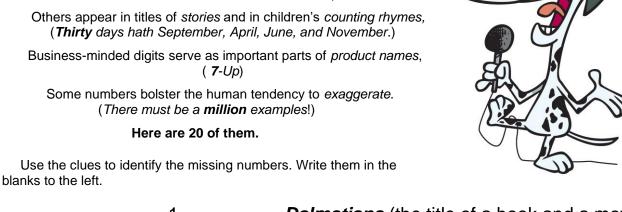
Thirty Days Hath September...

and Other Phrases, Titles, Product Names, and Exaggerations Constructed with Numbers

Numbers are a vital commodity. Our lives are constructed around them. They are at the heart of buying and selling, skyscraper building, schedules, and properly fitting shoes. The list is enormous!

In addition to their counting and measuring jobs, numbers have also created careers for themselves as part of our everyday language where they take on whole new personalities.

Some add volume to our *figures of speech*, (Instead of, "It doesn't matter," we quip, "It's **six** of one and **half a dozen** of another.")



1.	Dalmatians (the title of a book and a movie)
2.	You're in a million! (very special; hard to find; rare)
3.	in heaven (really happy)
4.	One potato, two potato, three potato, (counting rhyme)
5.	o'clock shadow (late-in-the-day beard growth)
6.	He has a excuses! (an exceedingly high number of excuses)
7.	shakes of a lamb's tail (in no time at all; quickly)
	This old man, he played He played knick-knack on my gate.(counting rhyme)
9.	back to square (start over)
10	. Snow White and the Dwarfs (classic children's story)