**Mandarin Orange Task**

The Healthy Snack Club at your school wants to buy mandarin oranges for snack time.

* How many 3 lb. bags of mandarin oranges should they buy if they want to give each student in your grade an orange?
* How many 5 lb. boxes of mandarin oranges would they buy if they want to give each student in your grade an orange?
* What will it cost the Healthy Snack Club to buy mandarin oranges for all of the students in your grade?

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| **Package** | **Weight** | **Number of Oranges** | **Price** |
|  | 2 pounds (lb) | 15-18 | $3.99 |
|  | 3 pounds (lb) |  | $5.49 |
|  | 5 pounds (lb) |  | $8.75 |

****Mandarin Orange Task Extension:

Consider other ways to buy enough oranges for your everyone in your grade.

* + Is your solution the least expensive solution? Why or why not?
  + If it is not the least expensive, how could you modify it so that it would cost less to buy

oranges for every student in your grade-level?