



Mixed Addition and Subtraction Word Problems


Grade 1


Name: _____

Read, decide, solve the word problem.

Look for words like “in all” (add) or “left”/“more” (subtract).

Example: There are 9 birds. 4 more birds land. How many birds now? $9 + 4 = 13$. Answer: 13 birds.

(1) A zoo has 10 playful monkeys and 6 sleepy lions. How many animals are there in total? 

(2) There were 17 colorful balloons at the park. 10 balloons flew away. How many balloons are left? 



(3) A farmer picked 8 red apples and 9 green apples. How many apples did the farmer pick altogether? 🍏

(4) There were 19 birds sitting on a branch. 5 birds flew away. How many birds are still on the branch? 🐦

(5) Lily saw 10 big fish and 4 small fish in the pond. How many fish did she see in all? 🐠



(6) A baker made 20 delicious cookies. He sold 10 of them. How many cookies are left? 🍪

(7) Tom collected 7 seashells on the beach and then found 8 more. How many seashells does Tom have now? 🐚

(8) There were 16 colorful flowers in the garden. A bunny ate 3 of them. How many flowers are left? 🌸

