUESTIONS

RENAISSANCE
In the 1300s in Florence, Italy and elsewhere began taking an interest in ancient Greek and Roman ideas, leading to a cultural rebirth in French, inspired many discoveries in the world of science, art, education and willing spend their money. Business and giving financial support to artists and architects.

LEVEL 1: QUESTION 1
In what country did the Renaissance begin?
A France B Spain
C Poland D Italy

LEVEL 1: QUESTION 2
How many plays did Shakespeare write during his life?
A 22 B 37
C 45 D 50

LEVEL 2: QUESTION 1
Who was the first to claim that Earth revolved around the sun?
A Nicholas Copernicus B Isaac Newton
C Niccolo Machiavelli D Galileo Galilei

LEVEL 1: QUESTION 3
Following the Renaissance, a new, modern era of _____ of ____.

RECORDING SHEET
LEVEL 1
Q1 Q2 Q3 Q4
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LEVEL 1 DECODER
A B C J K L
E F M N O
H I P Q R
U X Y Z
L=2 J=q
R=0 W=4
T=8 G=3
Q=7 D=q
H=l Y=8
N=4 C=6

LEVEL 4: QUESTION 1
Who painted the Mona Lisa?
A Raphael B William Splinter
C Leonardo da Vinci D Michelangelo

LEVEL 4: QUESTION 2
Who invented the printing press?
A Jonathan Printer B Sebastian Bach
C Johannes Gutenberg D Thomas Crapper

LEVEL 3: QUESTION 1
Desiderius _____ was one of the first humanist thinkers.
A Dionysius B Galilei
C Erasmus D Debacles

LEVEL 3: QUESTION 2
Who invented the printing press?
E Jonathan Printer F Sebastian Bach
G Johannes Gutenberg H Thomas Crapper

LEVEL 3: QUESTION 3
At the time, what family was among the wealthiest in Italy?
I Da Vinci J _____

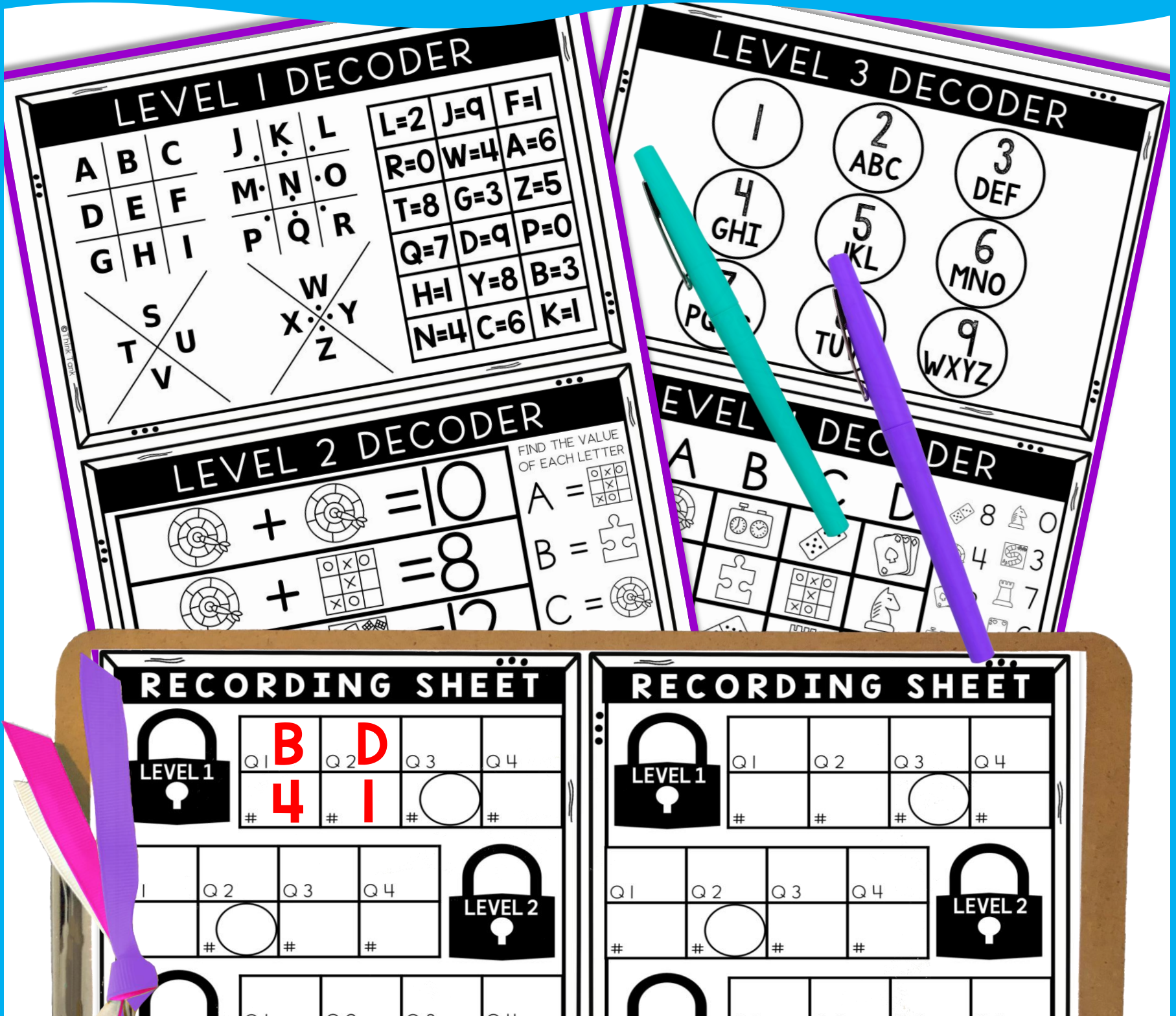
LEVEL 3: QUESTION 4
Raphael also did the Sistine _____, an oil painting.

RECORDING SHEET
LEVEL 1
Q1 Q2 Q3 Q4
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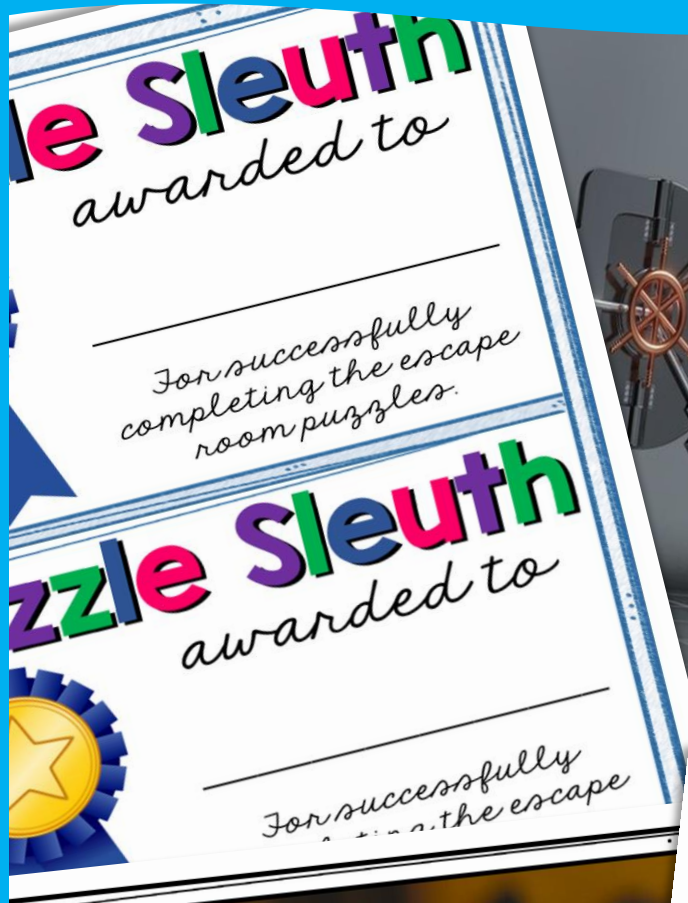
LEVEL 3 DECODER
1 2 3
4 5 6
7 8 9
WXYZ

LEVEL 4 DECODER
A B C D
Q1 Q2 Q3
8 9 0
4 3
2 7
6


PUZZLE TYPES



PRINT, CUT, PLAY



HOW IT WORKS



ENGAGING READING COMPREHENSION PRACTICE!

1

Students work individually (or in pairs) and visit 16 question cards.

2

Students will answer the questions found directly in the passage on their recording sheet.

3

Students will use that specific “decoder” to reveal a 4-digit code for each level.

RENAISSANCE

The Renaissance began in the 1300s in Florence, Italy in the 1500s. During this time, scholars began taking an interest in culture. The Renaissance, meaning rebirth in French, inspired advancements and discoveries in the world of science, art, and literature. People in Italy were wealthy and willing to spend their money to display their wealth by giving financial support to artists in a spirit of artistic competition. The Middle Ages was controlled by the Holy Roman Empire.

LEVEL 1 DECODER

A	B	C	J	K	L	L=2	J=9	F
D	E	F	M	N	O	R=0	W=4	A=
G	H	I	P	Q	R	T=8	G=3	Z=
T S U			W X Y			Q=7	D=9	P=0
V			Z			H=1	Y=8	B=3
						N=4	C=6	K=1

LEVEL 1: QUESTION 1

In what country did the Renaissance begin?

<input type="checkbox"/> France	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A	<input type="checkbox"/> Spain
<input type="checkbox"/> Poland	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> Italy

LEVEL 1: QUESTION 2

How many years did Shakespeare live during his lifetime?

<input type="checkbox"/> 22
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 37

LEVEL 1: QUESTION 3

Following the Renaissance was a new, modern era called the Age of _____.

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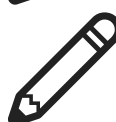
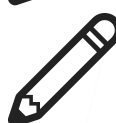
LEVEL 1: QUESTION 4

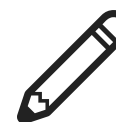



The start of the _____ brought the _____.

BENEFITS



THINK OUTSIDE THE BOX!

-  ANTICIPATORY SETS
-  UNIT REVIEW
-  EARLY FINISHERS
-  STATIONS
-  SUB PLANS
-  PARTNER WORK
-  ENRICHMENT

-  LOW PREP
-  PRINT, CUT & PLAY
-  CROSS-CURRICULAR
-  HIGHLY ENGAGING

